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Ottawa, December 31, 1908.

Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 4th inst., inclosing correspondence with reference to certain needed repairs at the Blood (C.E.) Boarding School, and in reply I beg to say that you may have these attended to at once. The cost, however, should not exceed the sum of \$300.00, the amount estimated, as no further funds will be available.

You may authorize Mr. Agent Wilson to have the work done, and the Department will expect him to see that it is properly executed.

Your obedient Servant,



Secretary.

The Hon. David Laird,
Indian Commissioner,
Winnipeg, Man.