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16<sup>th</sup> July 2

Sir,

I have the honour to acknowledge, with thanks, the receipt of your letter of the 7<sup>th</sup> instant, relative to the outbreak of small-pox at Fort McLeod and Calgary; and in reply I beg to inform you that a copy of your letter has been sent to the <sup>Indian</sup> Commissioner, in connection with previous communications which this Department has had with him on the subject.

Your obedient servant,

Acting Deputy of the Sup. Gen.  
Comptroller R. W. M. Price of Indian Affairs.  
Ottawa