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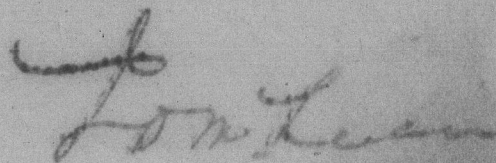
Ottawa, 27th November, 1901.

Sir:-

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your telegram of the 25th inst., reporting eight cases of small-pox at Sheguindah, and in reply to inform you that Doctor Carruthers has been given authority to quarantine the cases and to put a man in charge to see that the regulations are observed. The vaccine points asked for in your telegram have been ordered to be forwarded to the Doctor with the request to vaccinate all the Indians requiring it and to take every precaution to prevent the spread of the disease and to report to you.

You will be good enough to keep the Department advised in the matter.

Your obedient servant,



Secretary.

C. L. D. Sims, Esq.,

Indian Agent,

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