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Ottawa, 3rd. January, 1910.

Sir.-

I have the honour to inform you that the Department has had more than one complaint recently of some Indian families, numbering about half a dozen and said to come from Rice Lake, fishing illegally in the neighbourhood of Campbellford.

The Indian Agent at Keene says that they must in all probability belong to the Alwick Band, as the Rice Lake Indians have all been at home.

I have therefore to request you to endeavour to ascertain who these Indians are, and if you can find out to do what you can by warning them of the consequences and by any other available means to put a stop to the illegal fishing complained of.

Kindly report to the Department at your earliest convenience, as to how the matter stands.

Your obedient servant,

Secretary

John Thackeray, Esq.,

Indian Agent,

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