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Ottawa, 13th July, 1905.

Sir,-

When you are at Calgary it is desired that you will visit the Sarcee Agency and inspect and report upon the Agency dwelling house. The Agent was recently authorized to expend a sum of money in placing a stone foundation and sills under this house but he reports that he finds ⁱⁿ it such bad shape that it will not be worth the expenditure and the building is considered too far gone to restore it. It may be that the Department may provide funds in the next Estimates for the erection of a new house and would like an estimate from you of the cost taking into consideration the material in the old house that may be used. It is thought that with utilizing some of the material in the old house a suitable Agency dwelling might be erected for about \$2000.00.

Your obedient servant,



Secretary.

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