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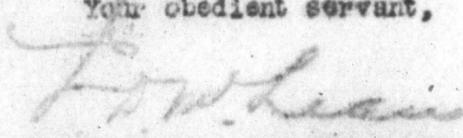
Ottawa, December 27, 1919.

Sir,

In reference to official letter of the 16th instant regarding a school fair to be held on the grounds of the Rama Day School next fall and also the teaching of gardening at this school and the encouraging of the pupils in carrying on gardens at their homes I beg to say that Mr. Abraham, Agricultural Representative of the Department, will visit the Rama Reserve in the near future and will discuss these questions with you. He states that he is very much in favour of holding a school fair, and it is expected that you will give him your whole hearted co-operation in the carrying out of any suggestions he may make.

The Department is anxious to encourage school gardening and also to have the pupils conduct gardens at their own homes and they should receive every encouragement that you can give towards this purpose.

Your obedient servant,

  
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

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