

6th March 7

To Messrs.
 Toronto Belland Leach Depository
 Toronto.

Dear Sir,

Enclosed please find the sum
 of \$4¹⁴/₁₀₀ in payment of yr. ac^t
 kindly acknowledge receipt
 & much oblige.

Yours truly

Edw. King
 Pres[?]

Wm. J. A. Giffman 8th March 7
 Cass Lake, Minn.

Dear Sir,

Your letter containing the sad news of George Johnson's death, father of pupil Charles Johnson reached me on the 7th inst.

I have broken the news to the boy Charles was passionately fond of and devoted to his father and his death is indeed a bitter blow to him. I shall be so glad if you w^d kindly get the mother or sisters or any relatives to write the boy a good long letter. Any news from them I know w^d be so appreciated.

Yrs faithfully
 Wm. J. A. Giffman
 Principal

No. 8th March 7
 Mrs C. S. Dawson.
 840 Dorchester Street
 Montreal.

My dear Madam.

I beg to acknowledge receipt
 of yr letter dated 4th inst enclosing
 the sum of \$15.⁰⁰ being quarterly
 subscription of Lachin Branch
 of the I.O.A. towards the support
 of Elijah Pennance to 1st Jan^y 1977.
 Will you please convey to the
 members our sincere & hearty
 thanks for their kind support.
 G^r charge is well & happy &
 is one of the most promising
 lads in the Home - He is obedient

- and

- and industrious and making
 capital progress in his studies.
 We are teaching him to be a
 shoemaker. He likes the trade
 and takes a great interest in
 his work and does it thoroughly.
 With kind regards

Believe me, Dear Madam

Yours faithfully

Ed. Taylor

Friend

9th March 7
 W. G. Piper Esq^r
 Bernard Avenue
 Toronto.

My dear Sir,

I beg to acknowledge receipt
 of yr. letter dated 7th inst and
 enclose herewith statement
 showing how arrears are made up.
 We received no money from yr^s
 school during 1894, unless it was
 sent through the Br. V. M. B.^s and
 reached us with other funds and
 not specified. I should like
 very much to know if yr^s school
 made any payments to the Home
 during '94 and in any case
 as soon as we receive the \$25.

Am't of arrears due as per statement	\$	
sent you January 1897	-	113.85
Am't due Mar/97		18.75
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	\$	132.60

Am't sent us Nov 10/96		
not yet to hand	\$	25.00
Rec due 31 Mar/97 as		
per of statement		92.60
1894 subscription		75.00
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	\$	132.60

10th March 7

Mr. Dooley.

Your services will not be
required at this institution
after the 15th April 1897—

Edw. Lee King, Secy.

To the
 Rev. W. H. Naylor, R.D.
 Shawville, Que. 19th March 7

Rev & Dear Sir,

I beg to acknowledge receipt
 of your kind letter dated 9th inst
 enclosing the sum of \$17 ⁰⁰/₁₀₀
 from Shawville Sunday School
 towards the support of their
 protégé Wesley Jones.
 Will you please convey to the
 scholars our sincere and hearty
 thanks for their kind aid and
 support and tell them their
 boy is well and making
 good progress in his studies.
 Our new Bishop paid his first
 official visit to the Shinguanuk
 - last.

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 East mouth. He seemed greatly
 pleased and told me it was his
 intention to take a great
 interest in the Harbor. I feel
 that I have a staunch friend
 in him and that I can rely
 on his sympathy and aid in
 the work.

With kind regards & again
 thanking you

Believe me, Dear Sir,

Yours faithfully

Edw. Leaping Dun.

16th March 7

Sir,

I write to solicit the Department's sanction to the discharge of pupil Henry Scott Noak No 16. This boy is a bad boy, and we can do simply nothing with him in the institution. I have delayed writing for some months hoping that the boy would amend his ways and obey the rules of the School, but have now to confess that my efforts have been fruitless in making any

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 Indian Affairs
 Ottawa

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 impression on him. Scott is now
 nearly 19 years of age and I
 fear his influence with the other
 pupils, and for on that account
 it would be better if he were
 out of the House.

Trusting the Department will
 kindly concur with me in
 my request.

I have the honour to be
 Sir,

Your obedient servant

Edw. King Junr

20th March 9

Sir;

I should be much obliged
if the Department would
kindly send me some
blank "admission forms"
- Form No 61

I have the honour to be

Sir,
Your obedient servant

C. W. Leys King

P. M.

Depty Sup^d C^o of
Indian Affairs
Ottawa

20th March 4Mr George Cunningham, Curate
White Fish River

Little Current, Ont.

Dear Sir,

I understand from His Lordship
the Bishop of Algoma that you
are desirous of sending three
of yr children to the Shingwan
House, and herewith enclose
proper application forms which
should be duly filled up &
witnessed and returned to me
upon receipt of which I shall
write you stating if the children
can be admitted and date we
shall be prepared to receive them
— With

18th March

With regard to Louis Andrews
children they cannot be
admitted, it being contrary
to the rules of this institution to
accept Roman Catholic children

I am, Sir, your truly,
Wm. L. G. King

Principal

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22nd March

To the
 Rev. J. N. M. M. M. M. M. M. M. M. M. M. M.
 St. James Parsonage
 Kingston, Ont.

Rev. & Dear Sir,

I beg to acknowledge with many
 thanks receipt of yr. p.c. dated
 20th inst informing me that you
 have recently remitted through
 our Treas^r the sum of \$500⁰⁰
 towards the support of our Indian
 Homes - The money is not yet
 to hand but will doubtless reach
 us in due course, when I shall
 advise you - We are most grateful
 & heartily thank the members of
 yr. A. S. Church for their kind and
 generous aid.

The \$19.⁰⁰ kindly sent last year
 was received by us in March/96

and will be duly acknowledged
 in our 22nd. Annual report which
 covers year of 1896. I hope to
 have this report complete for
 printers hands next month & as
 soon as they are received, shall
 mail you copy. We have 62
 papers in the Home just now &
 4 new boys are expected shortly
 & they are a very promising set
 of lads & taking them altogether
 doing well in the shipyard &
 really trying to get on.

Again thanking you

I am Dear Sir,

Yours faithfully

Ed. S. King, Pres.

22nd March

To the
 Rev. W. A. & C. H. N. A.
 Bristol. P. 2.

Rev. & Dear Sir,

I was very glad to get yr letter
 of 19th inst, though sorry indeed
 to learn of yr severe illness. I
 sincerely hope you have found
 rest & change beneficial & are
 now in better health & strength -
 We of course have missed your
 support, and it is a great relief
 to know that you are once more
 in charge of yr parish and I
 trust its present financial
 depression & losses will in time
 be effaced - We do not hold
 you

you pledged to any stated amount
 I know that you will do your
 best for us, as you always
 have done. Will you please
 convey to the members of G.
 S. D. our sincere & hearty thanks
 for the \$6.⁵⁰ forwarded thro
 Canon Eufson, the money has
 not as yet reached us but I
 expect it will be included in
 our 'Lead' W. Receipts' next state-
 ment. - Gr. 'charge' is well &
 happy and really making
 capital progress in the Shingwauk
 He is a good boy & gives little or
 no trouble.

I hope to have our 27th Annual
 report of the Home 1896 in
 printer's hands next month
 - and

and as soon as they are rec^d?
 shall at once mail you copy.
 Again thanking you for y^r
 kind aid.

Believe me Dear Sir

Yours & rich friend

W. S. King

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To Messrs. 24th March 7
 The Copp Clark Coy Limited
 Toronto.

Dear Sir

Enclosed please find \$1 ⁰⁷/₁₀₀ in
 payment of 7% for 1 doz
 Huttons Compositions.
 Kindly acknowledge & oblige.

Yours truly
 Wm. L. King

A. G. Piper Esq. 24th March 1
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 Toronto.

My dear Sir,

I beg to acknowledge with many
 thanks of p.c dated 21st inst & also
 you have remitted cheque
 to balance of p.c to 31st March/99.
 We are most grateful - would
 you kindly send me transcripts
 of Receipts receipts referred to
 in p.c card - date & amt. - I must
 trace the item & ascertain why p.c
 Schore was not credited -
 Apologizing for giving you so
 much trouble.

I am, Dear Sir,

Yours Truly,

Wm. S. King Junr.

Mrs Bryan ^{to} 24 March
 St. Pauls Rectory
 Charlottetown
 P. E. I.

My dear Madam.

Your p.c. stating your Kings
 Daughters would like to send
 a bale to the Shipping wharf has
 just reached me. It is most
 kind of them. We shall be
 more than glad to receive it
 being greatly in need of boys
 clothing of every description,
 especially coats or lined coats
 & pants for everyday wear,
 Boots, flanne shirts, socks, &
 Cotton night shirts. Sheets, are also

- also much needed and should
 be made for single beds 55 x 84 inches
 Remnants of cloth for patching
 & factory cotton would also be
 most acceptable.

We have 62 boys in the Home
 just at present their ages
 varying from 8 to 20 years.
 Some new boys are expected
 at the Spring work shortly.

I mail you to day a final
 report of the work for 1895
 and hope to send you latter
 part of April our report
 covering period of 1896.

Please address to the Principals
 of the Home Indian Home
 Saint St. Marie, Ont. and

- and ship per C. & R. freight, but
 if navigation is open it would
 be cheaper to send by boat
 Also please send me by post
 list of contents of bale or place
 same inside bale -

Heartily thanking you and
 the Kings Daughters in
 anticipation of yr kind aid.
 Believe me Dear Madam

Yours faithfull servant
 Wm. King
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Sir: 24th March 7

I beg to acknowledge receipt of the Departments letter dated 22nd inst. No 153067-10 - sanctioning the discharge of Henry Scott Noah No 16. and stating that the Department would like to be informed whether there are any vacancies for pupils at the Shingwanuk and if so, how many could be accommodated. and in reply I regret to say that at present we cannot take any more pupils, having a few days ago accepted three
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three applicants for admission which will bring the total number of pupils on our roll up to 65 the maximum number under present arrangements. We have sleeping accommodation for 40 but if my plan of raising the eery of the west wing to the level of the main building could be carried out, it would make a fine large dormitory, and we could then easily accommodate 15 to 20 more pupils, having ample room in our schools and dining rooms.

The alteration could be effected at a cost of \$1000, and I should be grateful if the Department could see its way
— to

To assist us in this important
matter -

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your obedient servant

Edw. Jay King Junr

St. John's, Nfld. 26th March 1871
 To Mr. Mitchell
 St. John's, Nfld.

Dear Sir,

I have just received yr letter
 inquiring concerning yr son
 Paul Mitchell, and in reply I
 am very glad to say that yr
 little boy is quite well & happy
 in the Shingona. He has made
 friends rapidly with the other boys
 and sleeps in a large dormitory
 with 15 other little Indian boys.
 He seems much contented and
 will no doubt do well at school.

Yours truly

Wm. L. King Esq.

John Mitchell 26th March 1
 St Regis. Que.

Dear Sir,

I have just received yr letter
 making enquiry of yr son
 Paul Mitchell, and in reply I
 am very glad to say that yr
 little boy is quite well & happy
 in the Shingwan. He has made
 friends rapidly with the other boys
 and sleeps in a large dormitory
 with 15 other little Indian boys.
 He seems quite contented and
 will no doubt do well at school.

Yours truly
 G. S. King

Answer

26th March

Miss M. H. Beaven.
 Niagara on the Lake
 Ont.

My dear Madam,

I beg to acknowledge with many
 thanks y^r f.c. dated 23rd inst -
 We are delighted to hear that the
 members of y^r Branch are
 preparing a sale for the Shingwan.
 It is most kind of them - We shall
 be more than glad to receive in
 being greatly in need of clothing
 for our Indian boys -

The measurements of the little
 girls asked for, I herewith
 enclose. While there is two years
 difference in their ages both the
 little girls' measurements are the
 same, and they are exactly the
 same

same height. We have just now
60 boys in the Shingwauk and
three more are expected at the
House shortly. We have been
most fortunate in getting thro'
the winter with little or no sickness
and we seem I think had a
more promising set of Cadets in
the House, so that we indeed
have much to be thankful for.

I send you today our
annual report for 1895 containing
a photograph of the two little
Day girls Lollie & Ruby -
Our report covering period
of 1896 - I hope will be in
print next month & as soon
as

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- as we receive them, shall
at once forward you a copy.
Heartily thanking you & the
members of y^r. Societ. wth
anticipation of y^r. kind aid.

Believe me Dear Madam.

Y^r faithfully

W. Lupton

Truth

Enclosure

27th March 7

Mr. Thomas Dowler,
P.O. Box 32 Peacebridge,
Muskoka.

Dear Sir, -

I have to acknowledge receipt of
y^r. letter dated 24th inst which has
only just reached me making
application for the position as
Senior teacher in the Shingwanuk
Home and enclosing a letter from
His Lordship the Bishop of Algona,
which I herewith return at your
request, and in reply I beg
to say that while the position of
teacher is at present satisfactorily
filled, that of accountant &
Superintendent duties are combined
— will

will after the 15th of April next
be vacant. Judging from
what I can learn of you, yr
testimonials, and the fact
that you have had already
two years experience in the work.
I feel that you would be
likely to suit as Superintendent
& would offer you this position
on the same terms & salary as
the present holder is receiving
namely \$50 a month, use of
Cottage adjoining hospital and
kitchen - Being a single man
I would suggest (should you
decide to accept) yr boarding
with one of the outside instructors
& failing this, I would make

make arrangements to board
you at the staff table for \$10.
a month. -

Although there have been
many changes the work is
still carried on pretty much
on its original lines and you
will have a pretty good idea
of the Superintendent's duties -
So be brief - You would have
charge of the accounts, and
general charge & management
of the boys, attend to their
baths, clean clothing, dormitories,
inspection &c. You would be
expected to take an interest in
the boys both in & out of the
institution, see them up in the

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- the mornings & in school room
for prayers by a quartet to seven
and locked in their dormitories
at 8.30. pm, you would be
responsible for the cleanliness &
tidiness of the interior of the
institution, as well as the out
buildings - Take a class on
Sunday afternoons, & read the
Lessons in Chapels on Sundays
if required. You will be free
one half day each week -
(Thursdays?) - I have not time
to send you a detail list of
Superintendents duties this
morning, but will do so later
if you wish - So far as the

the accounts are concerned, since
 the disconnecting of the Western
 House & the closing of the bookwork
 they are of course much simplified.

Kindly write me upon receipt
 of this letter at my expense
your decision, as I have
 another applicant for the
 position.

Yours truly
Edw. Ferguson

D. Keuffler Esq^r 27th March 7
 Toronto.

Dear Sir:

I beg to acknowledge with many
 thanks cheque for \$ 117⁵⁰/₁₀₀ for
 the 14th issue also statement
 recy: statement of 21st Dec^r /96.
 Miss Peache £100. = \$ 487. 77.

From whom did you receive this
 amount? Rev. F. S. Hutchinson or
 the Bishop. I used the information
 for my acc^t in Ann^l report. 1896
 it is not included in Mr. Hutchinson
 statement to me for the year, just rec^d.

Yours faithfully
 Chas. Seymour Dewar

Dear Sir. 27th March 7

I have just discovered that in
tearing up some papers I have
accidentally destroyed the
Bishop's letter to you. I thought
I had placed it carefully on
one side to be returned, but now
find pieces of it in my waste
paper basket. However if you
desire I will ask His Lordship
to give you a copy of it which
I am sure he will do -
I am indeed sorry that I
should have been so careless.

Yours truly
Edw. King

27th March 7
 John M. Garland.
 36 & 38 D. Connor Street.
 Ottawa.

Dear Sir: -
 Enclosed please find cheque
 for \$34.⁷⁵ in payment of yr ac^t
 for uniforms &c. kindly ack.
 invoice receipt & much
 oblige. also please send some
 Frostall jerseys with prices
 marked, on approval. Colors
 orange & black to give to match.

Yrs truly
 Edw. S. King
 Pres.

27th March 1917
 Mrs. Leal Ross.
 52 Wellington Street.
 Toronto.

Dear Sir:

Enclosed please find cheque
 for \$82.⁴⁴ in payment of 4%
 for boots, kindly acknowledge
 receipt & much obliged.

I hope to send you next
 month further order for boots
 wanted.

Yours Truly

Geo. S. King
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to
29. March

The R. Rev^d Edward Sullivan D.D.
Toronto.

My Lord,

I am most grateful to you for so kindly & promptly sending me the letter for our Ann^s reports. I also thank you for the corrections & suggestions regarding my own. I should like to make special mention of Miss Deakin's generosity but do not know what amount we received from her during 1896.

According to Mr. Hutchinson's statement £50.00 was received by cheque handed to him by G^d self. (Which we have not rec^d unless it has been included in other monies.) In Mr. Kemp's statement to me of Dec^r/96 there is an item,

Miss Peache £100 per Eng. Algoma
 Asso? \$487.77. Mr. Hutchinson has
 no such item on his list. Perhaps
 you rec^d this amt. direct from
 Eng^d & paid it to Mr. Keuff?
 also in Mr. Keuff's statement
 for August there is an item
 £1032.6 per Eng. Algoma. Asso?
 (no name given) I am inclined
 to think part, if not £100. in-
 cluded in this amt. was from
 Miss Peache. Perhaps the £50. you
 gave Mr. Hutchinson? There is no
 time to write & get a reply from
 Mr. Hutchinson. Can you help
 me - I enclose Mr. Hutchinson's
 letter & statement and list of
 English subscriptions advised me
 by Mr. Keuff during 1896 -
 I regret extremely

nothing you do much, but
have no other resource, again
thanking you for "the letter",

I am, My Lord,

Yours faithfully,

Edw. Seymour

Shingonah House
Lancaster Maine. Oct.

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10th April 1897.

Mr Thomas Fowler.
Bacchus. Ont.

Dear Sir;

Your telegram accepting the position offered you in my letter of 27th ult. has been duly received. I am since in receipt of your letter dated 30th ult. enclosing one from the Rev^d Thos. S. Abode, which I herewith return.

The terms offered were the same the present holder of the position is receiving, and in point of salary much better than I could have offered you as senior teacher (the position you applied for). The Cottage (only partially furnished) is at your service, if you wish to live in it, but if you decide not to do so you forego any claim to it.

Dear Sir;

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Your telegram accepting the position offered you in my letter of 27th ultimo was duly received. I am likewise in receipt of your letter dated 28th ultimo, enclosing one from the Rev^d Mr. S. L. Abode, which I herewith return.

The terms offered were the same the previous holder of the position is receiving, and in point of salary which both than I could have offered even as senior teacher the position you applied for. The Cottage, formerly Garrison's, furnished is at your service if you wish to be quiet, but if you do not so desire you may occupy any chamber in it.

As your every room in the main building is occupied and in the event of my having to board you in the institution I shall probably have to put one or both of my teachers in the

Yours in the

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the Cottage. Members of Staff living in the institution have one room each (bedroom & sitting room combined), each employee attends to & looks after his or her own room, & there is a general dining room for the employees.

I will make temporary arrangements for you and you can decide which you prefer best to do when you are on the spot.

I should like you to be here on the evening of the 15th inst Thursday. With regard to advancing you one month's salary?

I will see what can be done in the matter, and write you in course of mail or so -

Yr. truly

Geo. Leitch King

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Shingwood, W. Va. 420

Saudi St. Maria, Md.

1st April 1897.

Contributions rec^d by Principal
during March 1897.

Wheaton, Md. S. Thomas' S. Sch.	\$	
per Miss Wickes for David Wilson		3.00
Lachine Branch, W. Va. Due per Mrs		
Dawson for Elijah Prunace 1 st Jan ^y 97.	\$	15.00
Shawville S. Sch. Due per Rev. W. H.		
Naylor for Wesley Jones	\$	17.00

Ed. L. King Prin^r.

Sept 1897

W. G. Bennett Esq.
Toronto

My dear Sir:

I am at length able
to fulfil my promise
to send you a photograph
of Frank Wilson the Indian
very particularly supported
by the Sunday School.
The photograph encp.
reaches you by the
mail and I trust you will
be pleased to receive it.

Yours faithfully
W. G. Bennett

3rd April 1897.

Miss Wickes
Warrington, Ont.

My dear Madam,

I am at length able
to fulfil my promise
to send you a photograph
of Daniel Wilson the Indian
boy, particularly supported
by Mr. Sunday School
The photograph once
reached me last night.
Trusting that you will
be pleased with it.

Dear Madam,

Yrs faithfully

Edw. Taylor King
Prin.

3rd April 1897.

Mr. Thomas Dowler.
Becclesbridge - Wis.

Dear Sir:

Enclosed please find
Cheque for \$50.⁰⁰/₁₀₀
being an advance.

asked for in yours
of the 30th ultimo.

Receipt & knowledge
receipt & oblige.

Yours truly

Geo. L. King

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3rd April 1897.
 Mrs. Kate Bloss. " " 8
 Toronto. C. P. " 11

Dear Sir,

Enclosed please find

\$870.25 in payment of
 90% for 1000
 Maturity acknowledgment
 receipt & oblige.

I am sending you
 further order in course
 of a few days

Yours truly,
 C. D. King

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Shingwanh House.
 Sault Ste Marie Ont.
 3rd April 1897.

Dear Sir:—

Enclosed please find reports
 required by the Department
 for March.—

Trusting same will prove
 satisfactory.

Yours faithfully,

W. J. King

—
 W. J. King
 Supt.

Wm. A. Allen Esq
 Indian Agent
 Sault Ste. Marie Ont.

Shingwan House.
 Lacie Ste Marie, Ont.

3rd April 1897.

Principal's report for March
 1897.

Sir.

The work during the month has gone on satisfactorily. There are now 62 pupils in the Home and three more boys from Whitefish river are expected shortly, which will bring our total roll up to 65 the maximum number under present arrangements we have sleeping accommodation for, but if the west wing (a two storied building) were raised to the level of the main building, a fine large dormitory could be made and we could then easily accommodate 15 to 20 more pupils.

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 Ottawa.

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having ample room in our school
and dining room -

Several of the pupils during the
month were laid up with La Grippe
but are now I am glad to say quite
recovered, with the exception of
one boy Mike Sacca, 70. 80 who
appears to have had a severe
attack and although now out
of bed, does not regain strength
rapidly. In order to get the
required quantity of wood cut
and out of the bush before the
snow left, we were obliged part
of the month to put some of
the carpenter boys in the bush
with our farm boys - These lads
worked well and cut & stacked
over 36 cords of wood -
Twelve tons of ice were also cut and
hailed from the river and stored

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for use during the summer.
 The quarterly school examinations
 commenced on 29th inst. and will
 continue about one week, both
 Schools will open again on the
 5th April and at Easter the pupils
 will have one week's vacation.

Notwithstanding the almost
 impassable state of the roads
 the Department's Agent Mr Van
 Abbott managed to pay his
 usual monthly visit of inspection
 to the Homes on the 30th inst. -

The St Mary's river is now
 breaking up rapidly and we
 hope to see navigation open
 shortly.

A Foot race & Base Ball Club is
 being organized for the Senior
 pupils -

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I have to acknowledge with
many thanks the "admission
forms asked for in my letter
of the 20th inst., also copy of
the Department's Annual report.

I have the honour to be
Sir
Your obedient servant
G. W. Secy. King
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Shingobou House
 Saint St. Marie O.M.
 Canada.

5th April 1897.

Rev. A. S. Hutchinson

The Rectory

Eynsford, Kent. Eng^d

My dear Sir,

I beg to acknowledge with
 many thanks of letter dated 19th
 enclosing list of subscriptions rec^d
 during 1896.

In Mr. Kemp's statement Dec^r
 to me there is the following item.
 Miss Peache per English Algoma
 Association £100. - \$487. 77

Bishop Sullivan says this is the
 cheque he transferred to you, that
 Miss Peache contributed £100, no
 more and no less during the year/96.
 I have therefore taken the liberty
 of turning the £50. on of list into
 £100. - I note of: remarks re

Shirburn
St. John's
Canada

sending our reports - perhaps
the best plan will be for Bishop
Shornocoe to take them over himself
(if he will) He sails I believe on
the 15th May next.

Thanking you for all yr
kindness.

Believe me Dear Sir,

Yours faithfully

Edw. King

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Springbank House
 Jarvis St. Mar. Ont.
 5th April 1897.

The R. Rev.
 The Lord Bishop of Algoma.

My Lord;

Your letter for publication in the Annual report of our House together with Bishop Sullivan's reached me late on Saturday night. I hasten to thank you for the former, which permits me to say with all proper respect & in the interest of the work is indeed a splendid letter and cannot fail to rouse the sympathies of all interested in our Indian House. I am indeed most grateful to you for it and for your kind remarks respecting Mrs King & myself, may we never forfeit your confidence. Unless I hear from you to the contrary I propose to address you

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9: letter in the Report as follows:-
 " The Bishop's Letter
 " To the Clergy and Laity of the Church
 " of England in Canada."
 " My dear Brethren; - ?

I have this morning heard from
 Bishop Sullivan re Miss Peache
 it was £100 she contributed to the
 Home during 196

Dear Mr Ford,
 Yours faithfully,
 Geo. Sey King
 Pres.

7th April 1897.

To Mary

The Ryerson Press,
Toronto.

Dear Sir,

I am mailing you this morning under separate cover our Annual report for printing. We shall require 600 copies.

The following cuts are to go in the report, viz.

- 1 Shingwan Home.
- 2 An Ojibway Family, &c.
- 3 St. John's Cathedral - Shingwan Home
- 4 Dining Hall - Shingwan Home
- 5 Memorial Chapel.

Cuts 3 and 4 The Toronto Lithographic Coy will hand you, you have the others. Use your own judgment in placing them and put them in the order numbered.

Do not make any corrections either in the spelling or composition of papers letters. They are to be printed as they are written.

How soon can you

Can you let me have proof sheets?
 Mr Bishop sails for Eng on 15th prox -
 I want if I can to show our report
 over there before his arrival.

Am waiting for the writing
 pads & trust they are now on
 their way to me.

Yours truly

Edw. L. King, Jr.

Shingwauk House
Sault Ste Marie

ONT.

5th April 1897.

Mr Osler.

The Rectory.

York Mills Ont.

My dear Madam,

I beg to acknowledge with many thanks the sum of \$3⁰⁰/₁₀₀ being quarterly subscription of St John's Sunday School towards the support of our Indian Home. We are most grateful to yr scholars, I wish all our supporters (Scholars) were as prompt and faithful in remitting.

We are expecting three new boys from Whitefish River this week. which will bring the number on our roll up to 67, as many in present state of our finances — we

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we can take. Our boys are all
 in good health & have been
 during the winter - we are
 organizing a Football Club
 & a library & reading room for
 them. For the latter we are
 much in need of literature
 in the shape of books, magazines
 & papers &c. suitable for boys.
 If the members of S. John's S.S.
 can see their way to assist
 I shall be most grateful.
 Our annual report coming
 1896 is now in the printer's hands
 we hope to receive them out of
 the month, when I shall mail
 you a copy. Again thanking
 you Believe me, Dear Madam

Yours faithfully
 G. J. King

Shingoes.

Sauv. Ste Marie

8th April 1897.

Mr. Thos. Bowler.

Bracebridge, Ont.

Dear Sir; -

I am in receipt of yr dated 6th inst. ^{to}
I will see that you are met at
the station or dock, if you let
me know which you are coming
by rail or water?

I can now give you notice
Friday evening the 16th inst to be
here - if an other day will keep
you in any way in making
boat connection. I never mean
not to give you a room in lieu
of the Cottage. Should you decide
to forego claim to the latter -

Yours truly

Chas. Ley King Esq.

I am yours or father
about 5 pm.

Shinguan. Home
 Sainte Marie, Ont.

8th April 1897.

To
 Mrs. Rigstocke, 1096 St. John
 The Rectory, St. John, N. B.

My dear Madam,

I am in receipt of yr. kind
 letter dated 1st inst, which I
 should have acknowledged
 this, but delayed hoping to
 have been able to also acknowledge
 the arrival of the two boxes of
 clothing referred to therein -

We are just now greatly
 in need of clothing and I
 thank you most heartily
 for yr. kind aid and for con-
verting the clothing into
 other channels -

Directly the boxes arrive I
 shall again write you -
 - our.

Dear Mother
I received the same
of the same

Our Annual report of the
Homes covering 1896 is now
in the printers hands and as
soon as we receive them, latter
part of this month, I shall
mail you copy of it
Again thanking you

I have been thinking of
you and your family very
much lately and hope
you are all well and
happy. I have been
thinking of you and
your family very much
lately and hope you
are all well and happy.
I have been thinking
of you and your family
very much lately and
hope you are all well
and happy. I have been
thinking of you and
your family very much
lately and hope you
are all well and happy.

To
 Mrs Bigstocke
 the Rectory
 St John N. B.

to
 13th April

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My dear Madam,

Since my letter to you of the
 8th inst the two trunks of clothing
 have arrived safely at Shingwan.
 I have this morning completed
 unpacking them & have already
 distributed some of the clothing
 amongst our boys - We are most
 grateful to you for y^r generous
 aid. Everything sent is most
 useful and acceptable to us, with
 the exception of some of the
 large girls' dresses, which I am
 forwarding to our Rector, Mr
 Revison for distribution amongst
 the Indians at Nepegon who are
 - much

much in mind & who will so
greatly appreciate kind gifts.

The coats, trousers, overcoats
and boots are especially
welcome, also the magazines
we have lately organized a
Library & reading room for our
boys & have been begging for
literature, in the shape of books
magazines & papers.

Again assuring you of our
gratitude.

Believe me, Dear Madam

Yours faithfully

Edw. J. King

June 3

To the

13th April

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Res^d P. L. Spencer.

Shoald. Dist.

Res^d & Dear Sir,

I beg to acknowledge receipt of yr. p.c. dated 8th inst & note with gratitude that you have recently forwarded to our Treas^r the sum of \$ 5.¹⁷/₁₀₀ being the amount of collections made in the S. & C. of Shoald and Port Robinson. The money has not, as yet, reached us, but doubtless will be included in Mr. Keemp's next statement to me, when I shall advise you of its receipt. Our Annual Report covering period of 1896 is now in the printer's hands and as soon as

— as

as we receive them, shall at
 once make you a copy -
 We are organizing a Library
 and Reading room for our boys
 & are in need of literature
 in shape of books, magazines,
 & papers - If y^r Schear can
 see their way to assist I
 should indeed be grateful
 to them.

With kind regards and again
 thanking you for y^r kind
 support & interest

Believe me, Dear Sir,

Yours faithfully

W. L. King

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To
 13th April 7
 Miss S. J. Symonds
 Lincenbury, N.S.

My dear Madam,

I beg to acknowledge receipt
 of 4^l p.c. dated 6th inst which
 has just reached me. I was
 glad indeed to hear from
 you again and warmly
 thank you for yr indefatigable
 efforts on behalf of our work.

I shall await yr letter
 with much interest.

Our Annual report covering
 period of 1895 is now in the
 printers hands and as soon

as

as we receive them, shall
at once mail you copies.

Again assuring you of our
gratitude for yr kind support
& interest, with kind regards

Believe me, Dear Madam

Yours faithfully

Edw. Ferguson

I have not forgotten you
of all our letters of our work

I shall receive of letters
with much interest

Our business report covering
period of 1846 is now in the

printer's hands and we can
soon have it ready for you

The Rev^d Wm. L. Gyles
Layton, Que.

re Elias Stonefish.

Am. den as per Sch. League
to 1st June 1897 = 46.00

\$6.50 sent thro' Canon Empson
per l.a. & not yet received.

We note you cannot guarantee
\$25.00 per ann from date of g^d
letter of 27th Nov. but will do what
you can towards the support of
g^d Charge.

E. K. 18/1/97

D. Kemp Esq: 16th April 7
Toronto.

Dear Sir:-

Enclosed please find 46[¢] for
The Bishop Blyth Fund.

of St. George's Church off duty
this day

Yours truly
 Geo. J. King
Secy

W. G. Piper Esq^r 19th April 7
 25 Bernard Avenue
 Toronto.

My dear Sir,

With reference to y^rs dated 7th ult.
 We have not as yet rec^d the \$25.
 sent us Nov^r 16/96.

Will you kindly let me know
 through whom it was sent?

As soon as we receive this amt +
 bal due 31st March/97 - \$32⁶⁰/₁₀₀
 we can then balance y^r ac to
 that dat.

Yours faithfully,

W. J. King

\$ 25
 \$ 32.60

\$ 57.60 amt amt due

31st March 1897

To G. Devison Esq: 19th April
 22 Bellevue Avenue.
 Toronto.

My dear Sir,

I beg to acknowledge receipt of yr
 letter dated 8th inst. and learn with
 regret of yr resignation as Secy
 of the S^r Philip's Sunday School.
 I understand from yr letter that a
 Miss Smith has been appointed
 Secretary, are future communications
 to be addressed to her? & if so will
 you kindly send me her address.
 I certainly should have no objection
 to yr corresponding with David
 is it the most kind of you to do so
 and David is always so pleased
 and proud at receiving letters
 from you. -

The photos are safe & that
you are pleased with same.
With kind regards.

Believe me Dear Sir
Yours faithfully
G. H. King, Jr.

Mr Mang^r
 Cuyahoga Press
 Toronto.

21st April

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Dear Sir,

I return you today proof sheets
 of our report, you will please
 note corrections. The following five
 cuts are to go in the report.

1. Shing Home. Main Hall
2. an oratory Family orphans
3. Dining Hall
4. Sons Dormitory
5. Chapel.

Place them as equally apart as
 possible only in the above order.

"Organ Fund" acknowledgments and
 "Kawanosh Bedg^r" acknowledgments
 should be on separate pages
 in the report.

We shall require 600 copies
 and

I should be glad if you will
let me know when we may
expect to receive them

I believe your true part of
your report to G.W. Seymour King
of the ...

1. Put of Shing H. place in front
page of report as in last year
report.

2. ...
3. ...
4. ...
5. ...
6. ...
7. ...
8. ...
9. ...
10. ...

21st April 7

Wm J. Ambrose Esq^r
 Hamilton, Ont.

My dear Sir,

I beg to acknowledge receipt of
 yr. letter dated 17th inst. enclosing
 cheque for \$37.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ being half
 yearly subscription of the Church
 of Ascension Sunday School
 towards the support of Peter
 Messias to 1st Sept: 1897. -

We are most grateful & I shall
 be glad if you will kindly
 convey to yr. Scholars our
 sincere and hearty thanks
 for their kind aid & support.

You may receive in future
 through our Treas^r in Toronto

- or

- or to inspect direct which ever
 is most convenient to y: self,
 in the latter case you may
 rely upon a prompt acknowledgment
 - Yours. Again thanking you.
 I am Dear Sir
 Yours faithfully
 Chas. King
 Junr.

20th April

Mr. J. de Roueden.
 Eglington, Toronto.

Dear Sir:

In reply to y^r. letter dated
 20th ulto, I beg to say that
 prior to y^r. application reaching
 me through His Lordship the
 Bishop of Algoma. I was already
 in correspondence with another
 applicant for the position, whose
 services have since been accepted.

Yours truly
 Wm. L. King
 P. M.

23rd April

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Miss A. Robinson
 56 Alexander Street.
 Toronto.

Dear Madam,

In reply to yr. letter dated 20th inst.
 I beg to say that at present we
 have no vacancy for a teacher in
 this institution.

Yours truly
 Wm. L. King, Principal

D. Mc Nicoll Esq: 24th April 7
 Genl. Passage Agent.
 C. P. R. Coy. Montreal.

Dear Sir:

Will you very kindly grant me
 a reduced rate Transit. on my 2nd class
 as in other years? Such privilege
 w^o assist me greatly in making
 a contemplated journey in the
 interests of our Indian Homes
 west ward. Trusting you may
 see my way to do so & thanking
 you for past favours.

Believe me Dear Sir,

Yrs faithfully

Edw. Seymour Smith

Sir:

26th April

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I enclose to you a letter No. 152067-10 dated 23rd inst, with reference to Pupil John Angus No. 45.

This boy was admitted into the Shingwanit August 28th 1895, and has been working $\frac{1}{2}$ a day at his trade, carpentry for a little over 18 months, during which time he has made fairly good progress and can do rough carpentry - but he is not competent to earn his living as a carpenter.

Angus is a steady reliable lad and doing well in the Home.

and I hope the Department will

Depty Sup: Gen: of
Indian Affairs
Ottawa.

— 201

Not think of sanctioning his
discharge for the next three years.

The boy has recently asked to be
allowed to work in the garden for
a time on account of the out-
door work agreeing better with his
health & I have been obliged
reluctantly to consent.

I have the honour to be
Sir,

Your obedient servant

Wm. King

1/6
 27th April 7
 Mr. James L. Baccachey
 Bradford Wis.

My dear Madam,

I beg to acknowledge with
 gratitude the sum of \$14⁰⁰/₁₀₀, being
 a donation from your Home
 Sunday Class towards the support
 of our Indian Home, lauded
 in this day by His Lordship,
 the Bishop of Oregon.

Heartily thanking the members
 of your class for their kind and
 generous aid.

Believe me, Dear Madam,

Yours faithfully

Ed. J. King

27th April

Dear Sir,

I beg to acknowledge receipt
 of yr letter dated 26th inst enclosing
 official cheque no. 427 for
 \$950⁰⁰/₁₀₀ - grants to Shingwan.
 Home for quarters ended 31st Mar, 97.

Yours faithfully

Edw. S. King
 Secy

Wm Van Abbott Esq
 Indian Agent
 same to the same

~~Enclure~~

Mr Maug:
Ceylan Press
Toronto.

27th April 7

Dear Sir:

Enclosed please find cheque
for \$ 3 ⁷⁵/₁₀₀ in payment of y^r ac
for lettuce seeds.

Kindly acknowledge receipt
I oblige you truly

Wm. L. King
Print.

Mess^{rs} Beac Bros
Toronto.

27th April

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Dear Sirs:

You may repeat my order for
Boots of 26th July last, omitting
the 12 pairs of the cheaper kind -
Boots to be same price & similar
to those previously sent and to be
forwarded by freight.

Yrs truly

Chas. Secy King Prin^g

10	pairs	to	6
10	"	"	5
8	"	"	4
6	"	"	3
4	"	"	2
4	"	"	1
4	"	"	7
2	"	"	8

48 pairs

28th April

No.

Mr. S. Eardley,
170 Wootley Road
S. London. W.S.

Dear Madam,

I am sending you today a photograph of Mitchell Adams the boy partially supported by St. James' B.O. I trust the members will be pleased with their protégé's appearance, and regret I have been so long in fulfilling the promise made to you in my letter of the 15th ults.

With kind regards,

Believe me, Dear Madam,

Yrs. faithfullly

Edw. Lee King

Dir.

So.

28th April

Miss S. J. Seymour.
 Seward N. Y.

My dear Madame,

I am in receipt of yr. kind and interesting letter of 22nd inst, and learn with gratitude that you have recently remitted to our D. Treas. Mr. Kemp the sum of \$ 22³⁰/₁₀₀ towards our "New Wawaush Bldg &".

I have read yr. letter carefully, & seems really wonderful to me that in the face of so many new and increasing demands upon yr. Church and parish to say nothing of the stringent efforts made to liquidate its debt you have succeeded in collecting the sum of over Twenty two dollars
 for

for our New girls' Home -
 We appreciate yr indefatigable efforts
 and are indeed most grateful to
 you for yr generous aid.

If others were every as energetic
 our object wd soon be accomplished.

I hope to go to Ottawa next
 week to interview the Indian Dep:
 authorities on matters connected
 with our "Homes" & shall once
 more solicit from them a grant
 towards our New Building -

In account of so many changes
 in the Dep: lately, I am not over-
 hopeful; but there is a chance of
 their complying & at any rate it
 will keep our need before the Dep:.

Again heartily thanking you & yr
 kind friends Believe me Dear Madam

Yrs faithfully
 Chas. Leys King

28th April

Mr Aylesworth
 Parkdale, Ont.

Dear Madam,

Will you please let me know if the members of St. Mark's Misses' Association will kindly permit their support to be transferred to another pupil? We have a number of boys in the Home just at present entirely unsupported & greatly need yr aid & I shall be glad indeed to apprise to you a boy subject to yr approval. G^r former charge Eli Souwick, returned to the Shinguanb. some months after his discharge & requested to be allowed to remain in the Home during the winter. In view of the lad's excellent character, we could not refuse and the Department

co-operated in rescinding his
 discharge until the Spring.
 Lemick is now about to leave
 for good, and I shall be most
 grateful to the St. Mark's Missy
 Association if they will accept
 another boy in lieu of their old
 protégé.

Trusting the members will
 see their way to accede to my
 request and bestowing thanks
 upon them for their kind aid in the
 past. Believe me Dear Madam

Yrs faithfully

Chas. Seymour Davis

To Messrs
 Toronto Lithographing Coy
 Toronto.

29th April

Dear Sir:

Enclosed please find cheque for
 \$15.⁴⁰/₁₀₀ in payment of y^r a/c -
 Kindly acknowledge receipt &
 oblige

Yours truly

Edw. J. King Junr

Contributions rec^d by Principal direct
during April 1897:

St John's S. Sch. York. Miss out per Mrs Oster.	\$ 3.00
Church of Ascension Hamilton per W. F. Ambrose for Peter Menass	\$ 37.50
Mrs Joanna L. Paccachy's S. Sch class, Bradford. out.	\$ 4.00

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