

Lake Scugog March 30th 1847

Sir,

I got your letter dated 17th March 1847 about the Irish and Scotch people who are very hungry and want provisions. I called a council and had your letter explained. All my people are very sorry for the sufferings of their white brethren. They are very poor but they are willing to help their white brethren. We wish you to send word to the Governor General that we desire the sum of five pounds of our annuity to be sent to the starving people either in money or provisions as the Governor General thinks best. This is all I have to say at present.

Jacob Crane (totem)

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