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Dear Mr. Campbell,-

Herewith I am sending you a copy of the article on Sitting Bull, written by Bird M. Robinson and printed in the Chattanooga Times January 11-1891 .

You may be disappointed in the value of the article, but it does have a little collateral value. Its chief importance lies in the fact that it did more than any other one thing to give the opinion of ~~Sitting Bull~~ Sitting Bull which became current among people who get their information from others without investigating into its truth.

My Fanny Kelly is loaned out, but will either get it or some other copy to you shortly. Am sorry that I can not be more prompt. The weather has been so fine and warm that I have been away a good deal.

Give me your reaction on the Sitting Bull article? I believe his statement that Sitting Bull withdrew to the Little Big Horn country in 1873 is doubtless correct, and in my opinion he never came back again till 1881. He also says S.B. was a petty chief, an unexpected admission. Just as soon as I can get other papers, about which I am in correspondence, ~~that~~ I shall forward them to you.

With Kind regards,

I am,

Very truly yours,

Lewis F. Crawford
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Sitting Bull