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Prof H. S. Campbell,
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Dear Mr. Campbell, - Some days ago you asked me whether it would be advisable for you to make a trip into the Standing Rock reservation in the winter season. Some winters are quite open and you could easily make a trip, although I would advise against your making such a trip. The Indians in the Grand River country are remote from good roads. The old trails have deep ruts and high centers are every where. Moreover the Indians are hard to find. The houses are widely scattered and without lights for the most part. There is no place to stay over night or get suitable meals, and with a little snow to impede traffic you couldn't