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Native trouble in N. F. District

Trs. copy tel from Br. Ambassador at Rome
giving particulars recd by Italian Govt. of
attacks on Senuli, Wagheri and Kasins

Mr Bickering
Mr Read

Nothing new here, unless it be
the Osadan attack on Wagheri
Governor had told us that our
people had evacuated Wagheri.

(We have asked G.O. to
send copies of what they get to
the war office.)

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Reference - Letter to Foreign Office, February 16
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The Under-Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs
presents his compliments to the Under-Secretary of State
for the Colonies, and is directed by the Secretary of State to
transmit the accompanying copy of a telegram, as marked

Ambassador in the margin.
me, No. 255,
February 19

Foreign Office,
February 21 1916.

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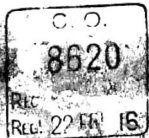
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