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Ottawa, February 14th., 1918.

Sir.-

Referring to your letter of the 7th instant, I beg to state that a cheque for \$75.00 is being sent you as advance for expenses, which amount it is thought will be sufficient for the balance of the current fiscal year. You will please submit your account promptly on the 31st March and another advance will be sent you from the appropriation of 1915-1919.

In this connection I beg to state that it is advisable that you should visit the Reserves of your Agency where farming whenever you consider it necessary operations are carried on, in order that you may see personally that the largest possible acreage be seeded and that the work is well done and at the proper time.

Your obedient servant,

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

A. Ogletree Esq., Indian Agent, Portage la Prairie, Man.

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