Ottawa, November 19th, 1909.

sir,

Application has been made on behalf of Miss C. Toole, Teacher of the Salmon River School, for an increase in salary, and I have to ask you to be good enough to proceed to the reserve at your earliest conventence and make a thorough inspection of the school, dealing not only with the class work but also with the condition of the school-house, outbuildings, grounds, fences, etc.

In case you should decide to recommend that Miss o'Toole be granted an increase the Department would like you to take up with her the question of teaching sewing and the making of simple articles of clothing for the children in the school, and also to ascertain whether she would be willing to conduct a garden, provided suitable ground is available in the neighborhood of the school.

The Department will await your report on this matter.

Your obedient servant,

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A. J. Boyd, Esq.,

Indian Superintendent,

River Bourgeois, N.S.

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