Ottawa, May 28th, 1931.

Sir:-

With reference to the sale of Indian baskets, it is hoped that your efforts in this connection will be as successful this season and, if at all possible, more so than last year.

As you are aware, the baskets in storage have been purchased from the relief appropriation, and the proceeds from sales will be required to meet the relief expenditure. Therefore, it is desirable that you make every effort to dispose of the total stock on hand during the coming summer and early fall.

Kindly let the Department know in good time what newspaper advertisement will be required.

Your obedient servant,

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N.H. MacPhail, Eaq., Indian Agent, Perth, N.B. A.F. MacKenzie, Secretary.

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