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Ottawa, 21st December, 1914.

Sir,-

In reply to your letter of the 15th instant, with which you forwarded pay-lists of the distribution of interest money for the Fall of 1914 to Indians of the Sarnia Band, I beg to direct your attention to the following statement in connection therewith.

To cash from Department	\$2500.00	
By cash paid		\$1776.24
" " refunded		
For W. J. Proctor		222.95
" Coultis Bros.		22.03
" Band		45.00
" Loans		427.75
" Hospital		5.00
" Balance undistributed		1.00

According to the foregoing you should have made a total refund of \$723.76 to the Department, together with \$3.15 which you collected in cash from No. 79, and \$22.74 which you collected in cash from No. 192, which would increase the amount to be refunded to \$749.65. You actually refunded \$780.40, so that it would seem that you returned to the Department \$30.79 in excess of the amount which should have been refunded. This last mentioned amount will be returned to you upon the Department's receiving an assurance from you that you have not overlooked refunding any collections in cash, further than those stated, which you have received. In future you should always fill out the recapitulation page in the pay-lists

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