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Ottawa, May 18, 1918.

Sir,-

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I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 2nd instant in regard to the re-opening of the Mistawasis Day School and stating that you have a son, who will have a Third Class Certificate, who could take this school through May and June and a daughter holding a Second Class Certificate who could teach during July and August.

In reply I beg to say that the Department approves of the arrangement you suggest being carried out and your son may take charge of this school for the balance of this month and the month of June and your daughter during July and August and they will be paid at the rate of \$400.00 per annum for the time they teach.

The Department, however, wishes this school to be kept open for the whole day and, if the white people wish to send their children there, they may do so, but they must be taught with the Indians.

As you suggest, the midday meal should be cut out.

Your obedient servant,

and Secretary

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

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