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Ottawa, July 11th, 1912.

Sir:-

I am in receipt of your letter of the 30th ultimo, with which you forwarded your salary pay-list for June quarter; and in reply I beg to say that it is noticed that the salary of the caretaker of the school house has been increased from \$35.00 a year to \$44.00 a year, and no authority for the increase is queted on the pay-list. It has not been found possible to trace in the Department any authority for the increase and therefore a reduction has been made. The caretaker is being paid at the rate of \$35.00 a year. You should furnish an explanation in the matter.

I have to point out that all pay-lists which you submit to Head-quarters should be made out in duplicate. Copy of the pay-list is being cent you in order that it may be signed, after which it should be re-enclosed to Head-quarters.

Cheques Nos. 1887 and 1828 are transmitted herewith.

Your obedient servant,

Asst. Deputy and Secretar

E. Beattie, Heq., Indian Agent, Highgaie, Ont.

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