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29th March 6

Sir,

With further reference to your letter of the 20th ultimo, on the subject of your allowance for travelling expenses, I have to inform you that, when the additional allowance was made you, it was to have reference to the future and not to the past; and therefore your claim for arrears cannot be allowed.

I am,

Sir,

Your obedient servant
~~W. H. ...~~
 for the Deputy of the Dept. Genl.
 of Indian Affairs.

Mr. John Bourgeois.
 Secret Bailiff.

Post Office, Ont.