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Ottawa, December 5th., 1917.

Sir,-

I am in receipt of your letter of the 1st instant, with which you forwarded an account of \$15.00 in favor of Mrs. David Sampson for services as caretaker at the Anglican School on the Sheshegwaning Reserve from the 1st September to the 30th November; and in reply I beg to request that you will make report as to the nature of the duties of the caretakers at the two school on the Sheshegwaning Reserve. As the teacher in each case lives in the residential part of the building, it is assumed that they attend to the furnace fires and it would seem that the only duties to be performed in the way of janitor work are to care for the school rooms which have to be swept regularly, and scrubbed occasionally, and the wood-work washed. If this supposition is correct, it is considered that \$3.00 a month for the school months is a fair rate of payment. Pending your report in this matter payment of the voucher in Mrs. Sampson's favor will be withheld. Kindly make report without delay.

Your obedient servant,

*L. M. Lean*

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

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