Ottawa, January 28, 1915.

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I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter sir.of the 23rd instant in reference to your requisition of the 5th of December, last, for a supply of blank forms for the use of the schools in your agency.

With reference to your request to be supplied with 200 forms of application for admission I beg to say that you have only two boarding schools in your agency. The Department sent you 50 forms, which was considered ample. Your request, to be supplied with 100 forms of requisition for school material was also excessive. The Department reduced this to 25, which should be sufficient for the use of these two schools for a considerable length of time. The same remarks apply to the supply of other forms asked for by you. The Department is at a loss to understand, without there is undue waste, why such a large order was request ed. The Department is, however, dupplicating the order for these forms sent you on the 12th of December, last, which will make a total of half the number asked for by you in your requisition of the 5th of December.

Your obedient servant,

R. S. McKenzie, Esq., Indian Agent, Kenora, ont.

Asst. Deputy and Secretary

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