

by Captain Dickens, who was for a portion
of the time in command of the Fort.
But with regard to the precedents quoted
by Mr. Macrae in section 10 of his
memorandum, it is proper that I
should state that Mr. Hester Reed,
Assistant Indian Commissioner, whose
account for board allowance while at
Piper's flat during
the Indian troubles was allowed,
usually resides at Regina, which
is his headquarters, and that Messrs.
to whom a similar allowance was
made while confined at Edmonton,
is Indian Agent at Beauville, which
is 40 miles South of Edmonton.

The question to be decided,
is whether Mr. Macrae can be
allowed the amount of his claim
under the Order in Council giving
the board allowance of Agents while

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