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Ottawa, 13th October, 1905.

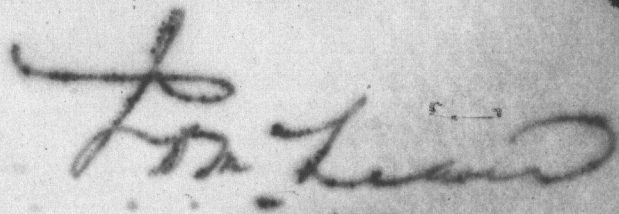
Sir,-

I beg to call your attention to Voucher No.333 in favor of Charles E. McGregor in payment for livery and stabling. It is observed that all the items therein were contracted during the months of February, March, April and May, in the fiscal year 1904-5; and it is considered unreasonable on your part to expect the Department to pay such accounts months after the fiscal year has expired, and the Appropriations have lapsed.

This account will be paid out of this year's Appropriation, and you must take the amount in consideration in your future expenditure during 1905-6, in order that the Appropriation may not be exceeded.

You are particularly requested to see that all unpaid accounts are sent in promptly at the end of the fiscal year in future.

Your obedient servant,



Secretary.

James Macarthur, Esq.,

Indian Agent,

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