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Ottawa 21st May, 1909.

Sir,

I have to inform you that Cornelius Barnhart, of Summerston has again made complaint to the Department that he has not received arrears of interest money due him, and that you have not replied to letters written you in the matter. It is desired that you will kindly furnish full explanations in the matter without delay, and if arrears of interest money are due that you will make application therefor. When writing you in the matter on the 3rd March the Department stated the Indian had written from Summerston. You stated in reply that up to that time you did not know his address. He again states that you have not answered his letters. It is difficult to understand why they should not reach you, and if received why they should remain unanswered. As pointed out the Department drew your attention to the fact that the man was applying for your arrears of interest. Upon receipt of the letter from Headquarters you should have given the matter the necessary attention. There should be no further delay.

Your obedient servant.



Secretary.

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