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Ottawa, 20th April, 1915.

Sir:-

Referring to letter of the 14th instant from your office asking for authority to repaint the gasoline launch of the agency; I beg to state that you are authorized to have this work done as economically as possible.

In this connection I have to call your attention to the fact that there was no appropriation made for this expenditure because you did not ask for it in your estimates. It was an easy matter for you to foresee this requirement when you prepared your estimates and insert an item therein for consideration.

Your obedient servant,



Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

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