

Ottawa, 19th May, 1909.

Sir,

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of Dr J. Chas. L. Bussier account rendered at \$156.00 which you forwarded, together with a letter which he addressed to you in regard thereto; and in reply I beg to say that in view of the charges made the question of payment can not be considered. The account is therefore returned herewith.

If the doctor was at Berceville when he was asked to render the attendance he should only have charged the usual mileage rate (50¢ one way) for the distance travelled in going to his patients.

The charges made for medicines are altogether too high. It is usual to allow 50¢ for each prescription. In cases where expensive drugs have ^{been} administered a charge of 75¢ or \$1.00 would be allowed. Kindly explain the matter to the doctor.

Your obedient servant.

L. G. C.
Secretary.

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