

them from my mind than to say anything which would justify such a conclusion on your part.

2.- What I did say, was that and nothing more; that the Government would furnish each farming instructor with a supply of provisions that would last him for a year, by which time he would be expected to raise crops, from which he would be allowed a living for himself and his family. In other words, that after the first year he would be allowed a living for himself and his family out of the products of the farm.

3.- The expectation of the Government being, that in the course of a few years each of those farmers in question would furnish a considerable amount of food supplies, which would be available for feeding the Indians in