

Indian Department
 Quebec 7th August 1853

Sir

With reference to the concluding paragraph in your letter of the 16th July last, submitting your claim to Clerkage at the rate of \$50 per Quarter from the 1st January to the 31st March 1853, in consideration of taking upon you the Superintendence of the Six Nations and the New Credit Indians. I am directed to inform you in reply that as the arrangement to which you refer was understood to have effect from the 1st January last, and as Mr Andrews pay only commenced on the 1st April the Governor General considers you fully entitled to the Quarters allowance from January to April, and accordingly I transmit herewith the Receiver General's Cheque N^o 459 in your favor for \$50.

David Thompson Esq
 S. J. A.

I have the honor to be
 Sir Your Obedt Servant
 J. Y. Chesley