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for the President's advice

Dominion Headquarters
Montreal
March 8th 1926

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Hon. Secy - L.P.F.
Saskatchewan

Dear Sir,

We beg to advise you that yours of March 1st in reply to ours of June 22nd 1925 has been duly received together with the enclosures therein, and the same will receive the consideration and action of the Council at their next meeting.

We regret to note that your statement to hand indicates clearly a misconception of the object and intention of this organization, as well as the conditions governing the Federal assistance afforded your province through the Headquarters of Last Post Fund.

Your statement shows, that obviously no attempt whatever is being made by those responsible for the administration of our work in your province, to supplement the financial assistance afforded them by us, or to conduct the work under our auspices, and in accordance with our system and regulations.

Your statement further shows, and it is fully apparent, that the funds remitted from us to date, have merely been used to liquidate accounts for funerals conducted by others and incurred by them. Furthermore, such accounts liquidated by the affiliated representation of L.P.F. in Saskatchewan, are in the main excessive, and without provision for completion of the work it is our duty to accomplish.

Your statement, and the Forms B. returned, finally show, there has been serious irregularity in the return of Sworn Declaration, and the liquidation of accounts that long ante-dated the promulgation of the government assistance accorded us, as well as the liquidation of an account where it was known that the estate of the deceased had ample funds to apply.

In view of the foregoing, we would not be justified in making favourable report to the government of the present application of the assistance afforded us for your province, and we are convinced it can be applied through re-organization to much better advantage, in consequence of which, certain recommendations will be made to the Council to that effect.

Believe me, very sincerely

Dominion Secretary-Treasurer
Last Post Fund