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Ottawa, 20th May, 1914.

Rev. 31r,-

In view of the explanations contained in your letter of the 13th instant, the Department has paid voucher No. 14 in your favor for hay supplied to Indians. Cheque No. 32 for \$19.7 is going forward.

The Department desires to impress upon you that in future you should not have any business transactions with Indians, nor should you at any time supply hay, fodder, or any materials to Indians in the expectation of being paid by the Department. When you receive authority to incur expenditure you should act upon the same, but you should not be a party to any purchase or sale which takes place. You are expected to purchase economically, but you are also expected to observe carefully the regulations as above set forth and I may say that they apply not only to you but to all Indian Agents throughout the Dominion.

Your obedient servant,

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Rev. R. L. McDonald, Indian Agent, St. Peters, F.S.

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