Ottawa, 5th May. 1911.

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The Indian Agent at the Peigan Reserve reports that the bacon delivered to him by you at Brocket Station is not in accordance with contract specifications in that it is not free from bone, there being an average of one pound of bone in each side or a total of about 45 lbs. in the whole consignment. In view of this report the Department will, therefore, charge you with 45 lbs. of bone at the contract rate and reduce your account accordingly. I may say however that the Department would much prefer that the contract specifications be strictly adhered to.

Your obedient servent,

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Asst . Deputy & Secretary

The Geo. Matthews Co., Hull, Que.

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