

has been reported.

In regard to the shipment made to Lloydminster for the Onion Lake Agency, namely, 350 sacks, I have to inform you that a sample has been received here and is reported as not being equal to the Standard sample, being dark in colour and sticky. The Agent has been instructed not to accept this consignment and to return it to you with the exception of 33 sacks which have already been delivered at the Agency. The balance he had not removed from the railway station and it is stored with Mr. R. W. Miller, of Lloydminster. It would not be accepted at any price and I am instructed to request you to replace it without delay otherwise the Department will be forced to purchase a similar quantity and charge you with the difference in price if any. The 33 sacks referred to will be paid for at a reduction in the price.

In regard to the delivery made at Vegreville for the Saddle Lake Agency, namely, 189 sacks, I beg to say that a sample has been received here and has been examined and is reported as not being equal to the Standard sample, being dark in colour, poorly dressed and is not suitable for bread making purposes. The Agent therefore has been instructed to return this to you at your expense and you are requested to replace it at once with flour equal to the Standard that is called for under your contract. It will not be accepted at any price and if it is not replaced forthwith the Department will be forced to purchase elsewhere and charge you with the difference in the price.

Your obedient servant,



Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

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