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Ottawa, 11th December, 1914.

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Sir,-

Referring to your letter of the 5th instant, enclosing voucher No. 4015 in favor of Mr. Budd Phelan for seed wheat for the Roseau River Bands, delivery to be made after the 1st April next, I beg to state that the Department does not consider it advisable to pay for this wheat before it is delivered. It would be more satisfactory if you would take over the wheat and store it away until required either in the local elevator or some other safe place. Payment of the account will be withheld until you have made some arrangement of this nature.

Your obedient servant,

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

R. Logan, Esq., Indian Agent, Portage la Prairie, Man.

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