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at the present time, and
hay would certainly be most
acceptable. I do not consider
that there would be very
many, but consider it in
some cases to be absolutely
necessary that hay be pro-
vided.

I therefore beg to recom-
mend that you allow me
to issue orders for hay
the same as for seed and
to ask that you give your
consent without delay.

I am Sir
Your obedient servant
E. D. Cannon

Supt

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