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February 10, 1919.

Dear Sir,-

I am informed by Commissioner Graham, of Regins who, you will remember, was appointed by Order in Council of 16th February, 1918, as Commissioner for greater production on Indian reserves in Man., Sask. and Alta. - that about a month ago he found it necessary, owing to the increased work of his office, to employ an extra bookkeeper, Mr. Alfred Garvin, and also an extra stenographer, Miss Beatrice Childs, the former being paid salary at the rate of \$1400.00 and the latter \$900.00 a year. By the Order in Council above mentioned the Department is authorized to charge the various expenses of the work of greater production, including salaries, etc., to the War Appropriation, and Mr. Garvin's salary is being charged to that appropriation. Miss Childs' salary, however, is being charged to Vote 246 "General Expenses, Man., Sask. and Alta." Will you kindly have certificates issued covering the employment of the above mentioned persons from about the 1st ultimo on the work of greater production on Indian reserves, their salaries to be charged as above indicated.

Yours truly,

The Secretary, Civil Service Commission, Ottawa. Deputy Superintendent General.

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