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Ottawa, 21st May, 1909.

Sir,-

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With reference to letter to you of the 15th ultimo, authorizing you to go to Prince Albert sometime in June next for the purpose of purchasing the implements and other articles required for your Agency, I beg to state that you should get prices from all the recognized leading merchants of the city for supplies of all kinds, and purchase from the lowest, the preference being given to those whose names are on the patronage list.

Mr. Inspector Chisholm was recently requested to obtain quotations from dealers in Prince Albert for implements, tools, etc. required for the Carlton Agency, and for your guidance I herewith enclose a list showing the lowest quotations received on some of the articles you will require, with the names of the dealers quoting the same.

I also enclose a list of the clothing allowed your Agency which has been ordered direct from the Hudson's Bay Co., Winnipeg, the same to be shipped to you either by the Canadian Northern Ry. Co. via Hudson Bay Junction, if delivery can be made on time by that line, or by the Saskatchewan River, via Prince Albert.

Your obedient servant,

*Lon Lewis*  
Secretary.

Fred Fischer, Esq.,  
Indian Agent,  
Pam Agency,  
via Hudson Bay Junction, Sask.