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Ottawa, 19th March, 1915.

Sir,

In view of the representations made by you and by Provincial Constable McDonald the Department has decided to supply a revolver to be carried by Joe Cawston, Indian Constable, Penticton.

As you are aware it is contrary to the policy of the Department to supply these weapons to its constables and it is only on account of the exceptional circumstances that would appear to exist in the district covered by Cawston, and because of the assurance that he may be trusted to exercise judgment in its use that it has been decided to make an exception to the existing rule in the present instance.

The revolver is therefore being forwarded to you under separate cover to be handed to Cawston.

Your obedient servant,



Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

A. McGraw, Esq.,

Inspector of Indian Agencies,

Vernon,

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