Ottawa, 26th September, 1910.

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Sir:-

I beg to inform you that Mr. George Long, Indian Agent for the St. Regis Reserve has been granted six months leave of absence from the 1st of October 1910. Consequent upon this arrangement, the Department has decided to place you temporarily in charge of the Agency. You will receive remuneration at the same rate as that allowed Mr. Long, namely, \$50.00 per year and commission of 10 c/o on all collections of rent made by you in any one year, and Si c/o per annum on the distribution of moneys made by you to the St. Regis Indians.

It will be your duty to visit the St. Regis Reserve regularly twice a month in order to transact all necessary routine business. Should any special business arise requiring your presence at the Reserve on other occasions, it will be your duty to attend promptly to the same. The present arrangement goes into effect from the 1st of October. Mr. Long, whose residence is at St. Regis, will hand you over all hooks and papers belonging to the Agency, and you will receive instructions at an early date with regard to your duties generally in connecbion with the administration of the Agency. You should apply at once to Mr. Long for the books and papers mentioned.

