

335.933/40.

Ottawa, December 15, 1914.

Sir:-

I beg to acquaint you with the fact that, there is in arrear on the E. 1/2 Sec. 17, Tp. 45, Rge. 18, W-3-M. the sum of \$1,263.20, composed of \$1,032.00 principal and \$231.20 interest, and to say that failure to make these payments is a serious matter to the Indians who are entitled to receive these funds in accordance with the terms under which they surrendered the lands for sale. Promises were made to them at that time which the Department is most desirous of fulfilling but cannot do so if the payments due on the lands sold are not made.

It is imperative to ask for payment as far as possible on the total arrears in order that faith may be kept with the Indians. I may say that the Department is prepared to allow a reasonable time for the payment of the arrears of purchase provided the above interest is at once forwarded, but if this is not done, it will be necessary to take up the question of cancellation of the of the sales.

Your obedient servant,

Assistant Deputy & Secretary.

Evaerist Heon, Esq.,
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Sask.

Sales	PA	Int
166-	480.00	144.00
167-	872.00	202.80
	<u>1,352.00</u>	<u>346.80</u>
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	<u>\$1,698.80</u>	

Bal to 2nd, all 9th 4th 5th 6th 7th
Instalment payable Nov. 3rd 1915