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~~Mr~~ E. Dewdney Esq
 Indian Commissioner
 Winnipeg
 April 17 1880

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Sir,
 Referring to your letter of the 17 February last and Mr Orde's telegram of the 14th of that month relative to Mr Sherrius' farming instructor at Battleford having traded Government provisions with Indians for furs for his own use. I enclose herewith copy of a letter from Mr Sherrius on the above subject in which you will observe he makes some serious charges against Mr Orde and states that those made by Mr Orde against him were unwarranted. You will be good enough ^{to make} enquiry into the matter referred to in Mr Sherrius' letter and report the result.

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Mr McNeil - Acknowledge Mr Sherrius' letter and inform him that Mr Dewdney has been written to on the subject.

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