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Sir,

. The Department desires that you will proceed on the 15th instant, to the Cape Croker Indian Reserve, and instruct the new Indian Agent, Mr Parke, in making the **distri**bution of interest money for the half year ended the 31st Mapph last to the members of the Cape Croker Band.

You should inform Mr Parke that he must not pay make payment upon any orders given by Indian payees in favour of merchants or others.

You should not allow any person to whom Indians are indebted to be present in the room where the payments are made.

When at Cape Croker you should examine Mr Whicher's book, and arrange with his Indian debters to consent to have deductions made from their interest moneys towards settlement of his accounts, it being understood that the moneys deducted will be forwarded to the Department to be paid out by cheque to Mr Whicher.

Your obedient corvent.

