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Sir,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 14th inst. enclosing copy of a letter from the Rev.d Principal of the Qu'Appelle Industrial School, explaining the shortages referred to in the Inspector Wadsworth's Report of his inspection of that Institution, and in reply I beg to inform you that the explanations given have been carefully examined and while the shortages have been accounted for, yet the Department thinks that some greater

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greater care should be exercised
in looking after the safekeeping
the articles supplied by the Insti-
tution. For instance, water
should not be allowed to be left in
pails or wash tubs in the winter
season for the simple reason that,
when frozen it will burst these
vessels. Neither should they be left
exposed to the summer heat
while empty. The pupils should
be carefully and continually
instructed by the Principal or
some one under him, how to
take proper care of such articles
as well as to return an article
to its place when finished using
it.

I have added with pleasure the
following

following remarks made by the
Principal in his letter: "We are
"getting more systematic, and the
"children more accustomed to order
"and discipline in every way; and
"worn out and mislaid articles when
"found, in future will be kept."

Your obedient servant,

Deputy of the Supt. Genl.
of Indian Affairs.