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My dear Mr. Tallman:

Reference is made to your Office letter of March 30, 1918 (Sacramento 03338 "K" LHM) addressed to the Register and Receiver, at Sacramento, California, concerning the allotment application of Frank Hoppis, in which the applicant is required to file certain affidavit evidence within thirty days from receipt of notice and, also to file an election as to which 80 acres of the 160 acres in his application he will retain.

We are now in receipt of a letter from Special Agent Dorrington at Reno, Nevada, in which he refers to a large number of notices to Indian applicants that have been received by him, and his inability to make the necessary returns in all cases within the time allowed. The Special Agent transmitted a copy of his letter of May 7, 1918, to the Register and Receiver at Sacramento requesting that summary action be not taken in this case until the matter can be given proper attention by his Office. The Special Agent reports that Frank Hoppis is making a conscientious effort to use the land legitimately. This Office will appreciate it if further action in this case is withheld until the Indian has had ample opportunity to comply with the requirements of your Office.

Very truly yours,

Signed) C. F. Hauke

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Chief Clerk

Hon. Clay Tallman,

Commissioner of the General Land Office.

Copy to Special Agent Dorrington.

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Mr. J. C. Kennedy,
Manhattan, Nevada.

Sir:

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of May 15, 1918, concerning the allotment application of Tim Hooper, a Shoshone Indian, covering land in Sections 21 and 22, Twp. 11 N. R. 46 E. N.D.W.

Prior to the receipt of your letter we received a copy of the letter from the General Land Office, dated May 3, 1918, addressed to the Registrar and Receiver, at Carson City, to which you refer. The matter was given prompt and careful consideration, and appropriate instructions were given to Special Agent Dorrington, at Reno, Nev., on May 18, 1918. Inasmuch as the Indian has shown unusual energy in the matter of residence, improvements and beneficial use of the land, every possible assistance will be given him to obtain title to the entire 160 acres embraced in his application. However, as he cannot acquire title to more than 40 acres of irrigable land, under the allotment law, the Special Agent has been requested to persuade him to change his application to an entry under the Indian Homestead Act of July 4, 1884 (23 Stat. L. 76-96). The last mentioned Act extends the benefits of the homestead law to persons of Indian blood, who are properly qualified as homesteaders, in addition to possessing the necessary qualifications as Indians, and no fees or commissions are required thereunder. Upon the making of satisfactory final proof in such cases patent containing 25 year trust clause is issued to the entryman.

Your interest in this matter is appreciated, as well as your previous efforts to help the Indian. Any further assistance that you are willing and able to give Special Agent Dorrington will be appreciated.

Respectfully,
(Signed) C. F. Hauke

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CC Special Agent Dorrington.

Chief Clerk

REPLY PLEASE REFER TO NO. 100000

Register and Receiver,
Carson City, Nevada.

Sirs:

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Office letter of March 4, 1917, received ad-
ditional evidence... his improvement
with the amount of...

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... of said land,
... said letter you transmitted
... April 2, 1918,
...
... consisting of a tract
... nearly all the land included by a canal,
... of irrigating ditches, 28.03 acres in
... and 17.07 acres cultivated.

It has further shown that the main ditch from
... intervals therefrom will irrigate
...
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...
... was for more land than could be
... section of the general
... states that an Indian
...

"... exceed, however, forty acres of
... land, or eighty acres of non-irrigated
... land, or 100 acres of non-irrigated
... or any one Indian."

Division of Immigration and Naturalization

Your letter of July 14, 1933, transmitted an application for entry as a homesteader to an Indian born -
and was received at this office on July 14, 1933. (23 Stat., 120)
The application will be allowed, or will be denied by
returning the time a proper homestead application under
Act Oct. 3, 1917, on form 4-007. Should such
application be duly filed, you will allow the same,
making appropriate reference to this letter by initial
and date as your authority therefor. You will make
an entry of such a letter when said entry is allowed,
and will advise the applicant of the result of his
application. The result of this office

As the record in appears that applicant is
now able to show satisfactory compliance with the Act
of June 1, 1911, (37 Stat., 133), as to residence and
qualification, and could therefore submit claim papers at
any time, or he may offer same within five years from
date of allowance of his homestead entry.

Very respectfully,

Commissioner.

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Case No. 10, 1918

Proposed change of allotments
to consist of entry.

Register and Receiver,
Carson City, Nevada.

Sir:

On January 28, 1918, Mr. Bowen, of Lamoignon,
Nevada, advised that he had applied for
a change of allotments on the lands described in
the application of the 20th of February 1918,
S. W. 1/4, 2041, and Section 17 of the 1st of June
1906 135 1st., 3551, for the NE 1/4 NW 1/4 and SW 1/4
Section 21, and NE 1/4 NW 1/4 Section 22, T. 11 N., R. 26 E.,
N. 3. E., alleging actual settlement on the lands applied
for.

Office letter of March 2, 1918, required ad-
ditional evidence as to the character of his improvements
and his intent of his use or occupancy of this land, as

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welt to the character of said lands.

In response to said letter, the undersigned
has advised that the lands described in the letter of April 1, 1918,
and which appear to be irrigated by the ditch from the
said canal, are in fact irrigated by a ditch from the
said canal, and the lands described in the letter of April 1, 1918,
to the extent of some 1000 acres consisting of 6000, 1000, 1000
acres, 5000, 5000, 5000, 5000, 5000, 5000, 5000, 5000,
over two miles of irrigating ditches, 38.03 acres in
meadow and 17.07 acres cultivated.

It was further shown that the main ditch from
Andrew and the laterals therefrom will irrigate the
lands described in the letter of April 1, 1918, and the
lands described in the letter of May 3, 1918, and that the
said lands are in fact irrigated by the ditch from the
said canal, and the lands described in the letter of April 1, 1918,
to the extent of some 1000 acres consisting of 6000, 1000, 1000
acres, 5000, 5000, 5000, 5000, 5000, 5000, 5000, 5000,
over two miles of irrigating ditches, 38.03 acres in
meadow and 17.07 acres cultivated.

It is noted, however, that some of
the lands, to wit, 1000, 1000, 1000, 1000,
1000, 1000, or 1000 acres of the lands
described in the letter of April 1, 1918,

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Your letter of May 24, 1914, transmitted an application to change said allotment to an Indian homestead under the act of July 4, 1864 (23 Stat., 96). Before said change can be allowed, it will be necessary for him to file a proper homestead application under said act of July 4, 1864, on form 4-007. Should such application be duly filed, you will allow the same, making appropriate reference to this letter by initial and date as your authority therefor. You will make report by special letter when said entry is allowed, and upon such report allotment application 08984 will be closed on the records of this office.

It appears that allottee is in compliance with the act of July 4, 1864 (23 Stat., 96), as to residence and cultivation, and could therefore submit final proof at any time, or he may offer same within five years from time of allowance of his homestead entry.

Very respectfully,

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Commissioner.