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Correspondence is primarily between representatives of the Indian nations and the State Education Department's Bureau of Instructional Supervision, with occasional evidence of legal advice provided by the Department of Law. Transactions documented relate to the Allegany, Cattaraugus, Poospatuck, St. Regis, Tonawanda, and Tuscarora reservations.

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