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Hon. John Oliver,
Premier of British Columbia,
Parliament Building,
Victoria, B. C.

Dear Mr. Premier:-

I had hoped that during your recent trip east you would have spent some time in Montreal. Press despatches a few weeks ago stated that such was your intention and a few old British Columbians living here looked forward to your arrival. Upon inquiries which I made yesterday at Ottawa I learned that you had returned to the Coast.

I wish this letter to serve as an introduction to you of Major-General Sir Frederick Loomis, who is the Loomis of the contracting firm of D. G. Loomis & Sons.

I learned to know General Loomis very well during the War. He is a man of great ability and high integrity. He is capable, resourceful, reliable and trustworthy.

I know that he is going to British Columbia with the hope that his firm may tender successfully for railway work which your Government intends undertaking. He deserves every consideration and I would regard it as a personal favour if you would do everything possible towards