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THE PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA  
VANCOUVER, B.C. May 19th- 1914

H. Gibbons, Esq.,  
Asst. Secretary,  
Royal Commission of Indian  
Belmont House,  
Victoria, B. C.

Sir,-

I find on my return to town that your letter of May 12th has been answered in my absence. I am, however, writing to say that I regret that the Commission was not forwarded a copy of my circular letter, and to explain that the reason that this was not done, was because I went over to Victoria just before going away and took a copy of the letter with me expecting to be able to call on the Commission and present it personally, and also to make an explanation of what I had done as regard to the Black ducks, which were not mentioned in the circular, unfortunately my time has been so fully occupied that I was not able to do this, since I have been away.

With regard to the Black ducks, though the Order-in-Council that I mentioned to you was passed, the Act did not give sufficient power to allow these privileges to be extended to Indians far enough south.

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