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Portage la Prairie, Man.
August 18th, 1922.

The Secretary-Treasurer,
City of Portage la Prairie,

Dear Sir:-

-Re O'Reilly-

We beg to advise you that our firm has been consulted by Mr. B. J. O'Reilly with reference to the situation which at present exists adjoining his property on the Assiniboine river.

As you are no doubt aware the flow of the River at this place has been deflected and the sewerage is being emptied into the ground at this place and is creating a serious nuisance and menace to health at this point.

Mr. O'Reilly realizes that it is a serious matter for the City as well but in this connection we would like to point out that for several years Mr. O'Reilly has repeatedly drawn the attention of members of the City Council to the state of affairs which existed there and further pointed out that the present condition of affairs might some day exist and that they should take steps than to make certain that it could not possibly come about but they have chosen to ignore it, and for this reason Mr. O'Reilly insists now that some action be immediately taken by the City to eliminate the trouble.

If within a reasonable time some steps are not taken we have instructions from Mr. O'Reilly to take action against the City and apply for an injunction to refrain them from emptying

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