

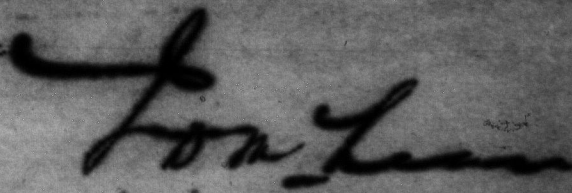
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Ottawa, 26th May, 1904-

Sir,

In reply to your letter of the 11th Instant, with further reference to Lot 17, Con. I, Sarawak, and enclosing certain documents in support of title to this property, I have to inform you that the same are satisfactory. It is observed, however, that the heirs and heiresses of the late owner sign their names as Nicoll, but upon reference to the entry of Sale in the Books of the Department, it is found that the name is entered as Nicholl. You will, therefore be good enough to furnish the Department with a Statutory Declaration as to the correct spelling of the name, ^{and that they refer to one and the same person.} It will also be necessary to furnish information as to the place of residence and occupation of the applicant for Patent, Mr. Charles Nicoll, Administrator. The information and declaration should be filed with the local Agent, Mr. W. J. Ferguson, of Winton, who will, if all is satisfactory, forward the usual requisition for Patent to the Department. I am enclosing herewith Letters of Administration to the Estate of Alexander Nicoll, as requested.

Your obedient servant,



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Secretary-