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Duncan, B. C.,
May 21, 1947.

Major D. M. MacKay,
Indian Commissioner for B.C.,
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VANCOUVER, B. C.

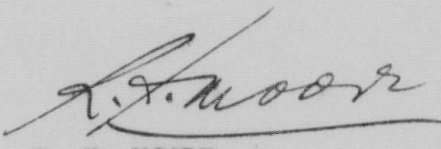
Re: Timber Licence No. 266,
Chemainus I. R. #13.

Replying to your letter, above noted, and further to previous correspondence, I beg to submit, herewith, in duplicate, a letter from the Standard Logging Co. which I trust may be found self-explanatory.

You will note that the company has agreed to paying rental on 1612 acres and also the revised stumpage charges as conveyed in your letter of May 10th.

The correspondence referred to of last October and December is already on file in your office, as well as a copy of my letter of February 10th. Major MacKay is, I think, fully conversant with the situation regarding the establishment of a portable saw-mill on the Reserve so that the scattered clumps of timber and small logs can be salvaged to better advantage. I feel, too, that the only objections raised by the Commissioner have been taken care of with respect to the disposal of refuse and sawdust.

In recommending that approval be given to this application the only proviso, which I think should be added, is that the prices being paid should be subject to review at least once a year.


R. H. MOORE
Indian Agent.

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