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Ottawa, 11th August, 1913-

Dear Sir,

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 5th Instant, in regard to request of Mr. Edward Rodgins for a remission of Interest on the balance of Principal in arrear on the purchase of Lot 7, Con. 20, Keppel.

Some years ago the price of this Lot was reduced from \$1.50 per Acre, to \$1.00 per Acre, and the Interest on such reduction, remitted , which action was taken under authority of an Order in Council based on special Examiners' report.

The Department regrets that it is unable to meet Mr. Hodgins' wishes in this regura, as remission of Interest can only be made under authority of Council, based on a report of special examination, which would warrant such remission.

Yours very truly,

W. S. Middlebro, Beq. M. P.

Owen Sound,

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Assistant Deputy & Secretary

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