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Frank Peck, Esq.,

Supp. Secy. of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa.

Dear Sir:-

No. 330,490.

I have been handed your communication of the 29th. inst. in regard to British Columbia Electric Railway Company's trespass on the Matsqui Indian Reserve, and in regard to firm's request to allow the Department's claim to stand until Colonel Thompson's return from England.

In this communication the Assistant Deputy and Secretary states that the Company in the meantime must deposit the balance claimed, and they have been so advised.

If not bothering you too much I wish you would look into this matter and see if there is not some way of having it stand over until Colonel Thompson's return, as I really know nothing whatever about it.

I expect the Colonel back early in September, and he would then take the matter up with you.

Yours very truly

Robert A. Pringle

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