

May 9th, 1925.

Personal and Confidential

Colonel Cortlandt Starnes,
Commissioner, Royal Canadian Mounted Police,
OTTAWA.

My dear Commissioner:-

With further reference to our correspondence (your Ref. No. 153) with reference to Inspector W.P. Lindsay of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, I wish to tell you that all his outstanding debts have been paid and a firm promise exacted from the Lindsays to live within their means in future. I believe he has instructed the Paymaster to forward his cheque monthly to the Bank of Montreal in Edmonton.

As I intimated to you in Ottawa Colonel Herbert Molson has been responsible for putting Lindsay on his feet again, Lindsay being a cousin of Mrs. Molson. I do not believe that you will have any reason to fear that complaints will reach you in the future regarding unpaid debts, etc. Naturally the Molsons hope that in the circumstances any promotion to which he would naturally be entitled will not be delayed on account of the fears you have had in the past.

With all good wishes, I am,

Yours faithfully,