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December 13th, 1901.



The Secretary.

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ont.

Dear Sir;--

Re 227-950

You will remember our application for a portion of Mt. McKay on the Indian Reserve near Fort William, consisting of about 100 acres of table land and about 10 acres bordering on Loch Lomond, with a right of way extending from Mt. McKay to Loch Lomond. You advised us on the 3rd of January last that the Indians had refused to assent to a transfer of any portion of Mt. McKay at the present time and we asked you in our letter of the 17th of January to file an application so that should a surrender be permitted later, it would be on file and considered by the Department in priority to others. We had a letter from you in return acknowledging our position.

We are advised now that Messrs Mackenzie & Mann of Toronto have made or are endeavouring to make arrangements with your Department for the taking over of the whole Indian Reserve, including Mt. McKay and including the property applied for by us. We write to remind you of our application and your promise to give us the first chance as to Mt. McKay and the right of way.

We cannot believe that the information we have,

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