

Ottawa, October 31, 1917.

Sir:-

E. 1/2 Section 17, Tp. 45, Rge. 18, W-3-M.

I have to say that the Department will expect you to reply to this letter without fail on its receipt, setting forth what you propose doing, in the matter of the payment of the due and overdue instalments on account of this half section. Owing to your having paid but the first instalment in full, and that over eight years ago, it is now assumed that no additional payment will be forwarded, and that you will therefore have no objection to the cancellation of the sales. I am writing this letter in the hope that your immediate attention will be given to this long standing account, and thereby prevent our taking distasteful action in order to make the collection. On the 3rd proximo there will be payable \$2,570.00, made up of \$1,992.00 principal and \$578.00 interest. By your forwarding the interest due and a payment on account of the principal, the Department will allow that balance to stand until the fall of 1918.

Your obedient servant,

W. A. Ott.

In charge Lands & Timber Branch.

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