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Ottawa, Dec. 21, 1914.

Sir,

Enclosed herewith is a copy of a letter received from Mr. A. F. Gothard, Secretary of the Bella Colla Conservative Association, in which he requests that this Department shall make an inspection of the damage being done by the Bella Colla River in the Indian Reserve. As you visited the reserve during the past season, I shall be obliged if you will give me a report as far as you are able on the subject, in the direction of what may be required and its probable cost; also whether the damage to be apprehended to the reserve will be such as to warrant any considerable expenditure.

Encl.

Your obedient servant,

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