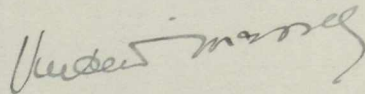


at your convenience as to whether this proposal is acceptable. I should be grateful to you if the matter could, for the time being, be kept confidential.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "J. S. Macdonald". The signature is written in a cursive style with a long, sweeping tail on the final letter.

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