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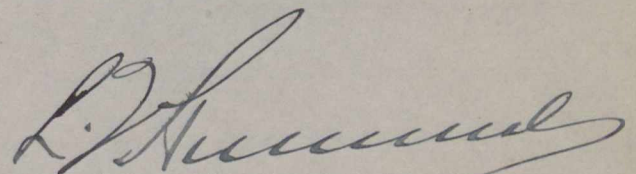
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Mr. Alistair Fraser,
Commission Counsel.

Returning herewith letter from Sir Arthur Currie to you, together with enclosure from Mr. Crandall, and which you sent to Mr. Dalrymple, I beg to advise that the latter has made a thorough canvass of his departments and is unable to find any position where we could utilize Mr. Crandall's services. I also have looked into the question and regret to advise that there nothing we can offer at present.

As you will appreciate, at the time of the amalgamation we had a surplus of employees, and from time to time since the amalgamation it has been necessary to reduce our forces. Naturally, when business picks up and conditions warrant taking on more men, it is but fair that we take care of the employees who have previously been let out of the service.

Under these circumstances, therefore, I am fearful that we will be unable to do anything for Mr. Crandall, no matter how much we would like to do so.


Assistant to the President.

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