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the month of October is in reality the pleasantest month at Kingsmere. I will probably not close the house out there for the year until the middle of November.

Mother seems to be doing se emingly well. She caught a slight cold on Sunday which up set her somewhat for the day but yesterday she was quite over the effects of it. There has been a steady improvement in her condition since she came up.

With best love,

Affectionately yours,

P.S. I think you ought to try and get your land from the Ontario Government at once. I am informed that the Grand Trunk Pacific is likely to run north of Lake Abittibi and the other railway run north through New Ontario and will probably cross it at that place so that if you still have any choice of land it might be well to have it surveyed in that way. Speak to father about it and see if you can secure there at once. I believe if you do not act at once you will lose the land altogether.

● King, Rt. Hon. William Lyon Mackenzie (MG  
● 26 J 7 vol.4) Family Letters July 1905

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