

EX-114

Ottawa, 11th April 1922

Sir,-

re-Melville-Regina Branch, G.T.P.  
Your file No. G.R. 3447

From your letter of the 21st ultimo, it is concluded that the point which it was intended to express in our letter of the 10th ultimo was not clearly understood by you.

If the plans as now submitted by you were approved by this Department and the plans registered, it would not be merely a matter of adjusting our records, inasmuch as these plans include within your right of way certain lands in the unsurrendered portion of the Pasqua Indian reserve for the sale of which to your Company this Department has not obtained authority.

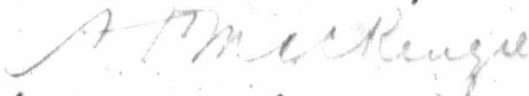
It is suggested that the simplest method for overcoming this difficulty is that your Company indicate on these plans the boundaries of your right of way in that location covered by the patent issued to your Company. This does not involve a change in the plotting of your present centre line but merely alters its relative position to the right of way boundaries. As indicated in Departmental letter of the 10th ultimo, this change would not decrease the total width of your right of way, but would show it to be, at the easterly boundary of the present reserve, approximately 198 ft., wide on the South side of your centre line and approximately 102 ft. wide on the North side. On the southerly boundary of the present reserve, the width would be approximately 49.3 ft., on the West side of your centre line and 50.7 ft., on the East side. When these changes are made, the plans could properly be approved by this Department and would, I think, comply with the requirements of the Province.

In view of the fact that the course suggested by you would necessitate the procedure outlined in Departmental letter of the 10th ultimo, it does not seem unreasonable to request your Company to adopt the simpler method to making the suggested amendments to your plans.

I may add that this change need apply only to that portion of your right of way, in the unsurrendered part of the Indian reserve, as the ~~control~~ <sup>title</sup> to those lands affected by your right of way in the surveyed part, has passed from the Crown to the purchasers.


Your plans are being returned under separate cover in order that the suggested amendments may be made.

Your obedient servant,



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