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SIR,-

Enclosed herewith is a copy of a plan filed in this Department by the Canadian Northern Railway showing the Right of way required for the said Railway through the Popkum Indian Reserve. I have to request you to examine and value the land to be taken and the damages incidental thereto and separately the damages, if any, to Indian improvements. The Indians interested will be paid for their improvements and the money received for the land itself will be credited to the funds of the band.

In this and all similar valuations you should consult the Indian Council and the individual Indians interested and endeavour to obtain their concurrence with such reasonable valuations as you may arrive at.

Indian improvements consist of buildings, cleared land, fencing, trees planted, wells etc. The plan may be retained for your use and record in your office.

Your obedient servant

Asst. Deputy Superintendent General.

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