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Ottawa, 5th August 1917.

Sir,-

Referring to your letter of the 10th ultimo I beg to inform you that the Right of Way Agent of the Canadian Northern Railway considers your valuation of the land in The Pas townplot required for a right of way for a spur line of the railway to be altogether too high. His valuation amounts to about one half of yours.

Mr. Inspector Jackson has been requested to proceed to The Pas at his earliest convenience to give his views thereon. Please hand him the copy of the plan showing the spur.

Your obedient servant,

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Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

S.L. McDonald Esq.,
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