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211 Ernest J. Chambers, Chief Press Censor
for Canada, to Geo. D. Perry, General
Manager, Great North Western Telegraph
Company

OTTAWA, ONT., ¹⁹JANUARY 19/16. (916)

Dear Mr. Perry,-

Supplementary to mine to you of
January the 9th in reply to yours of January the 6th
I beg to inform you that I have received a communication
from Mr. Malcolm R. J. Reid, Dominion Immigration
Inspector for British Columbia, at Vancouver, with
reference to his request to the General Manager of the
Western Union Telegraph Company of Vancouver.

Mr. Reid, who acts as Agent of the
Canadian Press Censorship system in Vancouver, is
engaged in certain very important and intricate inquiries
into seditious movements among the Chinese and Hindu
residents of British Columbia, and I wish that the
Telegraph Companies would do their utmost to assist
him in this work. Consequently, under the power
vested in me, as previously explained, under Order-
in-Council (2409) passed September the 24th, 1914,
I hereby require that copies of all telegrams received
in Vancouver to or from the Chinese National Reform
Association or League, be furnished Mr. Reid, also
copies of all telegrams received or filed in Vancouver,
addressed to or from any Hindu resident in British
Columbia or elsewhere.

I have the honour to be etc.

Sir

Your obedient servant,

ERNEST J. CHAMBERS.

Lt. Col.

Chief Press Censor for Canada.

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