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[E. Blake Robertson, Assistant Superintendent of Immigration, to William W. Cory, Deputy Minister of the Interior, re request for aid to Amar Singh. Copy]

No. [illegible].

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.

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Ottawa, 21st September, 1914.

Sir,-

Mr. Cory.

On February 4th, 1914, Amar Singh left for India via Seattle. On his arrival at Hong Kong, owing to the Singapore riots, he was unable to get passage to India, and in company with two or three other Sikhs decided to walk through to Rangoon via China. He had in his possession a letter signed by Mr. Malcolm R. J. Reid to the effect that he had been rendering assistance to the late Inspector Hopkinson in connection with searching into suspicious activities among the Sikhs in Canada. A report has reached Gunga Ram, brother of Amar Singh, that Amar Singh in company with his walking companions has been arrested at Kuo Mun, China, and Gunga Ram requests that through the proper channels representations be made as to Amar Singh's loyalty and his desire at all times to uphold constitutional authority which, I may say, has in the opinion of the Department his attitude while in Vancouver. Full description of this party is:- Amar Singh, son of Nahin Singh, village Sarjna, police station, Khali Pur, District, Kankar Pur, Punjab, India. I am merely acknowledging Gunga Ram's letter and stating that the proper authorities have been asked to deal with the matter.

Yours I. [illegible],

Asst. Superintendent of Immigration.

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