

[Robert L. Borden, Prime Minister, to Robert Rogers, Minister of Public Works,
enclosing Martin W. Burrell, Minister of Agriculture, to Borden, 25 July 1914]

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My dear Rogers,
The enclosed letter from Mr. Burrell explains clearly
how his letter from Vancouver informed me of
the situation which impaled him in connection
with a settlement of the long boundary dispute.
He was told by Commandant H. G. the "Pacifier"
that it was necessary to see him
or that no business would be done.
Under the circumstances Mr. Burrell
seems to have made some arrangements for
reimbursement of about £1000. I think
the cause was settled. And your letter
sets up the matter with me.
Yours faithfully,
Robert Rogers,
Minister of Public Works
Ottawa, Ont.

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Ottawa
July 25, 1914

My dear Sir Robert,
I have been trying to get a letter to you for
so many days and I am sorry to tell you that
it has been a difficult matter.
I qualified for the message, which the Duke
sent that he had been following for the Vancouver
office clerk and embassy. I have written
Fitzpatrick to say that if the Duke wants to
get a clear understanding of the whole
situation, he may be made Vancouver.

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