St. Paul, Minn., May 23, 1927.

Mr. H. A. Noble, General Manager, Glacier Park Hotel Co., Building.

Dear Sir:

Mr. Hogg advises me that he has a letter from the Inspector of Customs, giving a written summary of requirements with regard to the launch, which reads as follows:

"In regard to the boat to be operated on Waterton Lake by the Hotel company, you are advised that, if the boat in question is to remain under United States Registry the regulations as contained on page 21 of Departmental Memorandum No. 1155-B will apply in so far as the Canadian Custome is concerned, but if such boat is to be transferred from United States Registry to Canadian Registry. it will be necessary for duty to be paid on same. and in which case the regulations contained under the heading of 'Coasting Regulations in respect of British Registered Vessels' contained on page 22 of the said Memorandum willthen apply. The forms to be used in reporting vessel inward from a foreign port or territory are forms A-6 and A-7 respectively, and the vessel in question should be required to present a statement of passengers carried with each report inwards.

"I am directed by the Department to bring to your attention, as solicitors for the Hotel Company, the necessity of your advising the Department of Marine and Fisheries, Ottawa, in regard to this boat, so that any inspections required to be made by that Department may be given the attention deemed necessary. The scale of fees for inspection of steamships, is to be found in Departmental Circular No. 47-c, July 5th, 1920."

Very truly yours,

FGD/b cc-Mr.L.W.Hill

St. Paul. Minn., May 23, 1927. Mr. L. W. Hill. Chairman of the Board. Dear Sire I have just received a letter from Mr. Hogg, in which appears the following paragraph: "Before Mr. Noble comes it might be well if you were to consider and discuss any proposals that may reach the Company regarding improvement of the road from Cardston to Waterton Park. This question is becoming more acute with continued rains we are having and seems to be regaining attention of the authorities. Possibly there will be some communications reaching Mr. Budd regarding the matter." I understand that Mr. Noble expects to be at Lethbridge on June 4th and presume that he will be advised of any further conclusions which may be reached regarding the road before that time. Very truly yours. FGD/b ec-Mr.R.Budd Mr.W.P.Kenney Mr. A. H. Hogeland Mr.H.A.Noble

(C O P Y)

St. Paul, May 23, 1927.

Mr. Ralph Budd, President.

Dear Sir:

Re: Glacier Park, Mont. reservoir, Dam Site and Pipe Line.

Answering your letter of May 18th, in reference to easement from Mr. Dunham for pipe line over lots 8, 9, 10 and 13, Glacier Park.

You ask whether this includes all of the distance that the pipe line runs over land not owned by the hotel company. In reply I beg to advise that the remaining portion of the pipe line is covered by grant of easement from Horace J. Clarke and Helen P. Clarke, dated August 8, 1912.

Yours truly,

(Signed) JAMES T. MAHER,

Right of Way, Land & Tax Commissioner.

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Copy to: Mr. L. W. Hill:

This apparently takes
care of the matter.

Ralph Budd, 5/23/27.

COPY

May 23, 1927.

Wm. H. Heck, St. Paul. Minn.

Dear Sir:

After consulting the other two parties (E. C. Hughes, and J. F. La Plante) we have considered your proposition from every angle, and decided we could not afford to sell the land or even the land and buildings separate, as it would be to much of a hinderance to our business, any other location here. But we will sell you the whole outfit, land, buildings, all horses, about 50 head, complete camping outfit and all riding and pack saddles, for the sum of \$15000 cash, and turn the outfit over to you September 15th, 1927 (also our lease here)

We consider this the very lowest price we can sell for, and we will appreciate an early reply, as it will make a bit of difference in our plans for the summer.

Very truly yours,

W. V. Hughes,

E. C. Hughes

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Yours very truly,

(Signed) A. B. Mackay.

President, Calgary Automobile Club Vice President, Alberta Motor Association.

ABM/P

Copy to Mr. Ralph Budd, Mr. W. P. Kenney, Mr. F. G. Dorety, Mr. H. A. Noble.

For your information.

Louis W. Hill, 5/26/27.

St. Paul, Minnesota, May 24, 1927.

Mr. W. R. Mills:

The last number of the National Geographic Magazine contains a very great number of pictures of flowers in colors. It occurs to me it might be well to get say 500 of them for sale at Glacier Park, etc.

Louis W. Hill.

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St. Paul, Minnesota, May 24, 1927.

Hon. W. A. Buchanan, Lethbridge, Alberta, Canada.

Your message sixteenth and letter eighteenth about Waterton Park highway. Matter of waiving interest on bonds was taken up before and we reached conclusion then that it was impossible for us to consider this suggestion. Therefore, it seems nothing could be accomplished by sending representative to see you and Premier. We have gone ahead in good faith with Prince of Wales Hotel spending approximately one half million dollars for first unit, and we feel Government should put road from Cardston to Waterton Park in condition for all weather use. Understand for month or more road has been practically impassable.

Ralph Budd.

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Copy to: Mr. L. W. Hill / Mr. W. P. Kenney Mr. A. H. Hogeland

St. Paul, Minn., May 24, 1927 Mr. L. W. Hill. Chairman. Dear Sir:-Concerning progress new hotel at Waterton Lakes Park: The frequent snow and rain storms since the early part of March have kept the road from both Cardston and Hill Spring in an almost impassable condition. Assistant Engineer Parker reports May 19th as follows: "Hauled from Hill Spring the past week one carload of wood pipe and fittings. Have left at Hill Spring to haul, unloaded from cars, one truck load Diesel engine parts, two boilers, one carload wood pipe. Have hauled from Cardston past week half car cement and quarter car lumber. Also about four ton of miscellaneous local freight. Have at Cardston unloaded from cars: 1 car cement, 1 car lumber, 1 car Diesel engine and parts, 1 car numps, Buda engine and parts, 1 car fire brick and clay, 1 car (5) oil tanks. "Roads had started to dry out and harden the first part of this week, but since then it has been raining and they had about one foot of snow at Cardston last Tuesday night, which has put the roads in bad shape again. Impossible for trucks to haul now and had two loads of lumber come in today by team that had to unload part of their loads in order to come through, the full loads sinking in up to the hubs in places - these loads from Cardston. / Had a load of lumber on the way from Hill Spring the past week that mired so deep it was impossible to pull out and was left standing. This was a four horse team outfit. It is still raining, generally with a north east wind with no signs of breaking, and believe it would be almost impossible to haul the boilers from Hill Spring within possibly two weeks (that is if it clears up now)." Also I quote wire received from him dated May 23rd: "No outside work done account snow and rain since last wire. Two feet snow outside park and/one foot here. Attempting to skid boilers here, putting on more team outfits hauling, as trucks not able to haul for at least two weeks. Telephone lines down. Weather clearing today." This situation is interfering seriously with the completion of the job. Yours truly, A.M. Hogeland Cy:- Mr. Ralph Budd, Mr. W. P. Kenney, Mr. H. A. Noble

St. Paul, Minn., May 24, 1927 Mr.L.W.Hill Chairman of the Board. Dear Sir: Referring to your inquiry of May 31st regarding liquor license. Mr. Hogg wired me yesterday as follows: "HAVE LIQUOR COMMISSIONERS LETTER OF MAY SEVENTH CONFIRMING CRAL MESSAGES NO FORMAL LICENSE PRESUMABLY COMMISSIONER AWAITING COM-PLETION OF BUILDINGS AM URGING ACTION TODAY" Yours truly, FGD s

St. Paul, Minn., May 25, 1927.

Mr. L. W. Hill,

Chairman of the Board.

Dear Sir:

I wired Mr. Hogg yesterday as follows:

"We have been deferring construction of annex at Waterton to contain beer parlor until license actually issued. Do you think it safe to proceed without waiting for license? Perhaps explanation of this situation to commissioner would hasten action."

I have just received his reply as follows:

"License will not issue until premises erected but positively reassured today of issue in due course."

Apparently the Commissioner is not willing to issue the license in advance of construction, but you will note from the above that Mr. Hogg seems to have positive assurance that it will be issued when the building is erected.

Very truly yours,

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St. Paul, Minnesota, May 27, 1927

Mr. Louis W. Hill:

Attached hereto is an outline of the proposed organization for the operating force at the Prince of Wales hotel:

we have already employed the Manager, and he has the work of organizing his force under way. The total force as shown hereon is 74 people. When the Beer Parlor, which has not yet been erected but plans for which are under way, is completed, it will probably take at least 6 more people, - two maids to look after the 37 rooms upstairs and at least four people in connection with the Beer Parlor.

W. P. Kenney

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PROPOSED ORGANIZATION FOR OPERATING FORCE OF PRINCE OF WALES HOTEL

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Superintendence	1	Manager
Front Office	1	Chief Room Clerk Asst. Room Clerk Night Room Clerk Cashier - Phone Operators
Porters - Bellmen	3	Head Porter Bell Boys Pages Lobby Cleaner
Protection		House Officer - Doorman Watchman
Dining Room	1 12	Head Waitress Door Girl Waitresses Bus Boy
Kitchen	3 1 1 1 2 1	Chef Cooks Baker - Pastry Glass & Silver Washers Vegetable Cleaner Fruist & Salad Girl Dish Washers Pot & Pan Washer Kitchen Porter Fireman
Room Service	6	House Keeper Maids - House Maid - Help Room Scrub Girl Houseman
Laundry	1 4 1	Foreman - Washer Mangle Girls Hand Ironer
Power Plant 7 -	13	Engineer Firemen
Commissary	-1 1	Steward Storekeeper Clerk Truck Driver

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Accounting Dept.	1 Chief Accountant 2 Assistants
Launch	1 Captain 1 Mate
Newsstand	1 Manager 1 Clerk
Soda Fountain	1 Dispenser
Transportation Desk	1 Agent
Total	74

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COMMUNICATED YOUR DESISION TO PREMIER BROWNLEE AM STILL STRONGLY OF THE OPINION WORTH WHILE HAVING PERSONAL INTERVIEW WITH PREMIER AS YOU MIGHT BE ABLE TO INFLUENCE HIM TO UNDERTAKE HIGHWAY THIS YEAR I KNOW HE IS IN A SYMPATHETIC MOOD

W A BUCHANAN



St. Paul, May 27, 1927.

Mr. H. A. Noble,

Manager, Glacier Park Hotel Company.

Dear Sir:

I have your letter of May 25th regarding question of ownership of the launch on Waterton Lake. I think that ownership had better be taken in the name of the Glacier Park Hotel Company in order to save customs duty and sales tax. The only objection to this that I know of is that the launch could not stop at more than one Canadian port. I understand from you. however, that this will not be necessary. If it is found desirable later title can be transferred to the Canadian company. In the meanwhile I will prepare an assignment of the present contract of purchase which stands in the name of the Janadian Rockies Hotel Company to the Glacier Park Hotel Company and I think that AFE had better be drawn in the name of the Glacier Park Hotel Company. I will arrange for inspection by United States Steamboat Inspection service and also by the Canadian service as requested by you.

> Very truly yours, (SIGNED) F G DORETY

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Mr. L. W. Hill Mr. Ralph Budd Mr. W. P. Kenney Mr. G. H. Hess MAKK

St. Paul, Minnesota, May 27, 1927.

L. W. Hill, Esq:

Please note the attached message from W. A. Buchanan of May 26. I think in view of the bad conditions of the highway from Cardston to Waterton Park we should absolutely refuse to make any further enlargement in our properties at Waterton Lakes until an adequate highway is provided by the Government either to connect up the north and south highway through Cardston, or better still, the more direct line connecting with the highway north of Babb by way of Kennedy Creek.

Undoubtedly there will be periods of from a day to a week when people will be marooned at our hotel in the middle of the season until the roads are hard-surfaced.

Ralph Budd.

cc A. H. Hogeland, Esq:

Copy of Mr. Buchanan's message above referred to is attached hereto.

Ralph Budd.

CLASS OF SERVICE DESIRED WESTERN TELEGRAM FULL RATE DAYLETTE DEFERRED CHECK MESSAGE UNION TIME FILED Send the following message, subject to the terms on back hereof, which arefhereby agreed to May 31 - 192] Duar M. Hill (file) Referring to one phone tues this evening-Inale be 100% ready to do humanen at the Prince of Wales Hotel July 1 - 4 from themon regardless of the hater being xot complete; can produce a paying revenue for the bompany provide stone is complia. Please hels me with Joe Riller

St. Paul, Minnesota, May 31, 1927.

Mr. W. P. Kenney, Mr. A. H. Hogeland, Mr. H. A. Noble.

For your information I hand you herewith copy of Mr. Borety's letter May 51, which is self-explanatory:

Planse furnish me, promptly, with copy of the latest set of plans for the building contemplated for tap room, etc., so that it may be approved, if satisfactory, and work hurrled along as much as possible.

Louis W. Hill.

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Mr. L. W. Still Great Northern RR SiPaul

St. Paul, Minn., May 31st, 1927.

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Mr. H. W. Kask:-

Mr. P. M. Coates, Ramsey County
Engineer, has been collecting some information about golf
courses throughout the country. Unfortunately he has not
many figures available showing costs. I had a talk with
him this morning. He estimates a total cost of about
\$32,000 for grading, seeding and planting an eighteen hole
course, \$2,500 for equipment, \$4,000 for water system, exclusive of well, pump and tank. He believed that from
\$40,000 to \$50,000 would build a first class course at
Glacier Park exclusive of land and buildings.

I made some inquiries about the golf course at Jasper National Park on the Canadian National, but the conditions there are unusual in that practically all the soil used was shipped in. It is reported that the complete course cost in the neighborhood of \$200,000. It is one of the finest in the country.

E. H. Wilde.

W. Hill, Way 31, 1927.

Mr. Louis W. Hill,

Chairman of the Board.

Dear Sir:

Mr. Hogg writes me that he has received two letters, both signed by R. J. Dinning, the Liquor Commissioner himself, under dates of May 7th and May 25th, respectively, reading as follows:

"I beg to confirm my telephone conversation of this morning that the Board has decided to give favorable consideration to the Great Northern Railway Company's application for beer selling privileges in their hotel at Waterton Lakes."

"We are in receipt of your letter of the 23rd instant. In reply to your telephone conversation of this morning we beg to advise you that your clients, The Canadian Rockies Hotel Company Limited will require to complete their building before a beer license is issued. On the completion of the building an immediate inspection will be made by our officers and the license will be issued as soon as it is shown the Company has met all requirements.

"You will readily understand it is impossible for the Board to issue a license until the requirements as outlined in the Liquor Act have been fulfilled.

There will, however, be no delay in granting beer selling privileges when the building is ready for occupancy."

On the strength of the above assurance in writing, signed by the Commissioner, I should say that we would be perfectly safe in going ahead with the building.

Very truly yours,

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St. Paul, Minn., May 31, 1927.

Mr. A. Courtney Snow, The Royal Ottawa Golf Club, Ottawa, Canada.

Dear Mr. Snow:

In reference to yours of April 20th relative to the position of Manager for the Prince of Wales Hotel. I did not reply immediately because of the fact that it was merely a temporary, seasonal position and I could not offer employment the year around which I understand you felt would be necessary.

This is to advise, however, that we have completed arrangements for the position of Manager, having recently closed with a resident of Winnipeg, Mr. R. S. Harrison. I shall be glad to keep your name in mind in case anything comes up in the future in which I think you might be interested.

Yours very truly.

General Manager.

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cc Mr. Harry Kask:

Attached is a letter with reference to Mr. Snow. It occurred to me you might possibly wish to write Mr. Rogers in reference to same.

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GLACIER PARK HOTEL COMPANY

Mr. Harry Kask:

St. Paul, Minn., May 31, 1927.

I return herewith the notice dated April 8th in reference to bids on a piece of property on Two Medicine Lake which Mr. Hill noted to me.

I investigated and you will note no bids were received and it is still open for a bid. They state no bid will be accepted for less than \$120.00 per year. Also note that it has a lease limited to five years. I also note the rights of Indians to fish and camp on the leased premises are not abridged or denied.

I do not think the terms of the lease are very attractive to any one but I will discuss it with Howard Hays, Captain Swanson and others who might possibly be interested. If the property could be purchased, it would be a rather attractive fite. I understand it cannot be purchased until certain heirs become of age.

H. A. Noble.

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