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TORONTO

December 9th, 1916.

Jas. Goldie Esq.,

Okanagan Centre, B.C.

Dear Mr. Goldie:

RE BELLEVUE RANCH.

I have your letter of the 22nd, and wrote you in this connection on the 27th November. I have had nothing further from Lambert, and consequently no more progress has been made in getting the business wound up. I do not understand what he means in his statement by saying that -- "1 $\frac{1}{4}$ tons of Oats was left at Bellevue for Mr. Laidman for which a check will be sent to Mr. Goldie". My understanding was that all monies were to be paid in to the bank, and would like to know if this means that Rainbow is to be charged with this indebtedness of Laidman's, and if so, what amount.

I am to-day sending Heggie & DeBeck executed copy of the Laidman agreement, and also a draft to the Bank of Commerce in partial payment of Bellevue Ranch's indebtedness, but as soon as I get from you (after you have talked with Lambert) a statement upon which the thing can be intelligently wound up, I will be able to see where I am at.

I note bill of C.F. Williams for \$21. enclosed with your letter. The amount of this bill as given to me by Lambert was \$18., and in the copy which you have forwarded there is an additional item of \$3. for 2 settings of eggs. This I take it is Lambert's personal indebtedness, and please tell him the amount will be deducted in settling with Williams. I gather from what he said that he was breeding hens on his own account, and the shortage in the inventory would seem to bear this out.

Yours very truly,

J. E. M. Pallister