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# Legislating Love

The Everett Klippert Story  
by Natalie Meisner

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## CRADLE ROLL CERTIFICATE

This Certifies That

Kerrett George Klippert

Born September 5<sup>th</sup> 1926

Was enrolled as a member of the  
CRADLE ROLL DEPARTMENT  
of the Leavenworth Heights Baptist School  
of Calgary Alberta Canada

Katherine E. Thompson

Superintendent, Cradle Roll Department

J. B. Haynes

Director of Religious Education

Superintendent

Date Sept. 15<sup>th</sup> 1928

P. E. Brundage

Pastor





**Calgary School Board**  
**JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOLS**  
GRADES VII, VIII and IX

Report of Everett G. Klippert

Stanley Jones Junior High School

Grade VII School Year, 1941 to 1942

Frederick J. C. Seymour  
Room Teacher

To the Parent or Guardian:

The object of this report is to inform you of this pupil's progress in school studies and in development of citizenship qualities. The school obtains its best results when there is sympathetic co-operation between the parents and the teachers. The school endeavors to secure the same standards of obedience, truthfulness, cleanliness, application to studies, interest, regularity and punctuality as should obtain in a well-regulated home.

Good health is necessary for satisfactory progress and for interested participation in all school activities. Regular habits are beneficial. Late hours and attendance at movies should be discouraged except at week-ends.

A certain amount of home work will be assigned and parents are requested to make conditions in the home favorable for quiet, concentrated effort on these assignments. Pupils in these grades should spend an hour each school night on home studies. It is asked too, that parents encourage the reading of good wholesome books such as will be suggested from time to time by the teachers.

F. G. BUCHANAN,  
*Superintendent of Schools.*





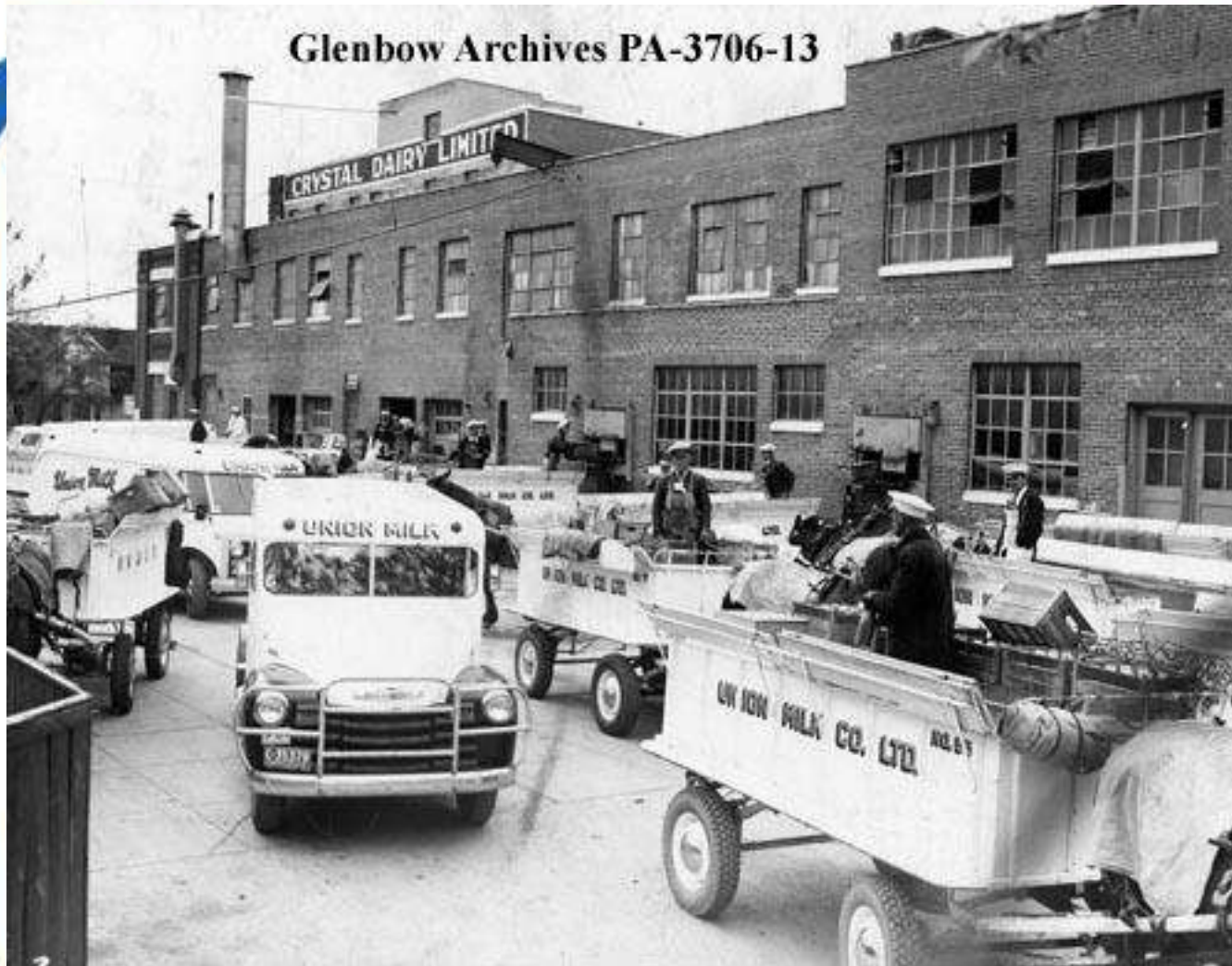
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## **Oh, Well, It Was a Swell Day for Pop, Anyway.**

Although the boys tried hard they couldn't quite give Pop a baseball victory for a Father's Day present but the old man had a swell time anyway. The "old man" is Mert Klippert, Sr., and the boys are his eight sons who got together over the week-end to field Calgary's first one-family ball club in a game that was lost to Jenkins Groceteria 8-2. Pictured above just before the game are the Klippers—back row, left to right, Fred, Bill, Everett, Elmer, Walter; front row, Mert Jr., Pop himself, Howard and Jack.



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Union Dairy

# Bus drivers on break



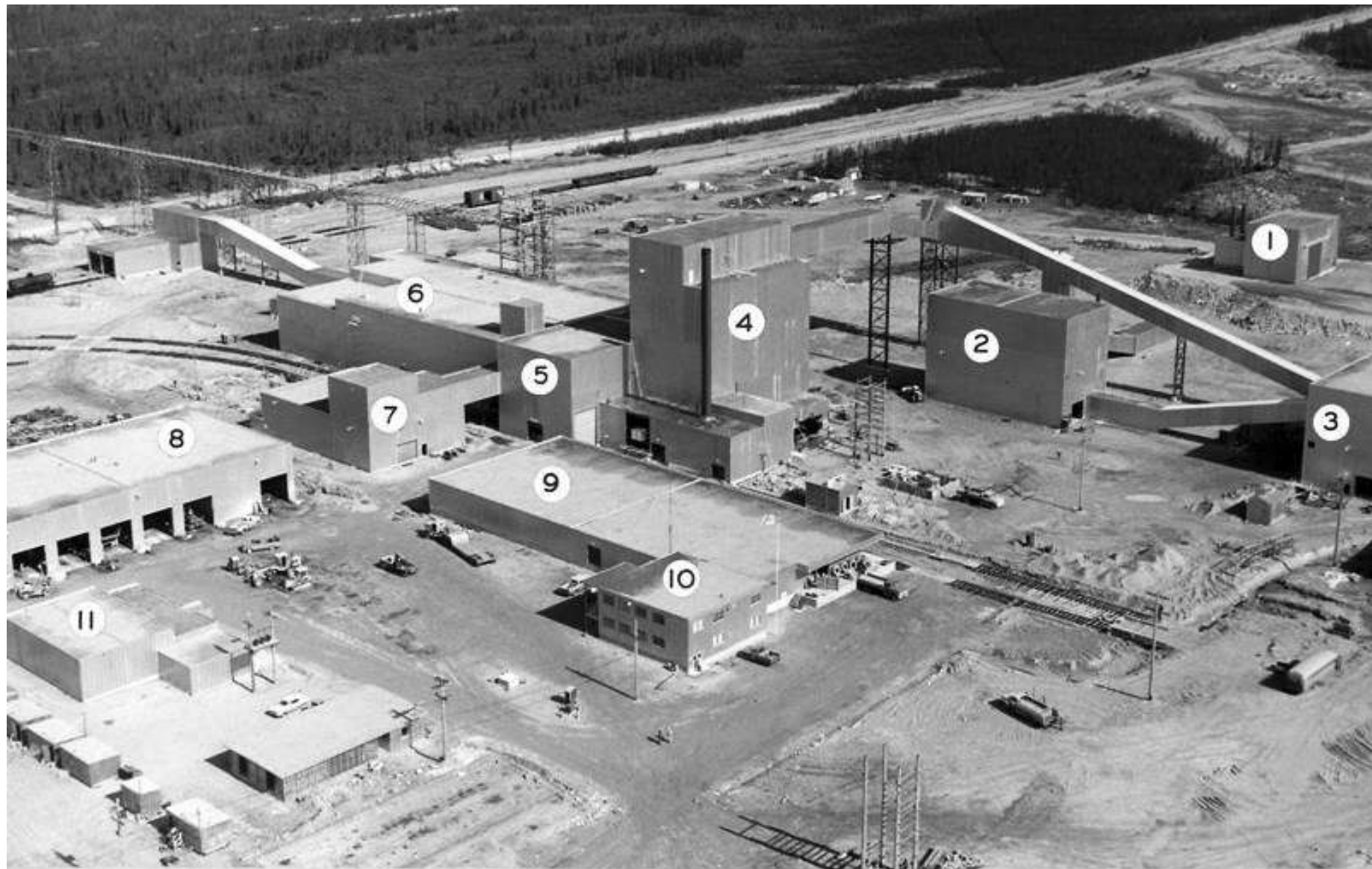






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SEPTEMBER 1965

PINE POINT MILL

- 1) Primary Crusher
- 5) Grinding Section
- 9) Warehouse

- 2) Secondary Crusher
- 6) Flotation
- 10) Office

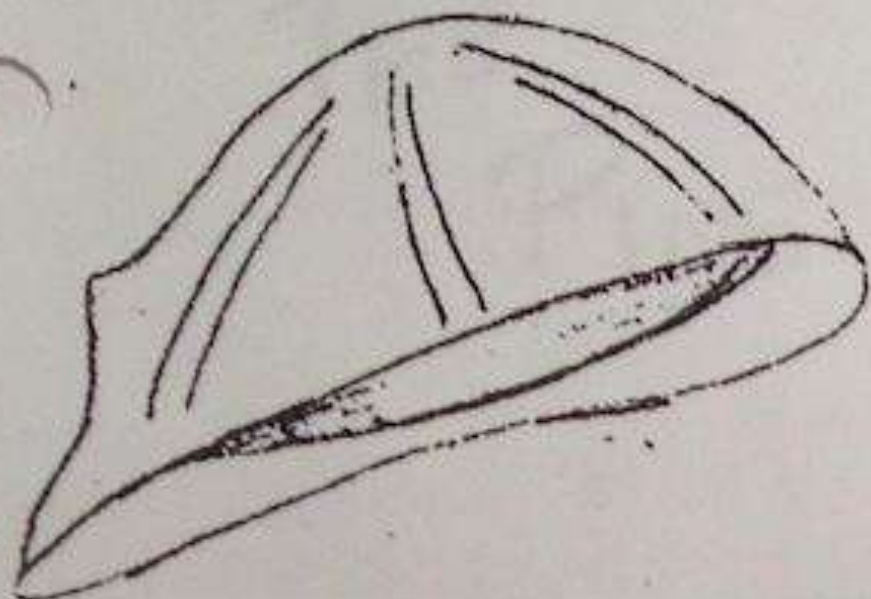
- 3) Ore Thawer
- 7) Water Treatment Plant
- 8) Garage
- 11) First Aid and Ambulance

# 'The Pine Pointer'

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From under

TOM'S  
HAT



## Random Ramblings

Hats Off Dept. ... To Ev Klippert, for being nice and giving a guy a ride ... To the energetic Electricians, who are working on the ball-diamond with a vengeance — could be these guys are out for blood?

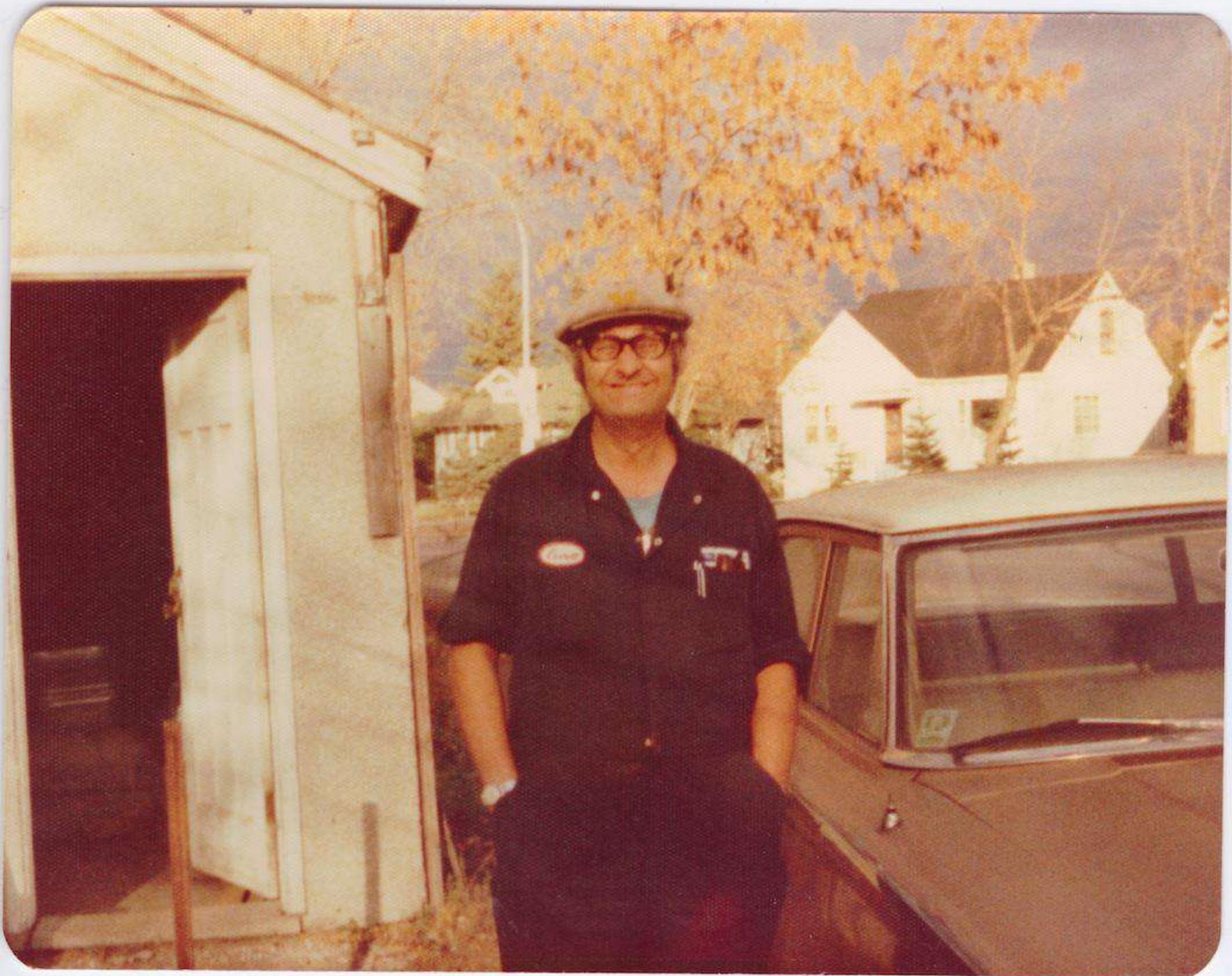






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# Editorial: Time to right the wrong of Alberta man sent to prison for being gay



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Prime Minister Justin Trudeau's office says it will recommend a posthumous pardon for Albertan Everett Klippert, and will begin a government review of hundreds of cases that saw gay men convicted for consensual sexual relationships prior to 1969. *ADRIAN WYLD / THE CANADIAN PRESS*

There are times when a society can look back at the historic record, scrutinize injustices and merely pledge to do better in the future. Then there are occasions that demand an official footnote be added to that record.

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June 17, 1975.

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Toronto, Ontario, M5W 1X9.

Dear Mr. Jackson:

Thank you for your letter of June 4 expressing your  
interest in the Klippert case.

I do not have Mr. Klippert's present address.  
Possibly you could write to him through his sister who is  
Mrs. Leah M. Stahr, 3240 Boulton Road, N.W., Calgary, Alberta.

With respect to the documentation in the Supreme  
Court of Canada, I can let you have copies of the written  
arguments and of the written materials that were filed before  
the Supreme Court of Canada. I do not have detailed documenta-  
tion with respect to the original trial in the Northwest  
Territories. If you wish us to obtain copies of the above  
documentation, please let me know.

Yours sincerely,

*Brian A. Crane*

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