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C. Deville

S. 2966.OFFICE OF DOMINION LANDS
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
OTTAWA, CANADA.Ottawa 5th October 1882

Dear Sir,

M^r L. A. Hamilton,
Surveyor to the Canadian
Pacific Railway, writes as
follows:

" I have been looking
" out for an agricultural
" expert to join on behalf of
" this office an expedition of
" a semi-scientific character
" and, as yet, I have not
been

Prof. B. J. Harrington
McGill College
Montreal

" been successful. Do you know
" of such a man? or possibly
" M^r Russell might know of
" some one well up in soils from
" a chemical and practical
" point of view"

Not knowing of any one
with the required qualifications,
I refer the matter to you
and I will be obliged for any
information on the subject
it is in your power to
furnish.

Yours truly
E Deville
Chief Inspector of Surveys.