

Forest Supervisor

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L - ACQUISITION, Superior, Purchase, Roadless Area (I.W.L.-Berglund)

Reference is made to your letter of April 30.

I attempted to contact Mr. Berglund soon after I received your letter last January, but at that time I learned that he was seriously ill at the hospital, and I felt it inadvisable to bother him. In fact I learned that he was so sick that it would have been entirely out of line to interview him concerning this matter. Subsequently I learned that his illness was becoming prolonged, but I did not obtain any information as to probable outcome. As you already know, Mr. Berglund passed away during the early part of March.

I do not know the status of his property at the present time but I will endeavor to find out who has been appointed administrator and obtain definite information on what can be done towards the purchase of his holdings. I believe the property may have been willed to a party who had been taking care of Mr. Berglund, and if so, undoubtedly they may be living at the place at this time. I will endeavor to contact this party as soon as I make a trip into Knife Lake which I anticipate will be within the next two weeks.

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