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Dear Bill,

I feel so very badly about that date above ... for I did so appreciate your kindness in sending to me a copy of your letter of 12 December to the University of Toronto Press, and the gracious personal note you added to it.

Please accept my thanks even at this late date. I am glad that you enjoyed the Ottawa book but you were so right in bringing to the attention of The Press the defect in your copy. (I hope they sent you a replacement!). They have such high standards, as our largest publisher, that they would want to be the first to know.

You set me back on my heels in asking if I had a list of the books I had written. I had never dreamed of making such a list! But on thinking about it, spurred by your request, I realised that I should have such a roster, instead of having to look up details when asked about specific publications.

So I put your letter to one side, until I had prepared the list (now attached) and that "did it"! Since the turn of the year, I have lectured at Waterloo, Billings Montana, Minneapolis and St. Paul, and at UNB in Fredericton, and so correspondence (with me as my own Secretary, as is very obvious) had to wait. I am sorry ... but (as you may know, too) the days are so short and so few.

It was good to hear from you again, and to know that you were well, as I am privileged to be also. I hope that our paths may cross again ... but the third edition of the first book listed is keeping my nose to the grindstone all year, from now on! So we won't be in Winnipeg yet awhile.

With warm regards,

Sincerely,
Rob.

Books of Robert F. Legget

Technical:

Geology and Engineering; McGraw-Hill Book Company, New York:

First edition 1939
Second edition 1962
Third edition in preparation.

Modern Railroad Structures; McGraw-Hill Book Company, New York:

Published in 1947; joint author with C. P. Disney.

Standards in Canada: for the Economic and Science Councils of Canada, published by Information Canada in 1971.

Cities and Geology; McGraw-Hill Book Company, New York:

Published in 1973.

Editor of:

Soils in Canada: Royal Society of Canada Special Publication No. 3,
published by the University of Toronto Press:

First edition 1961
Revised edition 1965

Reviews in Engineering Geology: Volume 1 - jointly with T. Fluhr:
published by the Geological Society of America,
Boulder, Colorado, in 1962.

Glacial Till: Royal Society of Canada Special Publication No. 12,
published by the Society, in Ottawa, in 1976.

General Books

Rideau Waterway: published by the University of Toronto Press

First edition 1955
Revised edition 1972.

Railways of Canada (or Railroads for N. American editions);
published in England by David and Charles, Newton
Abbot; in Canada by Douglas, David and Charles;
and in the U. S. A. by Drake Publishing Co., all in 1973.

Canals of Canada: published in Canada by Douglas, David and Charles;
and in England by David and Charles, in 1976.

Ottawa Waterway: published by the University of Toronto Press, in 1975.

Canadian Railways in Pictures: published in Canada by Douglas, David
and Charles; and in England by David and Charles, in 1977.