2. As a matter of fact there is already a precedent in which the Research Council nominated two persons for membership on the committee, one of whom was not satisfactory to McGill University. His name was immediately dropped and a person acceptable to both organizations substituted. I trust that this explanation will make the present position quite clear and may be of service in preventing misunderstanding regarding this committee in the future. Yours sincerely, S.P. Eagleson, Secretary-Treasurer. SPE/DE