



McGILL UNIVERSITY
MONTREAL

RECEIVED
MAY 22 1936

May
Twenty-first
1936.

A.E. Morgan Esq., M.A.,
Principal,
McGill University.

Dear Principal Morgan:

The Registrar has informed me that it is ultra vires to submit nominations for appointment of Research Associateships to the Board of Governors. He points out that such appointments are made by the Faculty of Graduate Studies and Research.

I have therefore removed from the list of proposed appointments the names of J.S.A. Bois and E.C. Webster.

There is no mention of the title of Research Associate in the statutes, but the following statement appears on page 383 of the current calendar:

"RESEARCH ASSOCIATES"

"Chairmen of Departments may recommend annually to the appropriate Divisional Committee, the names of research workers not proceeding to a degree, and not on the staff, for the title of 'Research Associate'. After their names have been approved by the Divisional Committee, they will be reported to the Faculty of Graduate Studies and Research for endorsement. Lists of such Research Associates will be filed in the offices of the Dean, Registrar, and Bursar, and names of Research Associates may appear in the Announcement. Recommendations should be made at the beginning of each session".

I call this matter to your attention as I believe that some revision of the procedure should be made. I cannot quite see why an official University title, which may be published in the Calendar, should be conferred directly by a Faculty without approval by any superior body.

Yours sincerely,

Queen Stradder

Bursar