August Sixth 1920. Dr. A. W. Thornton, 147 Grey Avenue, Montreal. Dear Dr. Thornton: -I thank you most sincerely for your kind note of the 4th instant. Naturally one felt very diffident regarding the part one had to play at the special Convocation, and I was glad when everything passed off so well. Those honoured were delighted with the ceremony and were pleased. as they very properly should be, with the distinction. I thank you for the assurance that everyone connected with the University stands ready to co-operate with me in every possible way. Loyalty amongst all members of the staff, no matter what position they occupy, is very essential to the up-building of any organization; and I am sure the sole desire of each one of us is to see McGill advance. I hope that you thoroughly enjoy your well-earned vacation. Ever yours faithfully, Principal.