

May 17th, 1932.

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Dear Mr. Fetherstonhaugh,

your letter of May 16th.

I have read with interest

The Committee on our McCord Museum, devoted exclusively to Canadiana, have often considered the advisability of making a beginning in collecting suitable material for a war museum. At the present time we have absolutely no space whatever for any such material. We have often thought of storing it in my house for the time being, until it could be displayed. We have made no effort to collect material; that is, we have not made it known that we would gladly receive it, largely for the reason that we did not know where to find a place to put it.

I agree with you that unless steps are now taken much valuable material will be lost. The Committee is fully alive to the necessity of taking such steps as you advise, but our handicaps are discouraging. Of course, we do not refuse material offered, finding space where we can.

Ever yours faithfully,

Principal.