

April 30th, 1925.

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Dear Mr. McHenry:-

In reply to your letter of yesterday in which you were kind enough to ask me to fix a date during May when it will be convenient for me to speak to the McGill Graduates Society.

I fear that there will be some difficulty about this. I am sailing for England on June 5th and will have an exceedingly busy time until then. After an unusually busy winter I had promised myself that I would not make any engagements other than those already made for any reason whatever. On the dates you have mentioned, May 15th and 29th, I shall be in Quebec at a meeting of the Council of Public Instruction on the 15th, and on the 29th we hold our annual Convocation. I also have an engagement for the 22nd. Owing to Convocation arrangements and important meetings of our Building Committee, who are giving most active consideration to the reconstruction of the Arts Building and desire to make a decision before I sail, any date after the middle of May is practically impossible. Let me say that I have been forced to forego attendance at the Conference of Canadian Universities.

However, your meeting must be held and McGill must be represented by somebody from here.