

To Dean Brown:

Do you know anything of this man?

February 5, 1932.

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Dear Sirs,

I am to-day in receipt of your letter of February 4th to which you attach a letter written by one Henry Foster to you from Vancouver and dated January 19th, 1932.

Let me say at once that no member of the Department of Mathematics at McGill University knows Mr. Peter Ivanoff of the Co-Motional Power Company. My statement that he spent the best part of two days with the Department of Mathematics at McGill University is untrue. From my reading of Mr. Foster's letter I would conclude that if he interviewed anyone at McGill it would be some member of the Department of Mechanical Engineering or of the Department of Physics. It so happens that most of the members of these departments are in Toronto attending the Annual Meeting of the Engineering Association. I shall draw the matter to their attention when they return.

May I say in conclusion that I have little sympathy with people who part with considerable sums of money on statements "bolstered by the name of McGill", but who fail to take the precaution of writing the University to ascertain if such statements are true. Of course the University is powerless to deal with those who use her name in an unauthorized fashion in far-away places.

Yours faithfully,

Principal.

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and Engineering
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