

November 24th, 1925.

Mrs. J. E. McCrossan,
4209 Osler Avenue,
Toronto, Ont.

My dear Mrs. McCrossan:-

Let me acknowledge receipt of your letter of November 12th addressed to me care of the Canadian Pacific Railway.

I have read with interest your son's letter, which I return herewith, together with the clippings. I am afraid the C.P.R. as an institution would not be disposed to help construct an individual place of worship. Were they to do so they would be beset by similar requests from every quarter, and while, no doubt, they would consider such work of great value and worthy of all support, the thousands of shareholders who hold stock in the Company might be disposed to criticise donations of such a character. If your son considered it worth while I would suggest that he appeal direct to the Company. I am very sorry that my personal obligations will not permit me to make a donation, but I most sincerely hope that your son is successful in carrying out this project so dear to his heart and yours.

I know your grandson, Frank Emmons, very well. He has proved himself a fine soldier and a splendid student.

With all good wishes, I am,

Yours faithfully,