

I may, however, state to you that there will be serious objection to any entrance to a public office from St. Joseph Street, or to the parking of cars on St. Joseph Street, or to the use of the stable for more than one car.

All that I can say at the present time is that I will try to reconcile differences. I have no authority to argue any questions which may appear to you to be contentious questions upon the rights and obligations of the Board of Governors of the University, of the Government, and of the lessees having a frontage on the roadway on Queen's Park.

It appears to me at the present time that it would be advisable for the Minister to make an appointment—and as early as possible—for the consideration of the terms and conditions of a temporary lease, and if terms cannot be arranged which would be acceptable to all parties I would hand over the correspondence and copies of the leases to Counsel to take such proceedings as they might advise to be taken in the interest of the owners and lessees in the vicinity of 47 Queen's Park.

I should like to receive an answer in due course of mail.

Yours faithfully,

J. A. THOMPSON.

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TORONTO, October 16th, 1920.

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DEAR SIR:

Re 47 Queen's Park.

I have to acknowledge yours of the 13th instant in reference to 47 Queen's Park and in reply beg to say that the Minister will not be in the City before Wednesday of next week, the 20th instant.

I will be glad to arrange a meeting of any parties interested, with the Minister at his convenience. I may add that nothing further can be said in reply to your letter than is contained in our letter of October 8th, and the former letter of the Minister.

Yours truly,

R. P. FAIRBAIRN,
Deputy Minister of Public Works.