University of Toronto FACULTY OF APPLIED SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING OFFICE OF THE DEAN

14th January, 1924.

Sir Arthur W. Currie, G.C.M.G., K.C.B., Principal. McGill University, MONTREAL; Quebec.

Dear Sir Arthur:

As perhaps you are aware, the University of Toronto some years ago, established the McCharles Prize, which is somewhat similar to the Nobel Prize, on a small scale. It carries with it considerable distinction and a value of one thousand dollars.

The Committee of Award for this prize, appointed by the Board of Governors of the University, is preparing to make an award and invites nominations by responsible persons of suitable candidates under the terms which have been laid down. I enclose a memorandum concerning these terms by which you will observe that the prize is given for distinctive and useful discovery by Canadians, in metallurgical processes, or in the application of electrical power or in "scientific research in any useful practical line", preference being given to these in the order named.

As the Committee would like notice of their intention to make an award given some publicity, it would much appreciate anything you could do with this in view in connection with your University. There may be special means by which appropriate notice might be given to those who are concerned.

Yours faithfully, 1 . . . . . . . . Chnitchee

Committee of Award.