CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY COMPANY

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT

MONTREAL February 7, 1921.

Lieutenant General Sir Arthur Currie, Principal, McGill University,

Montreal.

My dear General Currie,-

I have had several interviews with Messrs. Ross & Macdonald in connection with the proposed alterations to and extension of McGill University buildings, with the result that on the 31st ultimo they sent me a proposal in writing with an accompanying form of agreement. These I had gone over by the Company's Solicitors, after consultation with our own Building Superintendent, and a revised agreement has been prepared and forwarded to-day to Mr. A. J. Brown for his consideration.

Messrs. Ross & Macdonald propose to charge a flat fee of $7\frac{1}{2}\%$, one-fifth of which will go to Professor Nobbs. They inform me that in fact this arrangement would mean an equal division of the net fee between Professor Nobbs and their firm, as they estimate 60% of the total fee is represented by necessary disbursements.