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My dear Forman:-

I thank you very much for your letter of June 29th, and for your congratulations on my appointment to the Principalship of McGill University. I received the letter only yesterday, or should have forwarded an earlier acknowledgment.

I am looking forward to the work in Montreal with a great deal of interest and pleasure, fully realizing the opportunities the position affords for useful service to Canada and to Canadians. Not the least of my pleasures in connection with the appointment is the cordial assurances I am receiving from graduates of their loyalty and support. We must do everything possible to increase the liason between the graduates and their Alma Mater.

I am glad you referred to meeting my brother John at the Canadian Good Roads Convention in Winnipeg. He is very much interested in that movement, and I think is sound and practical in his conclusions.

Looking forward to seeing you in Victoria soon, I am,

Ever yours faithfully,

Principal.