

Dominion Headquarters  
Montreal  
March 23rd 1926

Albert Pearce Esqr  
Hon. Secretary  
Manitoba Prov. Hqrs - L.P.F.  
Winnipeg. Man.

Dear Sir,

We are forwarding you herewith copy of a communication from Messrs A.B. Gardiner & Coy Funeral Directors of your city, the contents of which are self-explanatory and regrettable. We are also sending you copy of our reply to them.

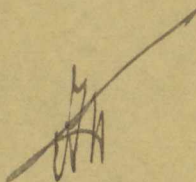
We sincerely trust that this matter will receive the very prompt attention of the Manitoba Prov. Hqrs Branch, and in the circumstances we must remind the Administration of its obligations under the terms of the Sub-Charter granted it, as beyond the proportion of the Federal assistance applicable to your province and provisions of By-Law 20 - 'No Branch may in any way engage the credit of the Corporation as a whole'--.

We are very anxious to send forward your proportion of the grant for the current year just closing, but we are as yet without any statement whatever concerning your financial standing, the Forms "D" for the Quarters ending on the last day of June, September, and December having come to hand uncompleted, of which we advised you in ours of February 5th 1926.

Will you kindly give this your very earliest attention, giving us a complete statement of the Branch's present standing and obligations.

Thanking you in anticipation.

Faithfully



Dom. Secy-Treasurer, - L.P.F.