December Twenty-seventh 1919: G. J. Desbarats Esq., Deputy Minister, Naval Service, Ottawa. Dear Sir:-With the retirement of Dr. J. D. Adami, who represented McGill University on the Biological Board of Canada, the position filled by the McGill representative is vacant. I desire, on behalf of the Governors of McGill University, to nominate Dr. R. F. Ruttan, B. A., D. Sc., Macdonald Professor of Chemistry, to fill the position in question. Dr. Ruttan, although a Chemist, has paid a great deal of attention to those aspects of Chemistry which have a direct bearing on Biological Science, and I am sure that his presence on the Board will be an important accession to that body. I remain. Yours very sincerely. 78,6 Acting Principal.