McGILL UNIVERSITY MONTREAL. FACULTY OF ARTS. OFFICE OF THE DEAN Sir Arthur Currie. 2. I think you will find Shaw a pretty useful man in administrative work. His position as Chairman of this Board of Advisers is of especial importance during the coming session in view of the fact that a permanent Dean has not yet been appointed. His function is really similar to that of Dean of Freshmen, an office which has been created in a good many universities. The fact that he is to have this position is, I think, another reason for not appointing the head of his department Acting Dean. Otherwise there would be a pretty general feeling among the Faculty that the Physics Department was bulking rather large upon the landscape. Sincerely yours, Goden James MDF/GJL