March 2nd. 1927. Rev. P. S. Dobson, M.A., D.D., Principal. Alma College. St. Thomas, Ont. My dear Dr. Dobson: -I have delayed answering your letter of February 15th in the hope that I might be able to write to you and promise to be present at the ceremonies in connection with the 50th anniversary of the founding of Alma College. Much as I would like to be with you, and particularly because you and Mrs. Dobson are McGill people, I am afraid it will be impossible. The Universities' Conference meets in London during the first few days of June and this will take a week or so of my time. I do not feel I can afford to return to that district a few days later, especially as I intend leaving Montreal any time after the 15th of June. I did at one time think that I might wait over after the London Conference at my old home in Strathroy and have a brief visit there. That may yet eventualize if my other engagement during the latter part of June does not materialize. If I did remain over in Strathroy I would go to the ceremonies in St. Thomas, but this I cannot promise now. With all kind wishes, I am, Yours faithfully, Principal.