

SIR THOMAS TAIT

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MONTREAL

June 16th, 1930.

Sir Arthur Currie,

Montreal, Quebec.

My dear Sir Arthur,

Referring to our conversation of the other day, I now send you a copy of the letter I am today writing His Worship The Mayor, in reference to commercializing Sherbrooke Street between City Councillors and Guy Streets with proper restrictions as to class of building, construction and homologated lines and the kinds of businesses which may be carried on.

If this is done at once, this part of Sherbrooke Street will then become the Fifth Avenue of Montreal, otherwise it will become like Sixth Avenue in New York, and if ever the City decides to commercialize it with proper restrictions, a heavy bill of expense will be incurred to buy out the businesses which may, in the meantime, have been established, and which are prohibited by the restrictions which may be then imposed.

I do hope that you will be in favour of this and that you will do what you can to bring it about as soon as possible.

Yours very truly,

*John Tait*

*To Col. Booy.*

*Prepare letter to Mayor supporting*

*Tait.*

*W. B.*

*9/7/30*