January 5, 1931, Arthur H. Daniels, Esq., The Graduate School, University of Illinois, Urbana, Ill. Dear Sir. In the absence of the Principal, may I acknowledge your letter of January 2nd in which you invite him to attend the ceremonies to be held on May 1st next inaugurating Doctor Harry Woodburn Chase as President of the University of Illinois. Sir Arthur Currie is not expected to return to Canada until April next. He is at present in India as Canadian representative at the inaugural ceremonies formally opening New Delhi as the capital of British India. I shall be glad to draw your letter to his attention upon his return, but I think it is doubtful that he would be able to come to Illinois on the date set. Yours faithfully. Assistant to the Principal.