

October 17th, 1927.

Captain Troup,  
Superintendent,  
C.P.R. Steamship Services,  
Victoria, B. C.

My dear Captain Troup:-

We have at McGill a very interesting Museum known as the McCord National Museum. In that museum we have a very extensive collection of Canadiana and at our last meeting the question came up of the possibility of acquiring something of the old Steamship Beaver, the wreck of which was visible when I went to British Columbia in 1894. I wonder if there is anything of that old steamer which we could get. If it is not too much trouble I would appreciate any help you can give us in this direction.

I cannot tell you how much I enjoyed my brief visit to Victoria this summer. I thought the city looked well and prosperous, while none of you seem to get any older.

With kindest wishes, I am,

Yours faithfully,