February 22nd, 1924.

Professor C. V. Christie, B.Sc., M.A., Engineering Building, McGill University.

My dear Professor Christie :-

I am sorry to have delayed action so long re your request to be permitted to participate in the World Power Conference to be held in London early in July next, but yesterday was our first Finance Committee meeting since you spoke to me.

The Board know that you would doubtless derive much benefit from that Conference and they are sympathetic towards helping the staff of McGill to take part in conferences where matters of interest to their department are discussed. They feel, however, that at the present time the University is not in a position to bear the expense necessary to enable you to go to London.

I hope the decision is not too disappointing to you.

Yours faithfully,

Principal.