

my ideas and requested that I allow him to make use of them in working out his enterprise ,as they will be of great value to him . In explanation of this ,I have to state that I sent Prof.Mercer copies of the draft ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION and other papers in connection therewith .

In view of this tacit approval of Toronto University and Prof.Mercer's commendatory remarks ,I assume that my ideas are meritorious and of a different nature from those of the Association of which Prof.Buchanan is an active member,and shall,therefore,be greatly obliged if McGill University will be good enough to sponsor my project ,dealing with it direct ,and communicate with Prof. Buchanan and request his cooperation in Ontario .

Yours faithfully ,

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