

July 7th, 1924.

Dr. Jonathan Meakins,
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My dear Dr. Meakins:-

I am in receipt of your letters of the 24th of June and am very glad to know that you have taken passage on the Montrose which leaves Liverpool on August 22nd.

After the receipt of your previous letter I telephoned Mr. Beatty who wired Sir Geo. McL. Brown. This will bring you to Montreal some time towards the end of the month. It is just possible that I may not be in the city on that date as I count on leaving about that time for a few weeks vacation, but Dr. Martin will be here.

Dr. Pearce of the Rockefeller Foundation spent last week in the city coming up for the special purpose of satisfying himself that the understanding between the Hospital and the University was clear and distinctive. He sent a wire immediately to the Foundation and yesterday I received a communication from Dr. Vincent that they were paying the grant of half a million over to the University at once in cash.

Regarding the apparatus and supplies which you have purchased, please send all invoices to the Purchasing Department, McGill University. You mention Mr. Britt, but I am sorry to say that about a year and a half ago he died.

I cannot tell you, Dr. Meakins, how much we are looking forward to your return to McGill.