Montreal, May 10 , 1932

Mr. H. Teuscher, 170, Truman Ave., Nepera Park, N.Y.

My Dear Sir :

I have not been idle since my last letter, being busy in saving the Botanical Garden idea which was menaced by the change of administration at the City Hall. Fortunately, it is done, and we can now proceed a little further.

You were kind enough to offer me to draw a plan for the Botanical Garden of Montreal, free of charge. This I will not accept. But I am authorized by the City Council Leader to ask you if you would be willing to come here for two or three weeks, to outline a plan with myself and the City architect. It would be the right way to be introduced to the interested people, and it may develop into a regular engagement.

For the time being, I desire that you quote your conditions for this temporary engagement, conditions that you will make reasonable to include travel, board and time.

My own time is rather heavily imposed upon and I could not say right away when would be the best time. But let us decide first on the principle.