

August 21st, 1946.

Mr. H. M. Hague,  
District Administrator,  
Department of Veterans' Affairs,  
379 Common Street,  
Montreal. Que.

Dear Mr. Hague:-

I was sorry to have been away when you visited the Montreal Neurological Institute. I have since talked to Miss Flanagan, and I am writing to you now about one unfinished undertaking in connection with the Military Annex at the Institute.

By putting the Annex on, it was necessary to utilize one of the sun porches, which was planned for public patients, as a corridor to the Annex. A small sun porch was included in the building of the Annex, but this is hardly sufficient in size to cover the needs of those who are in the Annex and does not, in any sense, take the place of the sun porch which was lost for ward patients, which includes both ex-Service personnel and civilians.

To provide adequate sun porch accomodation, a simple wooden platform had been planned for the roof of the Annex. This was, in fact, partly completed and the floor platforms have been piled there, on the roof, for over a year. I hope the D.V.A. will complete this sun porch arrangement. Mr. Fetherstonhaugh has made blueprints of the plan, which means a flooring on one small portion of the roof, with a wall around two sides of the flooring, and a partial roof over it. I am enclosing a blueprint, which is drawing number 146, job number 1429 - Fetherstonhaugh and Durnford.

*Has a plan been  
done with this  
other material?*

Yours sincerely,

Wilder Penfield, M.D.  
Director.

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