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Correspondence re Site Selection

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Hall of Records

LAURENCE HALL FOWLER
ARCHITECT
347 N CHARLES STREET
BALTIMORE MARYLAND

July 27th, 1932.

Governor Albert C. Ritchie,
Executive Department,
Annapolis, Maryland.

My dear Governor:

I shall be at your office on Friday
afternoon, July 29th, at three o'clock, with plans
showing the proposed position of the Hall of Records
on the St. John's property.

Sincerely yours,

Laurence H. Fowler,

July 26th, 1932

Mr. Laurence Hall Fowler,
347 N. Charles Street,
Baltimore, Maryland.

Dear Laurence:-

Since talking to you this morning, I have arranged for Douglas Gordon and several other members of the St. John's Board to come to my office in the State House Friday afternoon, July 29th, at three o'clock, in order to discuss the location of the Hall of Records. I will appreciate it if you will come down at the same time and bring your plans.

Sincerely yours,

Governor.

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LAURENCE HALL FOWLER
ARCHITECT
347 N CHARLES STREET
BALTIMORE MARYLAND

July 25th, 1932.

Governor Albert C. Ritchie,
Executive Department,
Annapolis, Maryland.

My dear Governor:

I have your letter dated July 20th, in regard to objections that have arisen about the location of the Hall of Records on the St. John's College property.

I trust this matter can be adjusted, as I have what I think is a very satisfactory plan for the building, designed for this site. I was getting the sketches in shape to show you shortly, but shall do nothing further with them until I hear from you.

Sincerely yours,

Laurence H. Fowler.

Hall of Records

July 20th, 1932

Mr. Laurence Hall Fowler,
347 N. Charles Street,
Baltimore, Maryland.

Dear Laurence:-

I have just received a letter from St. John's College telling me that some objections have arisen to locating the Hall of Records Building on their property. I will not be able to find out what the trouble is until next week, but thought I had better let you know at once.

Sincerely yours,

Governor.

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Office of Comptroller
Treasury Department
Annapolis, Maryland

Wm. S. Gordy, Jr.
Comptroller
Joseph O'G. McCusker
Chief Deputy

July 19th, 1932.

Hon. Albert C. Ritchie,
Governor of Maryland,
State House,
Annapolis, Maryland.

Dear Governor Ritchie:-

I understand there has been some discussion as to whether the Memorial Hall of Records building will be located on St. John's property. I do not know whether there is anything to this talk, but if there is, it occurs to me that it might be well to advise Mr. Fowler, the Architect, so that he may govern himself accordingly in his work. I know that Mr. Fowler has already received from the State Roads Commission a topographical survey of the location of the proposed building on St. John's property.

Very truly yours,

Secretary
Board of Public Works.

JOMcC/E