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Dr. Stephen P. Duggan,
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419 West 117th Street,
New York, N. Y.

Dear Dr. Duggan:-

With reference to previous correspondence re Dr. S. L. Joshi and the possibility of his coming to McGill for the first half of the session 1923-24 I regret to have to say that I find it impossible to make the arrangement.

Unfortunately there is no course in McGill's curriculum where the lectures suggested by Dr. Joshi would fit and therefore a student could not receive credit for work done in them. Under these conditions I doubt if students would continue attendance at lectures over a period of three months. Of course, the public might very well be admitted, but if so, the lectures would then more properly come under the Extension Department, which Department I find will not have sufficient funds at its disposal to set aside \$2,000. for Professor Joshi's lectures.

This decision, I know, will prove a great disappointment to many students at McGill and others in the city of Montreal, but in these days of so many increased demands the University Principal must watch very closely the balancing of his budget.

I do not know just where Dr. Joshi is at the present time, but no doubt he keeps in touch with you. In communicating to him this