

notice that in case Madame Guérin and Messrs Chambrellent et Cie received those \$17,808.25, nothing would go to the children of France, who might get only the \$5,000. held by us, provided that the above mentioned suit would fail.

I should be most obliged if you would kindly take the matter into consideration and inform us of your decision. This Embassy, as you will understand, has no means of discriminating how much Chambrellent et Cie should receive since the sum in our hands is not sufficient to pay their whole claim; it would be necessary in our opinion, in case you decide that we send them 140,000 francs, that this last sum would represent the full amount they expect from the Canadian Campaign.

Another solution would be, if the Great War Veterans Association agree, to send the \$17,808.25 to Chambrellent et Cie in asking them to take the responsibility of the payment to be made to Madame Guérin. In any case, we shall not make any payment without hearing from you.

Thanking you in advance for the attention you will give to this matter, I beg you to believe me,
Very sincerely yours,

Jules Henry
Secretary