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Dear Sir Arthur,

We had an unpleasant experience yesterday at our house when a couple of detectives, without consulting anybody at our house, took our boy of eleven away in a car. The general belief around the house was that they had been kidnapped. For what they did the Westmount Police have since apologized.

Apparently some boys had done some damage up at a shack on the top of the mountain owned by McGill University. The Detective Sergeant said that my boy told him everything that happened while he was there, and he is satisfied that all he did was to break a small window about 14 in. by 20 in., for which, of course, I wish to pay.

It seems there is trouble every winter. My youngsters told me they thought it was an old abandoned shack. Do you not think that in future it might be well to have a warning notice put on the shack that it is the property of McGill University and that trespassers will be prosecuted? Perhaps you would not mind giving instructions to the caretaker, one Duggan, to have the window pane replaced and I will settle the account.

The detectives are still trying to trace the other boys and my youngster is going up to help them this afternoon, although he does not know who did the damage. Apparently, however, they carved their initials on the building, so it may be possible to trace them. I'll tell you more about the matter when I see you to-day.

Yours sincerely,

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