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My dear Principal Douglas:

Professor Brett tells me that, at his recent meeting with you, you were so good as to accede to our wishes and say that you would write something for the <u>Quarterly</u>. I do not know what subject you have in mind, but it has occurred to us that nothing could be more timely than some exposition of, or comment on, the contemporary scene in American politics, domestic or foreign. It would be of immense interest to our readers.

We are anxious to print the article in the first available issue. I am sorry that we are too late for January, where we could have given you five thousand words. In April, owing to the survey of Canadian literature, it is necessary to limit the articles to a maximum of four thousand words. Would that be sufficient? And if so, may we hope to receive the MS. by the first week in March?

In case you are not very familiar with the <u>Quarterly</u>, I am sending you a copy of the October issue. As you will see, it is a national journal, and in no sense limited to the University and its graduates. I need not add that, even if it were so limited, no one would receive a warmer welcome to its pages than yourself.

May I hope to hear from you, at your convenience, regarding the subject and the time when you expect to have the article completed?

Yours very sincerely,

Altoothmor.

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