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Ottawa, Ont.

My dear Bill:-

This is just a brief note to prepare you for Sandy's return to Ottawa tomorrow. He is now with me, having come to-day and I am very sorry that he is to have such a brief visit with me. You know that several weeks ago he went down to George McDonald's summer place on Memphramagog and intended to come to me on his return to the city, but I had gone on to my old home in Strathroy after my visit to the British Association meeting in Toronto.

I got back last Sunday night and found that after his visit to George he spent some time with Clarke-Kennedy and that last Friday he had gone to Gavin Ogilvie's. The Ogilvies were out of the city on ~~xxxxxx~~ Saturday and Sunday and were anxious for him to stay with them until to-day. We all had lunch together at the Mount Royal Club and a very enjoyable party it was. Besides the two Ogilvies, Urquhart and myself, there were present Royal Ewing, George Cantlie, George McDonald, Bill Shaughnessy and George Currie.

When I got back from Toronto I found a note from Urquhart saying that he had seen Archibald, had been Xrayed and would tell me all about it when he saw me. In my anxiety I concluded that he had something of a disappointing character to communicate, a suspicion which was more or less confirmed by a talk I had with Ogilvie who told me that Sandy was a little depressed. I