

October 31, 1924.

Hon. George F. Graham,
Ottawa,
Ontario.

Dear Mr. Graham:-

I understand from Colonel Brothers that he spoke to you some time ago regarding the possibility of Mr. King addressing a meeting organized by the McGill Canadian Club.

I might say for your information that the McGill Canadian Club is an institution to which all undergraduates belong, and which endeavours to give them an opportunity of hearing as many distinguished speakers as possible.

So far no political speeches have been made under the auspices of the University, and there has therefore never been much attraction to offer any political leader. The McGill Canadian Club has suggested to the Principal that the leaders of the various parties might possibly like an opportunity to make a definitely political speech of as controversial a type as they might desire, and it is in this connection that I am now writing to you.

We would be very glad indeed to have Mr. King address the McGill undergraduates in the McGill Union, and we would undertake to see that proper publicity was given the affair, and that as many of the outside public as wish to come could be accommodated. I might say that the room holds about one thousand comfortably.

We feel that a very good opportunity for a political speech would thus be afforded, and we hope that you will agree. As regards time I would suggest some date before the middle of April, and if you will give me an approximate idea of a convenient week we will advise you what days in it will be available.

Yours faithfully,

Wilfrid Bovey.