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Dear Sir,

I beg to forward you a formal, printed application for the Post of Assistant-Professor of Mathematics at McGill University. I send half a dozen copies as I do not know how many sheets there may be. If you think favourably of my application and wish to appoint me, would you kindly (with your communication) afford me some fuller information on the following points?

The salary attached to the post is said to be about \$3,000 p.a. and I take it that the figure mentioned is the minimum. May I venture to suggest that a salary of \$3,500 either initially or one increasing to this after a year's service, if satisfactory, may appear reasonable? The latter sum, as I calculate it, is about £260 p.a. more than my present salary i.e. allowing for the difference in the cost of living in Canada. I think one might fairly ask for this addition on going abroad. I shall also lose considerably on exchanging English Pounds into Canadian. I do not wish to insist on the