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June 29th, 1923.

Major General Sir Arthur Currie,
President,
McGill University,
Montreal, Que.

Dear Sir Arthur,-

I have pleasure in extending to you an invitation to become a patron of the Banting Research Memorial Endowment, an influential movement in the interests of Dr. Banting and Medical Research. The plan accepted provides for raising \$1,000,000. by subscription throughout Canada and the United States and Great Britain, which is to be administered as an endowment to research in recognition of Dr. Banting's services to mankind. The plan is initiated by a number of Dr. Banting's friends in and out of the profession and has been highly acceptable to everyone to whom it has been submitted.

We have been able to identify with the plan many influential men in Canada and the United States. Among the patrons whose acceptance has been confirmed by letter are His Excellency Lord Byng, Right Hon. Wm. Lyon Mackenzie King, Hon. Charles Evans Hughes, Ex-president Howard Taft, Sir Edmund Walker, Sir Wm. Mulock, Professor Lewellys Barker, M.D., John Hopkins Hospital, Dr. Joslin, Boston, Dr. Stewart, Battle Creek Sanitarium, Colonel Herbert Bruce, M.D., and many others.

We have had many assurances of success and the movement is decidedly popular. The process by which the sum will be collected