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The Principal,
McGill University.

Dear Sir Arthur:

I have just returned after a visit to the mining district of Ontario and Michigan with my Field Class of mining students and am happy to say that we got through successfully and without accident or misadventure, furthermore I have been able to secure Summer employment in mines for every one of the young men in my party.

The success of the trip was due in a very great degree to the kindness of the Executive Officers of certain of the leading mining companies who gave their subordinates very generous instructions as regards helping me in my work and offering special privileges to my students. I have of course already thanked these gentlemen but I am confident that they would appreciate a letter from you, and in view of the fact that their continued friendship and cooperation are absolutely essential if my Field work is to be kept up I am confident that you will be willing to write to them.

I attach a memorandum of the more important establishments visited with a brief note of the character of the work done and the names of the Officials who assisted us. I have taken the liberty of underscoring in red ink the names of men to whom I hope you will be willing to write.

Yours very truly,

