

May 7th, 1926.

A.H.D. Hair, Esc.,  
P. O. Box 1362,  
Montreal.

Dear Mr. Hair:-

I am this morning in receipt  
of your letter of yesterday.

Frankly, let me say that I was  
about to write to you and ask to be excused attendance  
at the ceremony of May 24th. That week is a partic-  
ularly busy one at the University, the Convocation  
ceremonies being held on Friday the 28th. On Monday,  
the 24th at 2.30 p.m. the students have arranged  
their annual Tree Planting ceremony,- a function  
which I always attend. So I would ask the Last Post  
to be good enough to excuse me on this occasion.

Yours faithfully,