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Dear Mr. Joshi,

I have your letter of the 13th. I saw a good deal of Lord Irwin during his visit to Montreal and on one occasion had a brief discussion with him regarding the project in which you are so interested.

I am afraid that writing a letter to Mr. Massey will not help very much the foundation of a Chair of Indian History, Philosophy, etc. at McGill. Mr. Massey is one of the Governors of Toronto University, was considered for the Presidency when Sir Robert Falconer resigned, has presented Toronto University with Hart House, a model of its kind; and if any Chair of Indian Philosophy is to be established in Canada, I imagine Mr. Massey would want it established at Toronto University.

I did not find Lord Irwin overly keen, nor had he much hope of interesting an Indian Prince in such a project.

While I should be glad to see you any time you come to Montreal, I am afraid the 15th of June is absolutely impossible. On that date my daughter is being married; I am afraid I cannot promise you an interview.

Ever yours faithfully,

Principal.