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OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

31st May 1932.

Personal.

Dear Sir Arthur Currie,

It is part of the policy of this Company to recruit into its service well educated young men, especially from Canada.

I have been discussing the problem with my colleague, Mr. E.R. Peacock, and he has suggested that I should write personally to you, telling you of our proposals, in the hope that it may interest you and that we may hear of suitable young men whom you may be interested to place.

In other organizations with which I have been associated we have had a large measure of success by taking college boys. The qualifications we have looked for have been a not too high academic standard, a turn for outside games, and above all definite indications of potential leadership. You know better than we do the types of men who ultimately make good and rise to big administrative posts.

For the most part these men would be required for work in Canada, and therefore their selection would be in the hands of the Canadian Committee of this Company in Winnipeg and in particular in the hands of Mr. P.A. Chester, our General Manager there. In the first place, however, Mr. Peacock and I deemed it advisable that I should address myself personally to you.

I am leaving England shortly, and expect to be in Canada in early September, when I hope I may have the pleasure of calling on you.

Yours truly,

[Handwritten signature]
Governor.

Gen. Sir Arthur W. Currie, G.C.M.G., K.C.B., LL.D.,
Principal and Vice Chancellor,
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Saw Mr. Cooper
discussed
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young men
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