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Dear Mr. Sladen:-

With reference to your letter of May 30th, I cannot advise that the Governor General consent to become Patron of the Old Scouts Club of McGill University.

I may say that this Club is composed of young men who, before coming to McGill, were Boy Scouts. They meet together from time to time and I think that one or two of their number help some of the troops about town. While the Club is composed of very worthy fellows, I do not consider that the character and amount of the work it does warrants it in asking His Excellency to become a Patron.

Ever yours faithfully,

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