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The Editor,
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Dear Sir:

Under the caption "The Centenary of the University of Toronto" you reproduced on page 25 of the October 1st issue of Saturday Night a photograph of one of the Medical Buildings of the University of Toronto. Underneath were the words: "The Medical Building, Queen's Park, where Dr. Banting discovered Insulin. According to the Rockefeller Foundation, a survey of Medical Colleges in North America; that of the University of Toronto ranks first, Harvard second, Johns Hopkins third, McGill University, Montreal, fourth. Considering the difference in wealth and population between this country and the United States, this is a most amazing showing for Canada".

I am a constant reader of Saturday Night, and when I read what I have just quoted above I was more amused than anything else, attributing it to the over-enthusiasm of a Toronto writer under the influence of the Centenary Celebration. At McGill University we have received many letters concerning this and now know that the writer of these words succeeded in his effort to leave the impression that the Rockefeller Foundation had ranked the Medical School of the University of Toronto first and the Medical School of this University fourth amongst all the schools on the continent.