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My dear Billy:-

Thanks for your letter re Patreau. I had already heard from Ottawa that his case had been satisfactorily disposed of.

I am sorry to learn what you tell me re Hanna, but I have long ago learned that the statements of many claimants for pensions must be most rigidly investigated.

I hope the family are all well. I suppose they have long since returned to you. I was up home for the first two weeks in September and found every one very well indeed. I was particularly pleased with the good state of my mother's health. Ethel did not return to Montreal with us and has decided to remain home for some time. I saw your brother George who is well and happy and other friends of yours, such as Ed. Roland, Al Wilson, Fred Watkinson and Tanton. I did not inquire but I suppose he still has the machine which "digests itself rheumatically".

With all good wishes, I am,

Yours faithfully,