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Colonel L. S. Amery,  
Assistant Secretary of State For Colonies,  
Houses of Parliament,  
London, England.

Dear Colonel:-

I haven't kept sufficiently up-to-date to know for certain whether you are now acting as Assistant Secretary of State for the Colonies. It seems to me that I did see it recorded in the Press some time ago that you had taken upon yourself other duties. However you will remember the matter concerning which this letter is written.

You will recall that in the course of our brief conversation in Ottawa you spoke of your hope that some of the graduates of Canadian Universities would enter the Colonial Civil Service of the Empire in such parts as Uganda, West Africa, etc. In the late Spring of this year we received a good deal of literature regarding the conditions of entrance, etc. These were made known to the student-body, and as a result I have had one application, which I am forwarding herewith.

You will remember it was suggested if sufficient graduates in Canada offered themselves that a member of your staff would proceed to Canada in order to judge these students and to give directions to a Committee of the Canadian Universities, who in future might serve as a Recommending Body to your Department. I consulted with Sir Robert Falconer of the University of Toronto and we decided that for this year we would not endeavour to create such a "Recommending Body", but that we would discuss the matter with you in England, for we are both going across to attend