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Sir Arthur Currie, G.C.M.G., K.C.B.,
McGill University,
Montreal, Canada.

My dear Sir Arthur:

As Mrs. Force is in Europe, your
letter has been turned over to me.

I am indeed very sorry that I was
unable to give you any definite information about
the Whitney party until now. This delay has been
entirely due to Mrs. Whitney's illness. We had
hoped until the very last moment that it would
be possible for her to be present at the Unveiling
Ceremonies on the twenty-ninth, but as her doctor
states that it would be most unwise for her to
undertake such a journey, her daughter and son-in-
law, Mr. and Mrs. Barclie McKee Henry will represent
her. The following guests will also be in the party
coming up on the Whitney Private Car "The Wanderer",
arriving in Montreal the morning of May twenty-ninth:

Dr. John Finley
Mrs. Walter Rosen
Mr. Olin Downs
Mr. George Gordon Battle
Miss Ellen Ballou

The party will return on the evening
of the twenty-ninth.

Colonel Bovey has told me of your
arrangements for the day, which sound delightful.

Sincerely yours,

Ellen Ballou