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Sir Arthur Currie, Principal,
McGill University,
Montreal, Quebec.

My dear Sir Arthur:

May I take the liberty of offering what I believe to be a justified criticism of the pamphlet which I have received entitled "McGill and Science," which pamphlet is sent out by the Endowment Committee.

As you may know, I am a graduate of the Faculty of Applied Science, and, therefore, perhaps am entitled to criticise the pamphlet. In looking it over I can find no reference to Dr. Henry T. Bovey, who was Dean of Science for a great many years and who spent the very best years of his life in building up the department, and yet the resume of achievements of McGill in the scientific department, while mentioning a great many other names, entirely omits any reference to Dr. Bovey. This undoubtedly is a grave oversight if it is not something much worse, viz.: an intentional omission of all reference to Dr. Bovey. I feel that this omission may perhaps prejudice a great many graduates of the Faculty of Applied Science when they look it over, and I am calling the matter to your attention so that you may be familiar with this omission and may perhaps see fit to call it to the attention of the Endowment Committee.

I am Looking forward to seeing you in the near future,

Very cordially yours,

Arthur E. Childs.

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