The Department of Extra-Mural Relations. June 13, 1928. Jack Bogante, Esq., 6618 Papineau Avenue. Montreal. Dear Mr. Bogante:-Your paper on Canada's Contribution to Political Progress has been carefully considered. It discloses a considerable amount of conscientious work and you have without doubt made a fair study of historical documents. It is felt, however, that your article cannot properly be defined as an essay, but rather as an historical summary, and that in this respect it does not come within the definition of the offer. In the second place your essay lacks originality. The subject is perhaps one on which it is hard to be original, but the University wishes to maintain a high standard in these essays. Finally it is necessary for me to direct your attention to the fact that you have committed a number of errors in construction and that there are a certain number of mistakes which can only be attributed to lack of care. I am sure that on rereading the article you will observe this yourself. In view of the foregoing, it is regretted that the grant of the medal to you cannot be made. Yours faithfully, Director.