Sir Arthur Currie, 3.

Departments could be induced to follow the example of the Department of English and to eliminate some of their minor services which do not seem to me to be altogether necessary in an almost purely undergraduate Faculty. The recommendations above mentioned, however, seem to me to be justified. Mr. Hogben is a married man with a family of three and it does not seem to me that \$3000 a year can be adequate for his respectable maintenance in Montreal. Mr. Herbert Tate and Dr. Files are also married men with homes of their own. Professor Matthews' services are so invaluable in many ways that he deserves a correspondingly generous remuneration. Miss May Reid came here on a salary of \$3000, half of which was paid by the Council of Social Agencies. The Council, however, withdrew its support last year and Miss Reid's salary was increased to \$1800. Her experience and devotion I think entitle her to an increase of \$300 for next year. I have some doubts about recommending Professor du Roure for a full increase of \$500, but as he is Head of the Department of Romance Languages, a very large Department, and doing excellent work, I do not see any valid reason why he should not have the regular salary paid to the Heads of other Departments.

The complete annual budget for the College, except for salary account, I shall submit very shortly.

Very sincerely yours,

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