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Dear Mr. Brittain,

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I acknowledge with thanks receipt of your courteous letter of August 12th.

I am particularly glad to hear that you share my desire with the desirability of closer cultural relations between our respective countries.

I deeply regret that the present financial condition of the McGill University prevent to carry into effect the project which both of us were interested in, namely, to establish a Chair of Italian Language and literature.

I wish that in the near future we shall be able to take again the matter into consideration leading it to a good conclusion.

Assuring you again of my best consideration and appreciation, I am

Faithfully yours,

(Paolo de Simone)
Royal Italian Consul.

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