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CABLE ADDRESS:
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General Sir Arthur Currie,
McGill University,
Montreal, P.Q.

Dear Sir Arthur:

I enclose herewith a financial prospectus of the Brentwood College. They are taking over the Brentwood Hotel, they have increased the accomodation of the grounds, and everything looks as if it should be a decided success.

Mr. Hope, who is to be the Head Master, has made a wonderful success of the Oak Bay High School and is as fine a type of the English Head Master as it would be possible to get out here.

The College will I think fill a long felt want, there are so many people out here who wish to send their boys to an English Public School, or a school run on those lines, they cannot afford to do it, or they do not like to send their boys so far away. This is going to fill that want, and also there should be a large number of boys come here from the East. They will not be so far out of touch with their people as they would be if they went to the Old Country.

My object in writing this is that the Directors are very anxious to have your name as one of the Patrons of the College. The Lieut. Governor has promised to be one, and needless to say your name would help the whole matter along very materially indeed.

It has been hard work getting it started, but this has all been settled and the school will open in the Autumn. The whole thing is going to be run on the very best lines possible and should be a credit to the country. It is the only college of its type in the West and will be run with all