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Sir Arthur Currie
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My Dear Sir Arthur;-

I expect to be in Montreal next week and hope to have the opportunity of meeting you again, and talk over old days in the West and in France.

I was sorry to miss you when in Toronto recently. That weekend I was at Queen's University meeting the students in discussion on the Chinese question, and giving a course of lectures in the History Department of the University on recent developments in China.

My four boys are keeping me in Canada a year or two longer than I anticipated. I am anxious to get the two eldest in University before I leave. Carman is 19 and Wilford 17. When we met in Vancouver last fall I think I forgot to tell you that when our youngest of the four boys was born in China, after our return from France, we called him Arthur after my old friend Arthur Currie. He carries his Dad's initials, but instead of Albert is known as Arthur J.B.

Am much enjoying the job of visiting the Canadian colleges in the interests of the Student Volunteer Movement in an endeavor to interpret something of the new national spirit in Eastern countries and the need of a larger measure of understanding between the East and the West. Earl Amaron is planning some meetings for me with McGill students commencing next Tuesday, and Jack Beaton of the Y.M.C.A is planning some of my time for the Association, also probably with the Rotary Club. So altogether I hope to spend about a week in Montreal, then proceed to the Maritimes for a month. I expect to stay at the McGill Union with Amaron. I know you are tremendously busy but I am hoping for a small "chunk" of your time some day for "Auld lang syne".

Mrs. Brace wishes to be kindly remembered, and kindly convey our greetings to Lady Currie.

Heartily, your one-time
"awkward subaltern"

A. J. Brace

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