



MCGILL UNIVERSITY

May 27, 1933.

Sir Arthur Currie,  
Principal and Vice-Chancellor,  
McGill University.

Dear Sir Arthur:

My secretary, Miss Brown, has prepared in a very clear form the information desired in your letter of May 22nd.

It will be recollected that every student for a Master's degree pays \$20, of which half goes to the Second Examiner, the First Examiner in the Department concerned receiving no remuneration as it is part of his proper duty. There is, however, one exception which I inherited, namely that of Economics. As a rule the Second Examiner is a man outside the University, whereas this is unusual in most other cases. Occasionally, however, in two or three cases in fact, it has been advisable in cases of dispute or doubt to have two Outside Examiners. In the case of the Ph.D. a student pays \$35 and at present \$25<sup>#</sup> of this goes to the Outside Examiner who must not be a McGill man. This is an excellent arrangement and preserves a high standard of excellence in our Ph.D. degrees.

At the same time I am concerned that whilst we pay \$870 to Outside Examiners, the bulk of which goes to Toronto, Dalhousie, British Columbia, Queen's, Saskatchewan, Mount Allison and Tufts, we receive in return, so far as I know, not a single penny from Toronto, Dalhousie and Queen's, and this one-way traffic is most undesirable. The remedy, however, does not seem to be clear, though I have spoken to some of my friends at Toronto and Queen's about it.

Yours very truly,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read 'A.S. Eve'.

Dr. A.S. Eve,  
Dean, Graduate Faculty.

# in future \$20,