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Sir Arthur Currie, G.C.M.G., K.C.B., LL.D., Principal, McGill University, MONTREAL, P.Que.

Dear Sir Arthur,

I submit herewith proposed budget for the expenditure of the Auxiliary Grant of \$25,000.00 which we hope to have renewed for the year ending June 30. 1934.

With the short time at my disposal I have found it difficult to obtain all the details that I should like to have presented to support the estimates outlined in the budget. In some cases I have been compelled to fall back on the programme outlined to the late Hon. Mr. Perron, former Minister of Agriculture, by Dean Barton in 1930.

None of the items appearing in the budget depart in any way from Dean Barton's proposals; these projects outlined by Dean Barton to Mr. Perron met with his approval, and have subsequently been approved by the present minister, Hon. Mr. Godbout, who has renewed the grant for two years.

The original grant was made for the year ending June 30, 1931; the second for the year ending June 30, 1932. The money has been received for both of these grants.

The grant for the year ending June 30, 1933, was, I understand, promised verbally to Dean Barton by the present Minister of Agriculture, Mr. Godbout, but I cannot find any confirmation of this in Dean Barton's files; however, when Mr. Godbout and Mr. Grenier were here Mr. Grenier intimated that a cheque for the first payment would be forthcoming in due course. Up to the present we have not received any money on account of our regular grant of \$25,000.00, or the auxiliary grant of \$25,000.00 for the current year. It might be well, when you see Mr. Godbout, to check up on this, as unless the grant is forthcoming we shall, of necessity, have to discontinue the project work, as Macdonald College has no funds to carry on.