

8142^a St. Denis Street May 11th 1924
Montreal, P. Q.

General Sir Arthur Currie,
Principal Medical University,
Montreal!

Dear Sir Arthur,

I am very sorry I am troubling so very much, but when I read the newspaper of to-day, I decided to start to New-York. As you already have so many ex-soldiers to take care of you hardly may permit yourself to help aliens. "Charity begins at home" and it seems me a pity about all the fine fellows, who have done their most for Canada and now is out-of-work. Therefore I will try myself, but as I have entirely failed in Canada I must go to New-York where I have friends, who have told me, they are able to secure work. As I also have to visit Washington, where I have friends among the officers of the U. S. Nat. ~~Army~~.

As you are very busy I do not wish to disturb you, but, please, kindly get my letters in a cover and hand it over to Mrs Chesley. If you also will drop a line or two, that you do not know me of having done anything bad here I would appreciate it very much.

My wife and my children are staying in Montreal.

Yours very truly
Errol Hamfelt.