

C O P Y

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Dear Mr. Keppel,

You will remember that, in the midst of a busy week, you kindly spared time at the Washington Conference of the American Library Association to discuss with me the future of the McGill University Library School, to the development of which the Carnegie Corporation has generously contributed \$10,000 for an experimental period of three years.

We are now in a position to report that the School has just successfully completed its second year. During this period it was at first provisionally, and subsequently completely approved, after inspection by the Board of Education for Librarianship of the American Library Association, as an Undergraduate Library School conforming to all the requirements of the Board. The prospects for future service are so bright and the library needs of the country are so pressing that we feel we have reached a critical point in the library development of Canada.

The University contributes what it can as a privately and insufficiently endowed institution. It has provided quarters consisting of a School office, a lecture room (equipped with projection apparatus), two study rooms (equipped with individual desks for students), desk space for instructors, books for reference and cataloguing, and lockers for students. The University has also contributed light, heat, and all overhead expenses, janitor service, the time of the Professor of Library Administration, and the services of the Bursar's Office, the Registrar's

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