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Dear Sir Arthur,

Many thanks for your long and interesting letter. duly received. I was astounded & grieved at the untimely death of Mr McKay the news of which I saw in the Times. You have lost a wise counsellor & able administrator, & the loss to the University is indeed a very severe one.

I am sorry to hear of Miss Phelps, she was never very strong & came to me before I left Macdonald & said she thought she should resign. At that time I surveyed the possible field for a successor & thought of recommending to you Miss Jean Simpson, a N. Science Graduate from Toronto, and post graduate student of Chicago & Cornell. She was at Macdonald for two years, & since has been in positions at Cornell Univ. &assar College, & is now doing work for the Ladies Home Journal, Philadelphia. She is well on her way towards the Ph.D. & has her M.A. She is a candidate worth considering if you have to replace Miss Phelps.

I was sorry to hear that you had a collapse, but glad you are reassured as to the reason for it. Such things are very disconcerting & have a nasty reflex on the nerves, at least, I find them so, as I notice that I get very upset with trivial happenings