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Sir Arthur Currie, G.C.M.G. Principal, McGill University.

Dear Sir,

I am leaving the City on Sunday morning for Swampscott, Massachusetts. I am reading a paper on Dental Education to the Massachusetts State Society.

I think that I mentioned to you, sometime ago, that Mrs.Thornton was far from being well. When I tell you that she has lost twenty-five pounds in weight, in the last two months, you will recognize that there is something radically wrong. This is a very serious loss, for a person weighing ordinarily about one hundred and twenty-five pounds. Dr.Gordon was in to see her and said he could find 'no organic trouble of any kind! He advised her to be out as much as possible and to avoid over-work, or over-anxiety, in other words, to take life easy for sometime.

As perhaps you will have noticed, she is inclined to be a little reticent with strangers, so that she cannot go alone, and have a very great deal of enjoyment.

I am writing you concerning this matter, in order that you may know the cause of my being away occasionally, between this and the opening of the Session in September.

I have promised to take some part in the Meeting of the Canadian Association in August. This Meeting will be attended by most of the Dentists in the West, and you will