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Sir Arthur Currie, K.C.B., D.S.O.,
Principal, McGill University,
Montreal, Canada.

Dear Sir:

I understand that Dr. Alfred Tingle is a candidate for the position of Professor of Industrial Chemistry in the University of Montreal, and I am taking the liberty of writing a few lines in advocacy of his candidature.

I have known Dr. Tingle for several years, more particularly in connection with his work on paper and pulp manufacture. In this connection he has a wonderfully broad grasp of the subject together with a very fertile imagination. In his communications to the Cellulose Section of the American Chemical Society he has impressed the members as a chemist of marked originality, and a man who can be depended upon to carry out important and valuable scientific work, not only in the sphere of pulp and paper, but also in that of cellulose chemistry in general.

As I am given to understand that in making the appointment special emphasis is to be laid on the ability of the candidate to promote and foster research work in this subject, I wish to say that I do not know of any man in Canada more competent in this respect than Dr. Tingle.

I have no means of judging of his ability as a teacher but with his agreeable personality and wide general knowledge have no reason to fear that he would not be equally efficient in this field also.

Very truly yours,

Harold Hibbert

*Associate-Professor of Applied Chemistry
Chairman, Cellulose Section, American
Chemical Society.*