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My dear Principal Atkinson,

Thank you very much for your letter of March 3rd with reference to Matriculation matters.

Personally, I have every sympathy with your suggestion. The Registrar tells me that he practically does now what you suggest should be done, although the Ontario schools have not been notified. Such notification as has been sent them was to the effect that those applying for entrance to this University would have to take our Matriculation examinations. But he tells me that the certificate presented does not disclose which of the marks are the result of recommendation and which of examination, and that time does not prevent him seeking the information. He has, therefore, been taking those who present recommendations. He will write to you, and also to Mr. Stuart.

It was a great pleasure for me to meet you the other evening at that most enjoyable gathering of the McGill graduates. What I had to say about the desirability of a National Government at the present time has caused some comment, at least. I have no hope that it will have an immediate result. Professional politicians care too much for the privileges and the prestige that go with supporting a party in power.

Ever yours faithfully,

Principal