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Sir Arthur Currie, K.C.B., K.C.M.G.  
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Sir,

In connection with the Verdun War Memorial now in course of erection, I have invited suggestions for the inscriptions from the school children of the City, four prizes having been offered by my Committee for the best inscriptions submitted, two having been allocated to the English speaking and two to the French speaking children. Quite a number of students have competed and at a meeting of the Committee held in the City Hall last evening, I was entrusted to ask if you would be good enough to judge the various inscriptions submitted and designate the prize winners.

It was further suggested that your criticism would prove valuable in aiding us to decide upon an appropriate inscription.

I may add that it is intended to have an inscription on the front of the memorial in both languages and another inscription in English on one side and in French on the other side.

I shall be obliged if you will let me know whether you are willing to assist us in this connection.

Yours faithfully,

Sidney D. Cunningham  
Hon. Sec.

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