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

My dear Principal,

I am returning herewith the copy of the letter from Mr. D.C. Logan to Dr. W.P. Percival which you handed to me and a suggested letter to Mr. Walter Mitchell.

Perhaps I may be permitted to add, too, that this is, in my opinion, only one of a long series of similar problems which we shall have to meet in the future, resulting from the projected separation of the Public School Leaving Examinations and the University Junior Matriculation Examinations, and that it will require someone with the patience of Job to settle these problems as they arise. The Department of Education proposes Examiner A and the University proposes Examiner B and who should say which of these nominations should be accepted? Who, for example, should say whether Mr. Woodley or Mr. MacDermot is the more satisfactory examiner in History? Why should both the School authorities and the University be called upon to settle unknown personal equations of this kind? The Department of Education and the School authorities of the Province have absolute and complete jurisdiction over the public schools and the University, under its charter, has a similar complete jurisdiction over its own examinations and requirements, and obviously,