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Honoured gir.

I dont know why I should address you, unless it be that you are generally regarded as a world citizen, a sportsman, and a gentleman who, by virtue of his position, can, if he likes, influence the thought and outlook on life of generations yet unborn. I am therefore "drawing a bow at a venture".

The influence of clean sport on the comity of nations is now generally regarded by thinkers as salutary, and universities are looked to to foster the right spirit, their influence being incalculable in chrystalising the thought and attitude of an nation in its relations with mankind.

Notwithstanding the fact that probably you never heard of me,I herewith enclose a contribution published in the "Province" of 31st.Octr./26 on the game of "Rugby".If you read it you will see the thought underlying the article.It appears to me that anything calculated to assist in promoting a spirit of cordiality and good will between ganada and her sister nations within the Empire is worth exploiting, and I see no reason why ganada's young manhood as represented in her universities should not be fired with an ambition to excell in this fine international game.yet there are of course difficulties to be overcome; and as in all progress, it will take a strong man to lead the way. In puting the idea before you I feel I have