

me indiscreet if I insist on
our last conversation (before I left
Montreal) about M^{lle} Touren.
I feel that she is really worth an
increase of salary of \$500., by her
past services and her present devotion
to McGill. I know that she refused
last year two advantageous proposals
in American Colleges, and I am afraid
that her loss would be very difficult
to repair. Although nobody is
really indispensable, I think that
it is McGill's interest to insure
her services with that increase
of salary, which was proposed for
her by Dean Laing and corresponds
to her title of Assistant Professor.

This business of finding