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The Honourable Mr. Justice V. C. MacDonald,
The Law Courts,
Spring Garden Road,
Halifax, Nova Scotia.

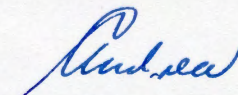
Dear Mr. Justice MacDonald,

I have been slow in writing to thank you for your kindness in appearing at the Law School, both for my class in Constitutional Law and for the Smith Shield competition.

The lecture you gave to the class in Constitutional Law was most successful. As we have been moving into the problems of distribution of powers the students have made reference on a number of occasions to your remarks. They seem to have, thanks to you, a perspective for considering the problems facing the courts which I seem as yet unable to convey. For this I am grateful to you, as I am sure the members of the class are.

We are also greatly indebted to you for sitting in judgment on the competition for the Smith Shield. Though it must be a bit of a chore for you and your colleagues on the bench, it is, as you know, a highlight of the year at the school and a most important event for the students involved. May I, on behalf of all my colleagues and the students, thank you for assisting in this affair.

Yours sincerely,



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