

August 13, 1930.

The Honourable C. H. Cahan, K.C.,
Secretary of State,
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I was indeed glad when I read that the new Government was to have the benefit of your long experience in public life and to be strengthened by your sound judgment and knowledge. It was in Murray Bay that I heard the good news of the great victory of the Conservative party and the splendid majority given you by your supporters in Montreal. I have only just returned to town, but my congratulations, though somewhat late, are none the less very sincere indeed.

I think we all feel that a most difficult time is ahead of us and that upon the shoulders of the new Ministry rests a tremendous responsibility. The most helpful and sympathetic co-operation is called for from all those truly interested in the real welfare of the country.

With kindest personal regards,
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