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At Berlin, July 9, 1909.

Dear Mr. Fby:

I was delighted to learn, by your letter received this morning, that the Canadian Peace and Arbitration Society had passed a resolution similar in its intent to the suggestion thrown out by myself at the Harvard Commencement on the 30th ult.

I thank you for mentioning that you would like to consult with me personally about the matter. It would be an equal pleasure to me to confer with you, and I shall watch for an early opportunity of doing this. I expect to be back in Ottawa on Monday, but am likely to be in Toronto off and on during the summer and I have asked my secretary to write and let you know when I am to be there, and arrange, if possible, an appointment. Should you be in Ottawa by any chance at any time, by sending a line the day before, I will endeavour to arrange a meeting with you.

I agree with all you say as to the importance of our meeting the wave of militarism by a counter propaganda on behalf of peace. You are quite right in believing that

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