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Rt. Honorable Arthur Meighen, Toronto, Ontario, Canada.

Honorable Sir:-

On behalf of the members of the Detroit Board of Commerce I want to tell you that we greatly appreciated the wonderful address on board the S. S. Noronic in Toronto Harbor last Friday evening. Conversation with those who were in attendance assures me that I bespeak the true sentiment of all who heard your splendid talk.

We, in Detroit, are hopeful that the St. Lawrence Waterway project will be given renewed impetus by our efforts to create a full realization of the exceptional advantages that will accrue to the people of both governments. Indifference still characterizes the attitude of some of our citizens, and in order to combat such indifference, we may want to invite these people to a dinner such as the one we had in Toronto Harbor. At that time, I hope you will be able to come to Detroit to further cement the friendships you made in Toronto, and to help us create a more active interest in the St. Lawrence project.

Sincerely Bouren

E. S. Evans, President.

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