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Shanghai, 20th April 1909.

Dear Mr. Mackenzie King

I am posting to you today a copy of the Report of the last annual meeting of Ratepayers at Shanghai. You may perhaps not care to read through the whole report, but it is just possible that you might be interested in seeing the work that I did at the meeting. I have therefore put a pencil mark at the top of every page which records any of my work. I always advocate reform, & economy, especially in these hard times. Municipal Councils everywhere are generally lavish & extravagant in spending public money, & need careful watching. I also send you a copy of last year's Report & Accounts of my two Companies, The Perak Sugar Cult. Co. Ltd. & The Kulumpang Rubber Co. Ltd. I founded both of these Companies, & have been Chairman of each of them ever since they started, & have in fact done all the work of managing them. The Shares of the Sugar Co. stand at 160 premium; the Shares of the Rubber Co. at 110 premium. Hoping to hear soon of your safe arrival at Ottawa,
I am, Sincerely Yours, W. Drummond.