

From His Royal Highness the Duke of Connaught

"Deeply depressed to hear of the death of Sir Wilfrid Laurier. Canada and the Empire mourn the great veteran and a charming personality whose name will long be remembered in the Dominion he loved so well.

(Signed) Arthur."

Lloyd George

Among the messages of sympathy received by Lady Laurier was the following from Premier Lloyd George:

"I heard with deep regret of the sudden death of your distinguished husband. It has been my privilege to meet him on many occasions when he represented the Dominion of Canada in this country and I was always impressed with his great gifts. Whilst true to the core to his native land and to his race, his faith and pride in the great Empire of which Canada is part was conspicuous throughout his career. Men of all countries will mourn the loss of a great and attractive personality and nowhere will his death be more deeply felt than in this country which entertained for him a cordial regard and admiration.

"D. LLOYD GEORGE,
London."

Ex-President Taft

"He was a very remarkable man. At the head of the Canadian government for fifteen years, he performed the task of maintaining a solid party of French and British Canadians under the Liberal banner and did much for the advancement of Canada. He had a capacity of attracting to him friends who followed him with intense loyalty and with the greatest admiration. He will be greatly mourned not only in Canada, but everywhere."

The New York Tribune

"Among Canadian statesmen of our day Sir Wilfrid Laurier easily ranked first. The Canada of the present is in a large measure his work."