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Rt. Hon. Arthur Meighen, P.C., K.C.,
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Dear Friend

I have recently obtained Canadian and U.S.A. patents on an invention of mine, an oil brake for automobiles. The patents are worth either nothing or a great deal. To determine which, money is needed to make a thorough test; especially to equip a car or two and put the brakes to thorough endurance tests.

I started to organize a syndicate to raise some \$5000 for this purpose and went to Mr. Hunter of Miller & Hunter to put the syndicate agreement into proper form. He strongly advised against a syndicate and suggested that I get hold of one or several men who would provide all the funds needed for the test.

I do not know of any man of ample means who would be likely to coöperate in this way. Advertising would probably get me into the hands of sharks. So I bet thought myself of an old friend who

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