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We are going to have very unstable Government. King will depend on a rag-tail end of the French-Canadian membership, plus the C. C. F. Nothing could be much worse than this.

The Conservatives now have sixty-six elected on the civilian vote. There are no less than sixty-five seats that are capable of being changed by the soldier vote. I would not think more than ten would be changed, and, of course, it may be less than that number. That there will be some change there is no question,--and in favour of the Conservative Party. If it had been possible to get anything like a full soldier vote, King would probably be defeated yet. It was not possible.

I should not be surprised to see another election within a couple of years. But whether it comes or not, we have just about as bad a situation as could be imagined.

While writing, I may say that I intend to be in New York on the 10th and 11th of next month. I am going to the Celanese meeting on the 10th and am waiting over to the 11th to attend the Luncheon being given in honour of Mr. D. C. Coleman.

With all kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

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