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Ottown, November 29, 1920

Mr. Andrew R. Melhster, K.C., M.P., Canada Life Building, Nontreal, Que.

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I thank you very heartily for your letter just received, which I very much appreciate.

I of course see the force of all you say. Once I ascertained that the matter was one of concern to any of our friends, I decided, pending an opportunity of a conversation with yourself and one or two others, to adopt the very course you have suggested. Please, therefore, do not hesitate to assure any of our friends the may have spoken to you, or to when you may have spoken, of this matter, that they need not feel any further concern one way or the other.

I need scarcely say that I more than appreciate the spirit in which you have written, and your kindness in writing me in the first instance. Both of your communications I welcome most heartily.

With kind regards.

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Yours very sincerely,

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