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Dear Arthur:

Many thanks for your letter of June 12th. I am very much impressed by the report prepared by Dr. C. E. Silcox for the Canadian Institute of International Affairs. It is full of common sense, and, as an American thinking of American interests, I hope his plea for a clear-cut foreign policy for Canada and the British Commonwealth will prevail in Ottawa. The ominous menace in the East certainly calls for a clear-cut, courageous and cooperative foreign policy among all the English-speaking peoples. This is not merely desirable, but has become a matter of self-preservation.

Mrs. Hunt joins me in affectionate regards to Mrs. Meighen and yourself.

Faithfully yours,

Lawrence

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