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Rt. Hon. Arthur Meighen, K.C.,
68 Yonge St.
Toronto.

Dear Sir:

Active preparations are going on at Bolton Camp in readiness for the summer's work. Never was Bolton Camp more needed. To thousands of people this year it will be the gateway to new health and hope after a winter of anxiety and want.

You have been a stalwart friend to Bolton Camp in the past, and so it is with confidence that we appeal to you for help again. We are coming only to those who are very real friends of the work. The money given will be used to enlarge and improve the facilities of Bolton Camp. That is, it will be used for capital purposes only.

We are, as you know, members of the Federation for Community Service, and the success of its Annual Campaign is a matter of great importance to us, and the other organizations which it supports. We depend upon it for the maintenance of our work, and it is of the utmost importance that every one of the organizations in Federation should give the fullest support to this Annual Appeal. The Federation, however, does not supply money for capital purposes and any such funds required by us must be provided by our special friends. We are anxious, however, that the response to this request of ours for capital funds should, in no way, interfere with the contribution that our friends will make in the Fall to the Annual Federation Appeal.

Your further interest and help this year in the plans we are making for Bolton Camp would be deeply appreciated. We want to be able to take just as many children at the Camp as we possibly can in view of the greatness of the need. The success of this appeal will enable us to increase the number taken as a result of additional accommodation. This coming summer we are planning to give a twelve day holiday to 4700 children and mothers.

Yours very sincerely,

General Secretary.

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