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Hon. Arthur Meighen,
President du Senat,
Ottawa, Ont.

Dear Sir:-

I was at the arrival of the Hon. Mr. Bennett and he had a good reception, both at Quebec and Montreal, and we have learnt from him that a good deal of success was attained and all Canadians are proud of him.

At the first opportunity I would feel grateful to you to find out if he had time to think of your humble servant, or whether he will interest himself to the man who spent a good deal of energy and money for his country.

However, I am glad when I hear the La Hague Commission is deciding that Greenland, our friendly neighbours, have been awarded the whole of the Island, according to geography problem; therefore what I did in 1909 will remain a monument for Canada and the Canadians.

I take this opportunity to thank you for what you have done while Prime Minister of Canada in seconding my efforts years ago, and you certainly deserve the bigger share of my maintaining possession of our Northern heritage which the British Government gave to Canada on the 1st September 1880, and I will be pleased to hear of your final efforts in securing for Canada at least 500,000 square miles of territory which according to my knowledge and other explorers will be very valuable in the near future, in coal, copper, silver and fisheries.

I remain, Dear Sir,

Yours very truly,

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