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Toronto, Ontario.
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Dear Arthur:

Thank you sincerely for your very charming letter of the 21st. A great load has been lifted from my shoulders and I am selfish enough to think that it could only have been lifted in the way it was. I go down as one of the happy slain, glad to have suffered defeat in a good cause and joyful that I can look out upon a world rosier and easier than the one in which I have moved for the last thirty years. I am glad that I gave twenty-three years of these to service in public life and while for the time being I am joining the army of the unemployed it is only for a temporary rest subsequently to take up anew the battle of life under different auspices. I am thankful that I still have optimism, courage and a joy in facing the future. I look forward to the years ahead with much pleasing anticipation. From a different angle I can view the work of our Liberal successors. I hope that they will not swing too far to the left.

With all good wishes.

Sincerely yours,


Right Honourable Arthur Meighen,
The Senate,
OTTAWA, Ontario.

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