

THE CITY LIBERY CLUB  
HONORABLE SECRETARY

W. L. MACKENZIE KING

MEMORANDUM  
TO THE HONORABLE SECRETARY  
FROM THE PRESIDENT  
SUBJECT: THE TOAST OF THE LORD MAYOR  
AND SHERIFFS AND THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF LONDON  
I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 27th September 1923 and in reply to inform you that the proposal is being considered by the Council.

On Friday, October 26th, 1923, the Council of the City Libery Club at the Hotel Cecil on Friday, October 26th, 1923, will be holding their annual dinner and it is proposed that the toast of the Lord Mayor and Sheriffs and the Corporation of the City of London should be proposed at this dinner.

Yours faithfully,

London, October 1st 1923  
Ritz Hotel

C 74034



# The City Libery Club

A Club for Liberymen Only.

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Memo. from The Hon. Secretary,

"RAITHBY," PINWOOD ROAD,  
BROMLEY, KENT.

27th September 1923.

ASB/ER.

Mackenzie King Esq.,  
Ritz Hotel,  
Piccadilly, W.-

C 74034

Dear Sir:-

We are holding our Ninth Annual Dinner at the Hotel Cecil on Friday, October 26th., when the Lord Mayor and Sheriffs and other distinguished gentlemen will be present. I am writing to ask whether you would honour the Club by accepting an invitation to be present and to propose the Toast of the Lord Mayor and Sheriffs and the Corporation of the City of London Needless to say the members of the Club would be highly delighted and consider themselves extremely fortunate if you would consent to be present.

I hope to hear in due course that we may have the pleasure of your company.

Awaiting your reply,  
Yours faithfully,

A. S. Bell

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