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My dear Mr. Secretary:

I understand that, when you were recently in London, during conversations which Mr. St. Laurent had with you and Mr. Bevin, our Minister of Justice promised to keep you informed of developments in connection with what is known as the "Corby" case. I am, therefore, on instructions from my Prime Minister, sending you herewith a transcript of the testimony on this case already taken by the Royal Commission in Ottawa which is investigating it.

Believe me, my dear Mr. Byrnes,

Yours very sincerely,

L.B. PEARSON

The Hon. James F. Byrnes,

Secretary of State of the United States,

Washington, D.C.

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