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of his personal good-will and the encouragement which in trying hours and days he has always been ready to give, I am not surprised at this latest expression of his generous nature, his personal regard and his public spirit. In your presence I desire to thank him most warmly and in deepest sincerity.)

Should it be my good fortune to represent this constituency in the new Parliament, I shall continue to count upon the Doctor as a guide, philosopher and friend in all that pertains to the interests of the constituency and the well-being of its members. He and I will continue to work together in the constituency as during the past five years we have worked together in Parliament.

I come now to the gentlemen who have comprised the delegation that waited on me at Laurier House. You, Mr. Major, as President of the Glengarry Liberal Association, were one of the three. Mr. Donald MacDonald, who as President of the Eastern Ontario Liberal Association has addressed this gathering this evening, was another of the three. The third member of the delegation was Mr. MacDonald, son of my old friend and the former representative of the constituency, Archie John MacDonald. To all three I wish also to express my warmest thanks not only for the initiative taken at so