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Honourable D.O. L'Esperance,
Perce,
P.Q.

My dear Senator:

I just got your letter of July 27th to-day. Had, however, seen the one you wrote Senator Webster who got it yesterday afternoon.

Am somewhat worried over Rimouski, that is, since your letter arrived. The Senator and I thought, not getting word from you on Friday as we expected, that we had better tackle the job and go into the fight in Rimouski. We delayed purposely some days in order to be able to get word from you, and also to find out such other information as we could. I am disposed to think still that it would hurt us very much to agree to an acclamation for Sir Eugene Fiset. The press generally is very critical of his running for Parliament on the ground that he retired from service and received a pension on the assumption that his days of work were over. Furthermore, he has repudiated his support of conscription which puts him in a very false light throughout the Dominion of Canada.

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