

jeopardize "half the votes."  
I got home from the  
sea late last night where  
we heard little politics and  
in Montreal I met an ex-  
member from the West who  
told me in his opinion you  
could carry his late seat  
with little difficulty. I  
asked him if he had  
had that seat brought to  
your notice to which  
he answered that he had,  
so I know that I am  
not the first to tell you

(Aug. 7, 1919)

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173 Daly Avenue

Dear Mr. King,

I want to add  
my congratulations to the  
hundred of others that you  
have received. I hate to say  
it, but the choice of you  
as leader was a delightful  
surprise to me. I was sure  
that either Mr. Fielding or  
Mr. McKenzie would be the

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