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Could public opinion do more in the way of expressing itself? Could figures be more elequent of the growing indignation of a people through the usurpation by a ministry of the powers of popular control?

Little wonder that the Government's own political organs are beginning to beseech it anow to read the handwriting upon the wall, and to bring on a general election before it is defeated in Parliament by votes of its erstwhile followers.

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The Government's refusal to grant a general election, in the face of such a convincing expression of public opinion is the more amazing when it is known that of all the selfgoverning parts of the British Empire, and of all the countries belonging to the Allied and Associated Powers, the people of Canada alone, of the number, have been denied, the right of a general election and a representative Parliament to deal with post-war conditions.

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