

curious time in Liverpool res-  
cuing him from the usual penal-  
ty of four weeks in jail now  
imposed upon str-a-ways, &  
getting him off to Canada.  
I can't quite believe he would  
swore to be worthless of the help  
given him. If he turns up  
will you kindly let me hear  
what his story is - my safest  
address always is care of  
Messrs. Bevan, Shiple & Co.  
123 Pall Mall - N.  
Please remember me to your  
Mother, & believe me always yours

11549  
Egerton Place. S. N.  
June 9<sup>th</sup> 1909.  
Mr. King.  
I sincerely & most  
warmly sympathize  
with you & congratulate  
you most warmly on your  
entrance into the Cabinet;  
which I had seen noticed in  
the papers before your letter  
reached me telling me of the  
possible nearness of this step.  
Your distinction is your 'hall  
mark' of merit; & thus may  
well feel the pride & pleasure