Imperial Bank Building, Saskatoon, Saskatchewan. February 18th, 1932. Right Honorable Arthur Meighen, Leader of The Senate. Parliament Buildings, Ottawa. Ontario. Dear Mr. Meighen: It is with a very deep feeling of pleasure and satisfaction that I learned of your appointment to the position of Leader of The Senate and also as to that of Minister without Portfolio in the Cabinet of the Federal Government. Since you voluntarily resigned from political life. many of us have expressed the desire and hope that you would soon return and take your place again in the directing of the affairs of the Dominion of Canada in the Parliament Buildings at Ottawa. I have very pleasant recollections of our meetings at various times, especially during my campaign as the Conservative candidate in the elections of 1925-26 in the Constituency of South Battleford. Although some of us went into the campaign without any hope of winning, knowing that the nationality of a large portion of the electors of our Constituencies would preclude that possibility, we did however succeed in planting the tanner of the Conservative Party in districts that were opposed to our policy, because of a lack of understanding of Conservative principles, to the effect that the Conservative majorities in the last election were considerably increased and in the last Provincial election of 1929 we were successful in electing three Conservatives in the four Provincial seats in my old Constituency of South Battleford. As Vice-President of the Provincial Conservative Association, I wish to extend to you my very test wishes for your health and happiness and I trust that you will be long spared to render service in the Government of Canada, for which you are particularly fitted. With very kindest regards. I am. Yours respectfully. JAH/KM. MEIGHEN PAPERS, Series 5 (M.G. 26, I, Volume 171) PUBLIC ARCHIVES ARCHIVES PUBLIQUES CANADA