

## A LETTER FROM SIR ROBERT BORDEN.



Ottawa, May 28, 1917.

My dear Sir,-

Permit me to congratulate you on the second anniversary of the "Listening Post". From time to time I have had the privilege and pleasure of reading this very interesting paper established and conducted under such novel and remarkable conditions, and I have been much struck by the ability and wit displayed by the contributors. To the men at the front it must be a great source of interest and diversion; to those at home in Canada it is in itself a message telling of the splendid cheerfulness and indifference to hardship with which our gallant men are defending our institutions and our liberties. I should like to convey to the members of the Canadian Expeditionary Force my grateful appreciation of all they have done, and my best wishes for the future in the arduous task that lies before them.

Believe me,

Yours faithfully,

Major D. Philpot,  
Editor, "Listening Post".  
th Battalion, Canadian Infantry,  
B. E. F.,  
France.

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "R. B. Borden". The signature is written in a cursive style with a long horizontal line underneath.