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Dear Sir. As one who can, in a measure at least, claim to be a somewhat prominent member of the Presbyterian Church in Canada, having been for several years, Clerk of the Presbytery of Prince Edward Island (the only layman in the Dominion who had ever held such an office) as well as having had a seat on many important Committees of the Church, including the Union Committee, I desire respectfully to call your attention to the Bill now before the House in reference to the Union of the Methodist, Congregational and Presbyterian Churches.

The power of the General Assembly to seek such legislation is open to serious question, and I trust therefore that you may be able to see your way to support the position taken by the Bell's Committee in referring the whole question to the Courts to decide this and other important points in this most unfair Bill.

Very respectfully

J. C. James

The Rt Hon
Arthur Meighen