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Hon. Arthur Meighen

My dear Arthur -

I am ashamed to write you in answer to your two letters Mr Mrs Sumner's nephew being busy all summer on the farms and surrounded with labour which was far from satisfactory I did not feel that I should encourage any good boy to come among them. besides if the young man did come to either Grenville or myself we naturally would feel that he should get special attention and prefered treatment to other men on the place which would mean he would be taken into the house away from other men and men then I got afraid his morals would be effected while at work with the other men If the lad is still of the notion of coming to Canada to learn farming and you want to do something for him I will, if on the farm next summer take him on and do the best I can for