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The Honorable Arthur Meighen,
347 Bay Street,
TORONTO, Ontario.

Dear Mr. Meighen:-

I wish to thank you for your letter of July 11, 1932, and to express my appreciation for the interest which you are taking on my behalf. I do not know if Colonel Taylor advised you of the conditions under which I accepted the appointment of Conservative Organizer for Manitoba in 1929. They were as follows: firstly, that I was to remain with the Organization until after both the Federal and Provincial Elections. Secondly, that I was not to be a Candidate in either Election. Thirdly, that in the event of the Conservative Party being successful in either of the two aforesaid Elections, I was to receive a satisfactory appointment.

This arrangement was approved of by General McRae in 1929 and Mr. Bennett has been advised as to the arrangement.

I understand that appointments will be made shortly in connection with the Civil Service Commission and also the Tariff Board, with the possibility of the formation of a Marketing Board. I would like, if possible, to receive an appointment on one of these Commissions.

In 1930, following the General Election, the Conservative Members from Manitoba recommended my appointment as a member of the Pension Tribunal. There had, however, been an arrangement with the Veterans Organization to the effect

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