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Brandon Industrial School,
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My dear Mr. Meighen,-

I have written you the morning following the last two elections and feel constrained to do so to-day.

You have gone through a most strenuous campaign and have been consistent with your platform and policy throughout our whole country with its diversified interests but it appears that the majority of the electors do not believe in the fiscal policy that you have so ably presented. Those who know you best, whether they agree or disagree with your political policy, look upon you as one of our best informed men in all national and international questions and it may be that on this question you are ahead of the times in which we are living. I do not view the vote of yesterday as an expression of anything personal in its application but it shows that a man standing too near the target that the people wish to strike, must not feel hurt by the blow that was intended for a policy and not for its advocate.

Kindly interpret this as a mark of sympathy, but more especially as one of high appreciation of your outstanding ability in the public life of our beloved Dominion.

Yours very sincerely,

T. Ferrier

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22 Cooper Street, Ottawa.

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