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Mr. King's War Service ✓  
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Convention of 1919 ✓  
Mr. King & the leadership of the  
Liberal Party ✓

Dear Mr. Mackenzie King,

When the news of your  
election to the leadership of the  
Liberal Party reached me this morning  
it was, believe me, with deep regret that  
I felt I could not, in any sincerity,  
send you the congratulations a good  
wishes I should so much like to offer  
you, until I had, from you yourself,  
a reply to a question so serious  
that it goes to the root of everything  
else. Moreover, before it is asked  
in public it seems only fair that  
it should be put before you privately.  
It is a blunt question & had  
better be bluntly asked -

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