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HOUSE OF COMMONS
CANADA

Leader of the Opposition

Kingston, Ont., 25th September, 1925

Dear Mr. McCrea,

Your letter of the 23rd, enclosing one from John Ferguson, of North Bay with reference to Italian Immigration has been forwarded to me here. I am replying to him by this mail. It would be going too far to say that I would be in favour of unrestricted immigration. Some time ago I wrote a letter to a Jewish Publication in Montreal, defining my attitude on the subject and I stated something to the effect that White immigrants of good character and sound body and mind should be admitted to Canada irrespective of creed, providing they are capable of, and prepared to engage in productive work.

~~This would cover the case of Italian immigration.~~

Yours very truly,

The Honourable Charles McCrea, M.L.A.,

Toronto, Ontario.

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