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CABINET CONCLUSIONS

A meeting of the Cabinet was held in the Privy Council Chamber on Monday, October 22nd, 1951, at 10.30 a.m.

Present:

The Prime Minister  
(Mr. St-Laurent) in the Chair,  
The Minister of Trade and Commerce  
and Minister of Defence Production  
(Mr. Howe),  
The Minister of Public Works  
(Mr. Fournier),  
The Minister of National Defence  
(Mr. Claxton),  
The Minister of Transport  
(Mr. Chevrier),  
The Minister of National Health and Welfare  
(Mr. Martin),  
The Minister of National Revenue  
(Dr. McCann),  
The Minister of Labour  
(Mr. Gregg),  
The Secretary of State for External Affairs  
(Mr. Pearson),  
The Minister of Resources and Development  
(Mr. Winters),  
The Secretary of State  
(Mr. Bradley),  
The Minister of Veterans Affairs  
(Mr. Lapointe),  
The Minister of Citizenship and Immigration  
(Mr. Harris),  
The Minister of Mines and Technical Surveys  
(Mr. Prudham).

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The Secretary to the Cabinet  
(Mr. Robertson),  
Mr. R. G. Robertson, Privy Council Office,  
Mr. Paul Pelletier, Privy Council Office,  
Mr. C. C. Eberts, Privy Council Office.

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Vatican; diplomatic representation; possible statement

1. The Prime Minister said that the recent announcement of the appointment of General Mark Clark as the first U.S. diplomatic representative to the Vatican would probably give rise in the House

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