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Ottawa, December 12th, 1946.

CABINET CONCLUSIONS

A meeting of the Cabinet was held in the Privy Council Chamber on Thursday, December 12th, 1946, at 3 p.m.

Present:

The Prime Minister (Mr. King), in the Chair,
The Minister of Justice (Mr. Ilesley),
The Minister of Agriculture (Mr. Gardiner),
The Minister of Trade and Commerce (Mr. MacKinnon),
The Minister of National Defence for Air (Mr. Gibson),
The Secretary of State for External Affairs (Mr. St. Laurent),
The Minister of Public Works (Mr. Fournier),
The Postmaster General (Mr. Bertrand),
The Minister of National Health and Welfare (Mr. Claxton),
The Minister of Mines and Resources (Mr. Glen),
The Minister of National Defence, Minister of National Defence for Naval Services and Minister of Finance (Mr. Abbott),
The Minister of National Revenue and Minister of National War Services (Dr. McCann),
The Minister of Fisheries (Mr. Bridges).

The Secretary to the Cabinet (Mr. Heeney).

Also present (for discussion recorded in paragraphs 7 to 11):

The Chairman of the Wartime Prices and Trade Board (Mr. Gordon).

Post Office; appointment of postmaster at Ste. Anne de Beaupre

1. The Postmaster General reported that it was proposed to reject the appointment by the Civil Service Commission of one J.A.M. Caron, to the position of postmaster at Ste. Anne de Beaupre on the ground that he did not possess the proper residential qualification.

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