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Memorandum for the Prime Minister:

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The Canadian Press have just telephoned with regard to an item which they have received, stating that -

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"authoritative quarters in London say that plans for an autumn conference of Dominion Leaders will go forward, as far as Britain is concerned, regardless of post-election changes in the composition of the South African Government."

They report that an item from Australia indicates that Prime Minister Chifley has stated that he has received a communication from Mr. Attlee with regard to the matter. They are asking whether there is any comment from here.

Would you wish to have it said, should there be any further calls, that there is "no comment" from here?

It is possible that there might be a question on the Orders of the Day this afternoon arising out of this report.

*P.M. said "no comment"*

R.G.R.

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