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FRIDAY, OCTOBER 30, 1953.

On his forthcoming visit to Ottawa President Eisenhower will arrive by train at Union Station at 11:30 a.m. Friday, November 13. The President, accompanied by Mrs. Eisenhower, will be greeted on their arrival by His Excellency the Governor General, and by the Prime Minister and members of the Cabinet and their wives.

The President will then review a Guard of Honour in Confederation Square (approximately 11:40 a.m.), will walk to the National War Memorial and place a wreath, and will then leave for Government House where the President and Mrs. Eisenhower will stay as guests of His Excellency.

At 4:00 p.m. the President and Mrs. Eisenhower will each plant a maple tree on the grounds of Government House.

A dinner in honour of the President will be given by His Excellency at Government House on Friday evening and will be followed by a reception.

At 10:45 a.m. Saturday, November 14, the President will review a Guard of Honour in front of the Peace Tower before entering the Parliament Building, where arrangements are being made for the President to address members of the Senate and the House of Commons, in the Commons Chamber at 11:00 a.m.

The President will meet with members of the Cabinet in the Parliament Building at 11:45 a.m., after which he and Mrs. Eisenhower will attend a luncheon given by the Prime Minister and Mrs. St. Laurent at 24 Sussex Street.

On Saturday evening the President will give a dinner at the United States Embassy residence in honour of the Governor General and the Prime Minister, followed by a small reception.

The President will leave from Union Station and his time of departure on Saturday night will be announced subsequently.
