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The Department of External Affairs announced today the appointment of General H.D.G. Crerar, C.H., C.B., D.S.O., former General Officer Commanding-in-Chief of the First Canadian Army and of Mr. Pierre Dupuy, C.M.G., who is Canadian Ambassador at The Hague, as a Special Mission to represent Canada at the enthronement of Princess Juliana, as Queen of The Netherlands, on September 6.

General Crerar will be accompanied by Mrs. Crerar, and by Major H. Tellier, D.S.O., as Aide-de-Camp.

It is expected that after the enthronement of Queen Juliana, General Crerar will visit the Canadian battlefields in The Netherlands, Belgium and France.

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