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Ottawa, September 12th, 1936.

MEMORANDUM FOR THE ACTING PRIME MINISTER:

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In the attached correspondence, Dr. M. E. Abbott extends an invitation to Mr. King to attend the unveiling, at St. Andrews East, on October the 3rd, of a tablet erected to Sir John Abbott, one of the Prime Ministers of Canada. Mr. King explained he would be out of the country but would endeavour to arrange to have one of his colleagues attend as the representative of the Government.

Mr. King suggested that Mr. Cardin be present. Mr. Cardin, however, did not care to do so. On September the 3rd you suggested Mr. Rinfret, who, however, expressed disinclination to speak, as he considered it "an English-speaking occasion". He suggested Mr. Power.

You may wish to discuss this further in Council, or arrange with one of your colleagues from Quebec to be present.

I will appreciate having the correspondence eventually returned for the fyles of the office.

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