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THE COMMITTEE ON INTER-IMPERIAL RELATIONS.

Treaty Procedure Sub-Committee.

Stenographic Notes of the Eighth Meeting of the Sub-Committee, held in the Cabinet Room, Foreign Office, S.W. 1, on Friday, November 12, 1926, at 3 P.M.

Present:

The Hon. E. LAPOINTE, K.C., Minister of Justice, Canada (*in the Chair*).*Great Britain.*Sir C. J. B. HURST, G.C.M.G., K.C.B.,
K.C., Legal Adviser, Foreign Office.Mr. E. J. HARDING, C.B., C.M.G.,
Assistant Under-Secretary of State,
Dominions Office, and Deputy Secretary
to the Conference.*Commonwealth of Australia.*The Right Hon. S. M. BRUCE, M.C.,
Prime Minister.*Union of South Africa.*General the Hon. J. B. M. HERTZOG,
Prime Minister.The Hon. N. C. HAVENGA, Minister of
Finance.*Canada.*Dr. O. D. SKELTON, Deputy Minister of
External Affairs.*New Zealand.*The Right Hon. Sir FRANCIS BELL,
G.C.M.G., K.C., Minister without
Portfolio.*Irish Free State.*Mr. DESMOND FITZGERALD, T.D.,
Minister for External Affairs.Mr. J. COSTELLO, K.C., Attorney-
General.*India.*Mr. G. H. SPENCE, I.C.S., Secretary to
the Delegation.

The following were also present:

*Great Britain.*Mr. H. W. MALKIN, C.B., C.M.G.,
Second Legal Adviser, Foreign Office.Mr. W. E. BECKETT, Assistant Legal
Adviser, Foreign Office.*Union of South Africa.*Mr. H. GORDON WATSON, I.S.O., Secretary
to the Delegation.*Commonwealth of Australia.*Mr. M. BONIWELL, Assistant Parlia-
mentary Draughtsman.*Irish Free State.*Mr. J. P. WALSH, Secretary of the
Department of External Affairs.

Mr. H. F. BATTERBEE, C.M.G., C.V.O. (Dominions Office)	} <i>Joint Secretaries.</i>
Mr. F. E. F. ADAM (Foreign Office)	
Mr. R. G. CASEY, D.S.O., M.C. (Australian Delegation)	

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