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THE PRIME MINISTER: The only difficulty in regard to that is that the Imperial Conference has always been a conference of Governments, and no provision has been made for the official representation of Oppositions, either in the Dominions or in the country convening the Conference.

MR. GUEST: With regard to overseas settlement, will there be any investigation into the land available in the Dominions in connection with that particular question?

THE PRIME MINISTER: Perhaps the hon. Member will put that question to the Secretary of State for the Dominions. I cannot answer it.

MR. WARDLAW-MILNE: Is the date, 5th October, likely to be altered because of any conditions which exist in any of these Dominions?

THE PRIME MINISTER: I could not answer that question at present.

MR. THURLE: Will this Conference discuss the powers of Governors-General with regard to the dissolution of Dominion Parliaments?

THE PRIME MINISTER: I have not had any notice that that subject will be discussed.

MR. RENNIE SMITH: May I enquire whether Members of this House or of the general public will be allowed to attend the Conference?

THE PRIME MINISTER: I have not considered that question. It has never been done yet.

MR. T. WILLIAMS: Will the Prime Minister consider that, as far as Australia and this country are concerned, the Governments do not represent a majority of the voters?

THE PRIME MINISTER: That does not prevent them being Governments.

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