

The Imperial Economic Conference.

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Attitude of Liberal Party towards.

Made a political issue by Manion and Stevens and other
Conservative leaders in campaign.

Would have prepared to wait until parliament meets -
impossible to do so now;
compelled to debate the issue.

Do not intend to do so beyond what may be necessary to
answer claims of opponents.

I. Domestic Results -

What are they?

That Conference has achieved great things,
especially for farmers.

(a) What are they - Agreements don't disclose.

Approving in the dark.

Let me ask one thing. If this Conference has
done so much for farmers, why was this
by-election brought on before agreements made
public in their entirety?

Election did not need to be held until -

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