

4. The Ottawa Journal of October 12th carried a report of a public meeting the previous night at Renfrew, in support of the local Conservative candidate, at which M. J. O'Brien, Jr., urged the electors to support the Bennett Government. The article is headed "Plant Will Close If King Elected".

(Copy of press clipping attached)

5. Mr. King, speaking at Ottawa on October 12th, referred to the O'Brien statement. "The Liberal Leader said that if the plant was closed the Liberal Government would take it over and see that it is run. He also promised that employers could expect the fullest investigations into industry to find out how much safeguard was afforded the industry and the consumers by those who were obtaining special preference". (Ottawa Citizen, October 14th).

(Copy of press report of Mr. King's speech attached).

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