

THE PRIME MINISTER'S TOUR

The following plans have been announced for the United Kingdom and continental portion of the Prime Minister's European and Commonwealth tour.

Mr. and Mrs. Diefenbaker and their party will arrive in London by RCAF C-5 aircraft on the morning of Thursday, October 30. The Prime Minister will meet later that day with Prime Minister Macmillan, and expects to have talks with him and the Secretary of State for Commonwealth Relations and other Cabinet Ministers on Thursday and Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Diefenbaker will have dinner at No. 10 Downing Street on the evening of their arrival.

Mr. and Mrs. Diefenbaker hope to spend the weekend privately in Scotland, visiting Edinburgh and Kildonan, in Sutherland, from where Mr. Diefenbaker's great-grandparents came to Canada, and will return to London on Monday, November 3. Mr. Diefenbaker will be the guest of honour at a luncheon given by the Lord Mayor of London at the Mansion House on Monday, and the Canadian High Commissioner and Mrs. Drew will give a dinner for the Prime Minister and Mrs. Diefenbaker that evening.

Mr. Diefenbaker will have further talks with United Kingdom leaders Tuesday morning. He and Mrs. Diefenbaker will be received at lunch by Her Majesty the Queen and His Royal Highness the Duke of Edinburgh at Buckingham Palace on Tuesday. That evening, Mr. Diefenbaker will address a meeting of the Commonwealth and Empire Industries Association at the Royal Albert Hall. Prime Minister Macmillan and Opposition Leader Gaitskell will be among the guests present.

On Wednesday morning, November 5, Mr. and Mrs. Diefenbaker and their party will leave for Paris where they will spend that day and where the Prime Minister will meet President de Gaulle.

The Prime Minister and his party will spend November 6 with the RCAF in France.

On the invitation of the Federal German Government, Mr. and Mrs. Diefenbaker will go to Bonn on November 7, to return on behalf of The Government of Canada, the visit paid to this country last May and June, of President Heuss. While in Bonn, the Prime Minister will have talks with Chancellor Adenauer and other German leaders.

On November 10, the Prime Minister will visit the Canadian Infantry Brigade at Soest, Germany, and it is expected he will observe Remembrance Day with the Canadian Forces in Europe before flying to Rome on the afternoon of November 11.

In Rome, the Prime Minister will meet the Italian Prime Minister, Mr. Fanfani.

Mr. and Mrs. Diefenbaker will leave Rome on the evening of November 12 for Karachi.

NEW GERMAN AMBASSADOR

The Department of External Affairs announced on September 25 that His Excellency Dr. Herbert Siegfried presented to the Deputy Governor-General, the Honourable Robert Taschereau, Justice of the Supreme Court of Canada, his Letter of Credence as Ambassador extraordinary and plenipotentiary of the Federal Republic of Germany to Canada. The ceremony took place at the Supreme Court of Canada.

UNESCO DELEGATION

The Department of External Affairs has announced the composition of the Canadian Delegation to the tenth session of the general conference of the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization (UNESCO) which will be held at the headquarters of the organization in Paris from November 4 to December 5, 1958.

The Chairman of the Delegation will be Dr. N.A.M. Mackenzie, President of the Canadian National Commission for UNESCO, member of the Canada Council and President of the University of British Columbia. The Vice-Chairman and Principal Adviser will be Mr. E.B. Rogers, Canadian Ambassador to Turkey. The other members of the Delegation are:

Delegates-

- Mr. R.J. McCleave, M.P. for Halifax.
- Mr. E. Morissette, M.P. for Rimouski.
- Dr. W.H. Swift, Deputy Minister of Education for Alberta and representative of the Canadian Education Association on the Canadian National Commission.

Alternates-

- Dr. P.H. Brieger, Professor and Head of the Department of Arts and Archaeology, University of Toronto
- Dr. Pierre Gendron, Dean of Sciences, University of Ottawa; member of governing body of the National Research Council; representative on the National Commission of L'Association Canadienne-Francaise pour l'avancement des sciences.
- Mr. K. Kaplansky, Director of International Affairs, Canadian Labour Congress.
- Mr. Marcel Ouimet, Canadian Broadcasting Corporation.
- Dr. Aileen Ross, Assistant Professor of Sociology, McGill University.

Advisers-

- Mr. Eugène Bussière, Secretary of the Canadian National Commission for UNESCO and Associate Director of the Canada Council.
- Dr. E.F. Sheffield, Chairman, Programme Committee, Canadian National Commission for UNESCO and Research Officer, National Conference of Canadian Universities