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Nova Scotia's Duty.

The return of the Government was certain from the support assured from the Prairie Provinces, Ontario and Quebec, but he strongly appealed to his fellow Nova Scotians to give the Government such a full measure of support that it will be able to carry through to a conclusion those progressive measures and reforms which would secure complete recognition of the claims and interests of Nova Scotia. (Cheers.)

"Mr. Meighen," said Mr. Macdonald, "has a hobby on protection." Appealing more directly to apple

growers of the Annapolis Valley, Mr. Macdonald said that when the present Government proposed to remove the duty on artificial fertilizer and farm implements they were met by the determined opposition of the Conservative party. "We come to the Canadian people with confidence and with a clean record," he declared. "There has not been a scintilla of a charge against us that we have misappropriated a single dollar." (Cheers.) The meeting closed with the singing of the National Anthem and cheers for King George and MacKenzie King.

Visit to Acadia

The Premier and party including L. H. Martell and Mrs. Martell, Dr. Beland, E. M. Macdonald and Secretary, Miss Cameron, Mrs. Richardson, of Windsor and representatives of the press arrived at Wolfville in the morning, where they were met by E. W. Robinson, M.P., and Mrs. Robinson and members of the Acadia University staff and were escorted through the University buildings. The cars were then attached to the Bluenose and proceeded to Kentville, where they were met by representative citizens. While in Kentville the Premier visited Lady Borden, widow of the late Sir Frederick Borden, who was visiting at the home of Col. A. H. Borden, and also paid a visit to the Sanatorium.

The special left Kentville at 6 p. m. in charge of Engineer Albert Manning, Albert Ellis and conductors Harry Haystead, William Foster and William Simmons. A stop of fifteen minutes was made at Grand Pre. The Prime Minister proceeded to Halifax enroute to Charlottetown.

Premier King was much impressed with the beauty of the Valley, and expressed his appreciation of the opportunity given him of visiting this Land of Evangeline.

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