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8. AT CALGARY, September 30, 1935
As reported in MONTREAL STAR, October 1, 1935

"Farmers were just as much entitled to fixed prices as for their products as labour was for fixed minimum wages. Mr. King said he believed in fixing these levels for the purpose of maintaining standards of living. But everything that was done for labour should be done equally for the farmer
" I am just as strong as anyone in this country for a more equi table distribution of wealth -

Trade promises,
tariff reductions
Unemployment Commission

9. AT REGINA, October 1, 1935
As reported in Regina Daily Star, October 2, 1935

"Winding up with promises to do things 'without the loss of an hour' that would cure all the evils that beset Canada and would even make the whole world a better place to live and trade in, Rt.Hon.Mackenzie King addressed an audience of 5,000 people in the Armouries, Tuesday night.
" He promised to renew a trade treaty with Japan, negotiate one with the United States and many other countries; to restore to the people - working through Parliament with the National bank as agent - the right to issue currency and control credit The Liberal leader definitely declared he would, if returned to power, see to it Parliament would rule and would not permit a hostile Senate to prevent passage of legislation that would entirely change the complexion of the Bank of Canada, making that institution politically controlled."

10. AT WINNIPEG, October 2, 1935
As reported in WINNIPEG FREE PRESS, October 3, 1935

" As for so-called National Government, Mr. King said I have never yet united with any other party, and I never shall..... The Hyndman report dealing with the claims of war veterans would be implemented in full - 'so far as financial conditions permitted', - and there was a similar promise for pensions for the blind".
" The Liberal Part, he declared, was submitting an honest programme as laid down in the Liberal platform, endorsed and supported by Liberals all over the country".
" Mr. King further declared that if he returned to power he would call a conference of provincial premiers and give them an opportunity of cooperating in the formulating of policies that would be of immense benefit to the whole country".

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