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What is being done to meet the approaching power shortage in Ontario?

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Answer:- This question has been an important factor in all the recent negotiations and is being given special attention at the present time.

Does the Government intend to proceed with the Alaska Highway. Answer:- The Commission appointed to examine the question has made an interim report and provision has been made for the further engineering surveys required to determine which of the several routes proposed would be most satisfactory from the engineering and financial standpoint. In the meantime no decision has been made as to the building of the Highway.

United States In view of the report of the Committee of the/House of Representatives regarding the proposal that the United States should obtain air bases in Nova Scotia, what is the attitude of the Canadian Government?

Answer:- So far as I am aware, neither Congress nor the Administration has made any suggestion such as is indicated. The Hon. Member was doubtless referring to suggestions made informally by members of some Congressional subcommittee.

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