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hyrangeas, roses and palms on either side. There were waiting Canada's Prime Minister, Mr. Mackenzie King, his colleagues of the Cabinet and other distinguished officials. About five minutes past ten, while the ship was being manoeuvered into position, the King and Queen high above the bridge deck, leaning over the side of the rail, a cheer, which they scknowledged by a wave of the hand, went up and suddenly died down as if it were out of place. Instantly, hundreds of children broke through the lines and pushed their way between policemen and constables; the dense crowd followed, almost like a human tide, until they were all stopped by the police cordon surrounding the reception square. Alone, amidst the growing excitement, a group of Lorette Hurons, in feather head-dress and buckskin costumes remained unmoved.

At 10.25 A.M., Prime Minister Mackenzie King,
M. Ernest
accompanied by Minister of Justice, Lapointe, both in full
dress uniform of members of His Majesty's Privy Council,
went on board the royal yacht. Received by Lord Eldon and
Mr. Alan Lascelles, they were conducted to the main lounge
where Their Majesties were waiting. The Prime Minister

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