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A Commonwealth Conference on the Teaching of Science in Schools, at which Canada is to be represented, will be held at the University of Ceylon, Peradeniya, from December 9 to 21, 1963. At the invitation of the Secretary of State for External Affairs, the Honourable Paul Martin, the following three Canadian educationists will comprise the Canadian Delegation :

Dr. Herbert Hugh John Nesbitt, Dean of the Faculty of Science at Carleton University, Ottawa (Chairman);

Mr. Marcel Sicotte, Professor of Science in Jacques Cartier Normal School, Montreal;

Mr. J. Archie Flemming, Supervisor of Physics and Mathematics at Simmonds High School, Saint John, New Brunswick.

The convening of this conference of experts, which is sponsored by the Commonwealth Education Liaison Committee, arises from a recommendation of the Second Commonwealth Education Conference at New Delhi in January 1962. The recommendations of delegates attending this conference in Ceylon will be studied at the Third Commonwealth Education Conference which, at the invitation of the Canadian Government, will be held in Ottawa in August 1964.

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