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The Secretary of State for External Affairs, the

Honourable Howard Green, announced today the appointment of Mr.

George Roscoe Paterson, Director of the Agriculture and Fisheries

Branch of the Department of Trade and Commerce, as Consul General
in Los Angeles, California, U.S.A.

It is expected that Mr. Paterson will take up his new duties shortly.

Mr. Paterson was born in Scarborough, Ontario, on

November 26, 1898. He is a graduate from the University of

Toronto where he obtained a Bachelor of Science degree in

Agriculture. He is also a Master of Science from Iowa State

College. Mr. Paterson has been with the Department of Trade and

Commerce for some 21 years. During this time he served in London

and Washington and on many International and Interdepartmental

committees.

Mr. Paterson served in World War I with the Canadian Army and the R.A.F.

Mr. Paterson is married.