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## Le consul général de Pologne au secrétaire d'État aux Affaires extérieures

Polish Consul General to Secretary of State for External Affairs

Montreal, October 29, 1929

Sir,

Upon instructions of my Government, I have the honour to inform you that the Polish Government accepts the proposition of the Canadian Government to begin in Ottawa negotiations for a Trade Convention between Canada and Poland.

Negotiations can begin at any date which will be convenient to the Canadian Government as the draft of the Polish project of the Convention is already in my possession and can be submitted whenever convenient<sup>1</sup>.

I have also the honour to inform you that in view of the opening of the negotiations the Polish Government will not apply until the end of this year the Polish Maximum Tariff to Canadian goods.

I have etc.

M. STRASZEWSKI

## ROUMANIE/ROMANIA

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## Le secrétaire aux Dominions au secrétaire d'État aux Affaires extérieures

Dominions Secretary to Secretary of State for External Affairs

TELEGRAM B.219

London, December 31, 1929

Roumanian Government have given notice of denunciation to take effect as from the 1st March, 1930, of the Commercial Relations Agreement concluded by exchange of notes on the 11th May and 24th May, 1923. It is explained that this step is part of a general measure designed to allow Roumania to conclude Commercial Treaties with all countries on basis of new Roumanian Customs Tariff. This tariff will come into force on the 1st March, 1930, and comprises general and minimum rates. Latter are generally lower than present minimum rates, and former are 50% higher than new minimum rates. It is understood that new general rates will be imposed on goods of countries which have not concluded Commercial Agreements with Roumania. Roumanian Government have invited His Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom to enter into negotiations for a Commercial Treaty, and draft treaty as between United Kingdom and Roumania has been submitted

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Entreprises sur la base du Projet polonais, les négociations se poursuivirent au delà de la fin de l'année.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>The negotiations were conducted on the basis of the Polish draft and continued beyond the end of 1930.