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DEPARTMENT OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS

BULLETIN

(A) INTERNATIONAL NEGOTIATIONS AND AGREEMENTS

Agreements concluded:

1. Canada-United States of America: Exchange of Notes relating to the application and interpretation of the (Rush-Bagot) Agreement of 1817 concerning naval forces on the Great Lakes. Signed at Washington, November 18 and December 5, 1946. (See Section B.1 and Press Release No. 57, December 13.)

2. Multilateral: Protocol amending the Agreements, Conventions and Protocols on Narcotic Drugs concluded at The Hague on January 23, 1912, at Geneva on February 11, 1925, February 19, 1925, and July 13, 1931, at Bangkok on November 27, 1931, and at Geneva on June 26, 1936. Signed at Lake Success (N.Y.) on December 11, 1946.

3. Multilateral: Constitution of the International Refugee Organization. Opened for signature at Flushing Meadows (N.Y.) on December 15, 1946.

4. Multilateral: Instrument of ratification by Canada of the International Whaling Protocol signed at London on November 26, 1946. Signed at Ottawa, December 19, 1946.

5. Canada-Nicaragua: Trade Agreement. Signed at Managua, December 19, 1946. (Press Release No. 60, December 26.)

6. Canada-France: Exchange of Notes constituting an Agreement with respect to financial settlement between Canada and the franc area, signed on August 23 and September 11, 1945. Terminated as from January 1, 1947, by a Note from the French Ambassador dated at Ottawa, December 18, and acknowledged by the Under-Secretary of State for External Affairs on December 23, 1946.

7. Multilateral: Agreement between certain Government Members of the Inter-Allied Reparation Agency concerning German-owned Patents, done at London on July 27, 1946. Signed on behalf of Canada on December 30, 1946.

8. Canada-United States of America: Supplementary Exchange of Notes regarding the disposal of the Canol project. Signed at Ottawa, November 7 and December 30, 1946.

(B) PUBLICATIONS

1. Treaty Series, 1946, No. 40: Exchange of Notes between Canada and the United States of America relating to the application and interpretation of the (Rush-Bagot) Agreement of 1817 concerning the naval forces on the Great Lakes, signed at Washington, November 18 and December 5, 1946. (See Section A.1 and Press Release No. 57, December 13)

(C) COMMONWEALTH AND FOREIGN GOVERNMENT REPRESENTATIVES IN CANADA

1. His Excellency, Alfredo Benavides, Ambassador of Peru, has left Ottawa to spend a short time in the United States. Dr. Luis Alvarado, Minister Plenipotentiary, Counsellor of the Embassy is in charge of the Mission as Chargé d'Affaires ad interim.