

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS OF REPRESENTATIVES OF OTHER COUNTRIES

DIPLOMATIC

His Excellency Dr. Mariano Brull, Minister of Cuba, returned from a visit to Cuba and resumed charge of the Legation on December 1.

His Excellency Liu Chieh, Ambassador of China, returned from Paris where he attended the General Assembly of the United Nations; he resumed charge of the Embassy, on December 21.

New Appointments

Wing Commander S. G. Birch, Assistant Air Force Adviser, Office of the United Kingdom High Commissioner, November 25.

Emin Boysan, Assistant Commercial Attaché, Embassy of Turkey, December 2.

Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas R. Clarkin, Assistant Military Attaché, Embassy of the United States of America, December 2.

Commodore Antonio Vasquez del Mercado,

Naval Attaché, Embassy of Mexico, December 17.

Major Joseph Hanus, Military and Air Attaché, Legation of Czechoslovakia, December 2.

Quentin R. Bates, Second Secretary and Assistant Agricultural Attaché, Embassy of the United States of America, December 7.

Henry R. Zoelly, Second Secretary, Legation of Switzerland, December 13.

Departures

Group Captain M. W. S. Robinson, Assistant Air Force Adviser, Office of the United Kingdom High Commissioner, November 25.

Rear Admiral Ignacio Garcia Jurado, Naval Attaché, Embassy of Mexico, December 17.

Walter E. A. Jaeggi, Second Secretary, Legation of Switzerland, December 31.

CONSULAR

Isidore Sembinelli, Vice Consul of Switzerland at Toronto, has been promoted to the rank of Consul and will assume charge of the Consulate of Switzerland in that city upon the resignation of John Oertly, Honorary Consul, December 31.

Provisional recognition was granted to

Lai Shi-Chen as Consul of China at Vancouver, December 4.

Chin Tieh-Chang as Vice Consul of China at Vancouver, December 4.

Teh Chuan Yu as Vice Consul of China at Toronto, December 4.

Harold F. Fishleigh as Honorary Vice Consul of Spain at Toronto, December 14, succeeding Colonel F. Robins, deceased.

Archibald E. Gray as Consul General of the United States of America at Halifax, December 23. He was previously Consul in that city.

Isidore Sembinelli as Consul of Switzerland at Toronto, December 28.

Departures

Bernard Gotlieb, Consul of the United States of America at Windsor, December 7.

VISITS OF FOREIGN AND COMMONWEALTH OFFICIALS

Mr. St. Laurent gave a dinner at the Country Club on December 11 on the occasion of the completion of negotiations for the union of Newfoundland and Canada.

Mr. C. T. de Water, personal representative of the Prime Minister of the Union of South Africa, visited Ottawa from December 13 to 20.

CANADIAN REPRESENTATION AT COMMONWEALTH AND INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCES

The full delegations for earlier conferences may be found in previous issues of the External Affairs Monthly Bulletin.

Headquarters Advisory Committee of the United Nations

New York—January 6 and thereafter periodically. Mr. C. D. Howe, Minister of Trade and Commerce.

United Nations Security Council

(Canada began a two-year period of membership on January 1, 1948). New York—January 7 (first meeting in 1948 and continu-

ously thereafter)—Gen. A. G. L. McNaughton, Canadian Permanent Delegate to the United Nations. (The Security Council held its meetings in Paris during the Third Session of the General Assembly).

United Nations Commission for Conventional Armaments

(As a member of the Security Council, Canada began a two-year period of membership on January 1, 1948. New York—January 12 (first meeting in 1948 and periodically thereafter)—Gen. A. G. L. McNaughton, Canadian Permanent Delegate to the United Nations.