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His Excellency Robert Douglas Stuart presented today to the Honourable Mr. Justice J.W. Estey, Deputy Administrator of the Canadian Government, his Letter of Credence as Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the United States of America to Canada. The coremony of presentation took place at the Supreme Court Building.

The Under-Secretary of State for External Affairs, Mr. L.D. Wilgress, was in attendance on the Deputy Administrator on this occasion. The Acting Chief of Protocol, Mr. Guy Beaudry, presented the Ambassador to the Deputy Administrator. Mr. J.F. Delaute, Secretary to the Governor-General (Administrative) was also present. The Ambassador was accompanied by Mr. Don C. Bliss, Minister of his Embassy.

Mr. Stuart who was born at Glencoe, Illinois, in 1886, is a prominent business man. He has been associated with the Quaker Oats Company since 1906 and became Vice-Chairman of the Board of Directors of this company. He is also a Director of several important business firms. During World War I he served as Red Cross Commissioner for France.