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Le ministre de la Justice au Premier ministre
Minister of Justice to Prime Minister

TELEGRAM

Washington, January 8, 1925

Secretary of State Hughes and myself signed today Convention¹ under which offences against Narcotic Laws are within Extradition Treaty. Am guest at British Embassy and will attend diplomatic reception at White House this evening.

ERNEST LAPOINTE

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Le chargé d'affaires aux États-Unis au Gouverneur général
Chargé d'Affaires in United States to Governor General

DESPATCH 511

Washington, October 6, 1925

My Lord,

With reference to previous correspondence respecting the agreements now in force between Canada and the United States for the prevention of liquor and drug smuggling across the international border and the extradition of persons charged with offences in connection therewith, I have the honour to transmit to Your Excellency herewith copy of a note with enclosures from the United States Government suggesting (1) that clearance be refused by the Dominion Authorities to vessels carrying cargoes of liquor destined for the United States, (2) that a Convention be concluded for the extradition between the United States and Canada of persons guilty of offences against the Customs laws of either Government, and (3) that a convention supplementary to that signed on June 6th, 1924, be negotiated providing for the transportation of liquor to Telegraph Creek, B.C. via the Stickine River through Alaska.

Your Excellency will doubtless inform me in due course of the views of the Dominion Government upon the enclosed note.

A copy of this despatch has been communicated to His Majesty's Government.

I have etc.

H. G. CHILTON

¹La Convention complémentaire se trouve dans, *Treaties and Agreements affecting Canada . . .*, pp. 514-515.

¹The Supplementary Convention is to be found in, *Treaties and Agreements affecting Canada . . .*, pp. 514-515.