

The following temporary appointments have been made to the Department in Ottawa:

- F.S.O. 2 - J.H. Cleveland - May 1
- F.S.O. 1 - J.E. Thibault - May 13

Mr. Thomas Read and Mr. A.R. Crepeault are attached to the Department in Ottawa as "learners".

(F) INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCES

April 29 - New York - Economic and Employment Commission of the Economic and Social Council. Dr. W.A. Mackintosh, Director-General of the Economic Research Branch of the Department of Reconstruction and Supply, attended this meeting as one of the experts appointed by the Economic and Social Council, and was chosen as Chairman of the Commission.

May 7 - United Kingdom - Informal International Conference on Radar and Radio Aids to Marine Navigation. Canadian representatives were Mr. W.R. Wilson, Department of Transport and Mr. H. Ross Smyth, National Research Council.

May 7 - Washington - Second Session of the Fourth Meeting of the UNRRA Council. Mr. I.B. Pearson was the Canadian representative.

May 7 - Washington - International Cotton Advisory Committee. In April 1946 Canada accepted membership on this Committee. Canadian officials attending the fifth meeting of the Committee were Mr. H.A. Scott, Commercial Counsellor, Canadian Embassy, Washington, and Mr. Dennis Harvey, Director of the Import Division, Department of Trade and Commerce.

May 13 - Montreal - Meeting of Federal States Members of the International Labour Organization. Canada was represented by Mr. A.H. Brown of the Department of Labour who was assisted by Dr. P.E. Renaud of the Department of External Affairs.

May 14 - Montreal - Meeting of the Employment Committee of the I.L.O. The Canadian Government member was Dr. O.J. Piestone of the Department of Reconstruction and Supply.

May 16 - Montreal - Standing Orders Committee of the I.L.O. Mr. Paul Goulet, assistant to the Deputy Minister of Labour, represented the Canadian Government.

May 17 - Montreal - Meeting of the Finance Committee of the I.L.O. The Canadian Delegate was Dr. P.E. Renaud of the Department of External Affairs. He was accompanied by Mr. C.R. McCord of the Department of Labour, and Mr. R.B. Armstrong of the Department of Finance.

May 20 - London - Consultations between Commonwealth Prime Ministers. The Prime Minister, Mr. Mackenzie King, was accompanied by Mr. N.A. Robertson, Under-Secretary of State for External Affairs, Mr. J.W. Pickersgill, and other members of the Department of External Affairs.