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The Department of External Affairs announced that Mr. Corrado Baldoni presented today to His Excellency the Governor General at Government House his Letter of Credence as Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of Italy to Canada.

The Secretary of State for External Affairs, Mr. L.B. Pearson, was present. The Head of the Protocol Division, Mr. H.F. Feaver, presented Mr. Baldoni to His Excellency the Governor General. The Ambassador was accompanied by the following members of his staff: Dr. Ruggero Farace, Counsellor, Dr. Francesco Cancellario d'Alena, Secretary, and Dr. Pietro Migone, Commercial Attaché.

Mr. Baldoni was born in Ancona, Italy, in 1902. He is a Doctor of Laws and Doctor of Social Sciences. He entered the Italian diplomatic service in 1924, and has represented his country at Vienna, Budapest, Cairo, Berlin, the Vatican and Tangier. In 1946, he was appointed Chief of Cabinet of the Italian Minister for Foreign Affairs and from 1947 to 1948 was Head of Personnel at the Foreign Office.

Mr. Baldoni is married.

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