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The Department of External Affairs announced today that ministerial discussions between the United States and Canada will be held in Ottawa on Tuesday May 29 regarding the responsibility for the dredging of the channels north and south of Cornwall Island. This is one of the principal questions concerning the St. Lawrence Seaway and Power Project still to be resolved.

The Canadian representative will be the Hon. George C. Marler, Minister of Transport, to be assisted by the Hon. Lionel Chevrier, President of the St. Lawrence Seaway Authority, and Canadian Government officials. The United States representative will be the Hon. Wilber M. Brucker, Secretary of the Army, and his advisers will include Mr. Lewis G. Castle, Administrator of the St. Lawrence Seaway Development Corporation, and other United States officials.

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