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The Department of External Affairs announced today that a group of United States officials, headed by Mr. Jack Gorrie, Chairman of the National Security Resources Board will come to Ottawa on March 6 for the purpose of making an exploratory examination of subjects relating to the references of applications to the International Joint Commission for approval of the St. Lawrence project. The United States officials are members of an Interagency Committee established to consider with the Canadian Interdepartmental Committee on the St. Lawrence Seaway and Power Project the steps to be taken in proceeding with the reference of applications to the Commission, in connection with the all-Canadian seaway, should that be necessary. Mr. N.A. Robertson, Secretary to the Cabinet, is Chairman of the Canadian Committee.

The conferences were provided for in the exchange of notes of January 11, 1952, the texts of which were released on January 28, (External Affairs Press Release No.5).
