

Colonel Patrick Maynard was appointed Military Attaché to the Legation of Turkey on March 23.

Mr. Gordon Guillermo O'Grady assumed his duties as Attaché to the Legation of Argentina on March 17.

Mr. R.H. Brand assumed his duties as Commercial Attaché to the Office of the High Commissioner for the Union of South Africa on March 21.

Mr. Maurice J. Tabet assumed his duties as Consul of Lebanon in Ottawa on March 5.

The Consulate of the U.S.S.R. in Halifax was closed on March 4.

(D) VISITS OF COMMONWEALTH AND FOREIGN DIGITARIES AND OFFICIALS

There were no visits of Commonwealth or foreign officials during March.

(E) APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS IN THE CANADIAN EXTERNAL AFFAIRS SERVICE

Mr. W.R.A. Fyfe arrived in Dublin March 10, 1947, to assume his duties as Canadian High Commissioner.

Mr. H. Lawrence sailed from New York March 22 to assume his duties as Minister to Norway and Denmark. (See Section 6, sub-section (a) 25.)

Mr. J.L. Kennedy left Mexico for Ottawa on March 9, 1947, to assume his duties as Deputy Minister of Mines and Resources. Mr. S.H. Pierce was nominated as his successor as Canadian Ambassador to Mexico. (See Section 6, sub-section (a) 26.)

Mr. J.S. Greene was nominated Canadian High Commissioner to Australia on March 27. (See Section 6, sub-section (a) 27.)

Mr. A. Redford has been transferred from the Canadian Military Mission in Berlin to the Canadian Legation in Prague.

Mr. W.F. Gaultier was appointed Assistant Commercial Secretary in the Legation of the Canadian High Commissioner in London on March 28.

Mr. N.L. Gopin was appointed Assistant Commercial Secretary in the Legation Embassy in The Hague on March 14.

Mr. W.L. Milroy was appointed Assistant Commercial Secretary in the Legation Embassy in Mexico, on March 19.

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

E.C.O. 3 - C.M. Perry - March 2.

(F) INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCES

London - Commonwealth Communications Council. The Canadian representative was Mr. W.L. Hunt.

Geneva - 11th Session of the governing body of the I.L.O. The Canadian representatives were Mr. G.R. McLeod, Deputy Secretary of Labour, and Mr. J.A. Gaudet, Director of Labour, in Paris.

London - International Wheat Conference. The Canadian delegation was as follows: