

between Canada and London, and Canada and Honolulu, and submitted correspondence passing between Mr. McCrudden, Honorary Treasurer of the Montreal Branch, Mr. Macadam and Mr. Nelson, in connection with this matter.

After discussion, it was decided that, having regard to the fact that the Royal Institute has, in effect, increased the fees of its own members and not those in affiliation from Canada and having regard also to the generous way in which the Royal Institute has placed its facilities at the disposal of the Canadian Institute, the Institute continue to remit Five Dollars in Canadian currency per capita of the entire membership, as heretofore.

Having regard to the fact that the amount to be contributed to the Institute of Pacific Relations was made on the standard basis of Canadian currency it was decided to continue such remittances as are made to Honolulu on that basis.

The question of granting honorary membership in the Executive Council, as well as, or in place of, some now granted in individual branches was considered but as it was not believed to be advisable to do so, no action was taken.

A suggestion from the Montreal Branch that the Institute year be changed from January 1st to December 31st, to July 1st to June 30th, was considered but no action was taken.

A number of matters were considered informally, including a suggestion from the Hon. Mr. Massey that the Institute be incorporated and that a request be made for permission to change the name to the Royal Canadian Institute of International Affairs.

Mr. Massey's suggestion was referred to the Executive Committee for consideration and report to the next meeting of the Council.

~~The Council also considered a report presented by Mr. Imrie on the present status of Chinese merchants, students and tourists coming to Canada and what steps might be taken to render their admission, when desirable, less difficult. Mr. Imrie was requested to continue his investigations.~~

A suggestion of Dr. Mackintosh Bell favouring the fostering by the Institute of a Sino-Japanese association was also favourably considered, but no official action taken.