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The Department of External Affairs announced today the appointment of Professor Fernand Ouellet, Professor of History at Carleton University, Ottawa, and Dr. L. W. Downey, Director of the Alberta Human Resources Research Council, to the Canadian Delegation attending the UNESCO Educational Planning Conference being held in Paris between August 6 and 14.

Professor Ouellet, formerly of Laval University, Quebec, is a distinguished scholar and author in the fields of social and economic history.

Dr. Downey, formerly of the Department of Education of the University of Alberta, is well known for his work in educational research and development.