

5. Mr. L. Malania of the Department in Ottawa left for London on October 19 to act as an assistant to the Canadian Delegation to the Executive Committee of the Preparatory Commission of the United Nations.
6. On October 19 Mr. Trevor Lloyd returned to Canada from Greenland where he was Acting Canadian Consul until the arrival of Mr. M.J. Dunbar.
7. On October 31 Mr. Vincent Massey returned to his post as Canadian High Commissioner in London after spending a period of home leave in Canada.
8. Brigadier W.M. Bostock has been appointed Military Attache at the Canadian Embassy in China to succeed Brigadier O.M. Kay.
9. Mr. R.A.D. Ford returned to Canada from the Canadian Embassy in Rio de Janeiro on home leave.
10. Transfers of Third Secretaries from the Department in Ottawa during October included: Mr. J.R. Murray to Washington; Mr. J.B.R. Chaput to Rio de Janeiro, and Mr. J. Fournier to Buenos Aires.
11. During October Mr. A.C. Smith and Mr. H.H. Carter, Third Secretaries at the Canadian Embassies in Moscow and Washington respectively, were transferred to the Department in Ottawa.
12. The following temporary appointments have been made to the Department:

F.S.O. 4 - C.A. Ronning	- October 30
F.S.O. 1 - H.B.O. Robinson	- October 15
F.S.O. 1 - J.J.M. Côté	- October 11 (on duty in London) October 23 (transferred to Paris)

(F) INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCES

1. On October 15, the Conference of the International Labour Organization opened in Paris. Canadian Government delegates were: Mr. Gray Turgeon; Mr. Alfred Rive, Department of External Affairs; alternate, Mr. V.C. Phelan, Department of Labour. Mr. T.L. Carter, Department of External Affairs, was secretary to the government delegates. In addition, several provincial governments sent representatives while other delegates represented employers and workers.
2. On October 16, the first Conference of the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations opened in Quebec City. The Hon. J.G. Gardiner, Minister of Agriculture, was the member of the Conference for Canada, and Dr. G.S.H. Barton, Deputy Minister of Agriculture was appointed alternate member. Associate members of the Canadian delegation were: Mr. L.B. Pearson, Canadian Ambassador to the United States; Dr. George Bouchard and Dr. E.S. Archibald, Department of Agriculture; Dr. D.B. Finn and Prof. A.F. Cameron, Department of Fisheries; Dr. F.S. Parney, Department of National Health and Welfare; Mr. George McIvor and the late Dr. S.A. Cudmore, Department of Trade and Commerce; Mr. D. Roy Cameron, Department of Mines and Resources; Mr. H.H. Hannam, Canadian Federation of Agriculture. Mr. P.E. Renaud of the Department of External Affairs was attached to the Secretariat of the Conference on which he acted in a legal capacity. The joint