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TUESDAY, MAY 31, 1955.

The Department of External Affairs announced today that the Federal German Minister for Economic Affairs, Dr. Ludwig Erhard, will arrive in Ottawa Wednesday, June 1, for a two-day visit. Dr. Erhard arrived in Toronto last weekend to officiate at the opening of the Canadian International Trade Fair.

Following his stay in Ottawa, Dr. Erhard will visit Montreal; Arvida, where he will tour the plant of the Aluminum Company of Canada; and Quebec City. On Sunday, June 5, he will leave Montreal for Washington, D. C.

While in Ottawa Dr. Erhard will meet with members of the Government and consult with economic experts. He will be accompanied throughout the tour by His Excellency Dr. Werner Dankwort, the German Ambassador in Ottawa, Dr. Elmar Michel, Assistant Deputy Minister, Dr. Dankmar Seibt, Private Secretary, and Dr. Bruno Schmitz-Lenders, Area Trade Officer.

Dr. Erhard will leave Ottawa for Montreal the morning of Friday, June 3.

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