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His Excellency Carlos L. Torriani presented today to His Excellency the Governor General his Letter of Credence as Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of Argentina to Canada. The ceremony of presentation took place at Government House.

The Under-Secretary of State for External Affairs, Mr. Jules Léger, was in attendance on the Governor General on this occasion. The Chief of Protocol, Mr. E. D'Arcy McGreer, presented the Ambassador to the Governor General. The Ambassador was accompanied by Dr. Gabriel Galvez, Counsellor; Dr. Carlos A. Walker, Third Secretary, and Dr. Teresa H.I. Flouret, Third Secretary. Mr. Lionel Massey and Mr. J.F. Delaute, respectively Secretary and Administrative Secretary to the Governor General, were also present.

Mr. Torriani was born in 1898. He joined the Argentine Foreign Service in 1929. After serving as Consul in Austria and Yugoslavia he returned to Argentina and held several important posts in the Foreign Ministry including that of Director General. In 1945 he was appointed Minister to Switzerland and in October of the same year was transferred to Norway as Minister. Before his appointment to Canada he had been in retirement from the Foreign Service since 1946.

Mr. Torriani is married.

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