

the delegation. It was also agreed to raise a budget of \$13,000 for 1931. Of this amount it was estimated that about \$7,500 would be required as a contribution to the Secretariat, \$500 for local expenses and the remaining \$5,000 to assist in securing proper representation for Canada at the China conference. Various methods were discussed for raising this amount, the suggestion being made that Toronto and Montreal might each raise \$3,000, Winnipeg \$600, Ottawa, Halifax and Vancouver \$500 each to make up \$8,000, and that possibly some larger subscriptions from national organizations might be obtained for the remainder. This was left in the hands of the Executive to further develop.

The Chairman brought to the attention of the meeting that a proposal had been broached at Kyoto looking to a Round Table conference dealing with matters peculiarly relating to the British Commonwealth. After some discussion, the Secretary was instructed to write to the Royal Institute, intimating that the Executive Council of the Canadian Institute of International Affairs had unanimously expressed their approval of the subject advanced at the conference in 1929, that arrangements should be made for holding Round Table discussions on the conduct of foreign affairs by and within the British Commonwealth; that they felt Great Britain and the self-governing dominions should be represented; that it would be held, if possible, in 1932; that the group should consist of five or six representatives from each country, representing the widest possible variety of views; that the place of meeting be decided after the Royal Institute had ascertained the views of the representatives of the various countries on that point; and that the foregoing be communicated to the Royal Institute of International Affairs with the suggestion that they take the initiative in arranging such a discussion.

The meeting then adjourned.