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Representatives of the Canadian and United States Governments met in Ottawa on February 10-12 to discuss proposals for a fisheries convention dealing with conservation and research problems of the Great Lakes. Earlier discussions were held in Washington in December.

After careful consideration, it was decided that the best mode of co-operation under the present circumstances would be for Canadian and United States authorities to study the problems further and to work together to improve the yield in the Great Lakes fishery.