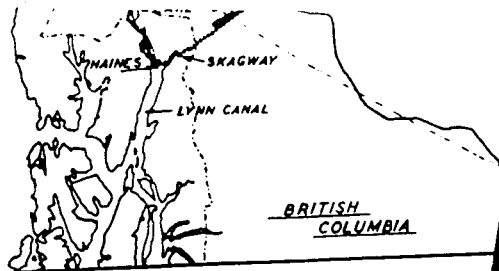


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MEETING of Federal, American and Provincial officials in connection with the proposed construction of the Haines-Fairbanks Pipeline, to be held in the Maple Committee Room, Parliament Buildings, Victoria, August 27th, 1953, at 3:00 P.M.

CHAIRMAN: Honourable R.E. Sommers, Minister of Lands and Forests and Mines.

PRESENT: Mr. A.C.L. Adams, Special Commissioner for Canada.

Col. C.Y. Farrow, C.E., U.S. Army
Lt. Col. E.P. Arnold, C.E., U.S. Army

Honourable Lyle Wicks, Minister of Labour
Mr. Wm. H. Sands, Deputy Minister of Labour
Dr. C. D. Orchard, Deputy Minister of Forests
Mr. H. Alan MacLean, Asst. Deputy Attorney-General
Mr. C. E. Hopper, Deputy Minister of Lands,
Department of Public Works

INTRODUCTIONS BY THE CHAIRMAN

OPENING REMARKS BY THE CHAIRMAN

The Government of the Province of British Columbia has agreed with the Federal Government that they shall be responsible for carrying out the necessary administration for the construction of the pipeline in British Columbia.

Mr. A.C.L. Adams has been appointed by the Dominion Government as Special Commissioner to handle all matters respecting the construction of the pipeline in Yukon Territory and British Columbia, and all matters relating thereto must be cleared through the office of the Special Commissioner at Ottawa.

Construction of the pipeline in British Columbia to be done by open tender by Canadian firms.

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It is my pleasure to call on Mr. Adams to give you a short resume of his plans for the carrying out of his Commission