

tion; and the gathering and international transmission of news. The scope of the Convention of 1931 limiting the manufacture and regulating the distribution of narcotic drugs was enlarged by a protocol to include the newly developed synthetic drugs; Canada became a signatory to this protocol during the Third Session of the General Assembly.

Canadian experts are members of the following Functional Commissions of the Economic and Social Council: Economic and Employment, Social, Population, Statistical, and Narcotic Drugs. Each of these held one meeting in 1948.

Specialized Agencies.—Two new organizations passed through the interim stage of their existence and became legally constituted specialized agencies; the International Refugee Organization, and the World Health Organization. Canada is a member of these and of eight other specialized agencies: the International Labour Organization; the International Civil Aviation Organization; the Food and Agriculture Organization; the United Nations Education, Scientific and Cultural Organization; the International Telecommunications Union; the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development; the International Monetary Fund; and the Universal Postal Union. In addition, there were several international conferences directed to the formation of three new agencies: the International Trade Organization; the Inter-governmental Maritime Consultative Organization; and the International Meteorological Organization. None of these is as yet established in final form.

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