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BRETTON WOODS PLAN IS BACKED IN CANADA

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OTTAWA, March 30—During the debate in the Canadian Parliament on the Dumbarton Oaks proposals and the attitude of the Canadian delegation to the San Francisco World Security Conference repeated reference was made to the Bretton Woods proposals and, although the latter were not directly under discussion, Prime Minister W. L. Mackenzie King took the opportunity to convey to the House that the Canadian Government was favorably disposed toward their acceptance.

Criticism of the proposals had come from the Social Credit party members, and Mr. King did not, he said, wish to leave the House under the impression that he agreed with their interpretation and analysis of the proposals. Throughout the debate on the Dumbarton Oaks proposals he said member after member had properly insisted on the great importance of achieving international collaboration in the economic as well as the political field. Prosperity, like peace, was indivisible, and the whole peace edifice would totter if it were not founded on conditions of material well-being throughout the world, he added.

Explaining his attitude toward the proposals, John Blackmore, leader of the Social Credit party, said that of the two definite Bretton Woods proposals—one on the international lending body and the other on the international stabilization body—the international bankers opposed the former and the Social Credit party opposed the stabilization body.