

Eventually, we would like to see the nascent multilateral environmental and scientific cooperation become more broadly based to cover the full range of economic and social issues, just as Canada and the USSR are doing bilaterally. And why not a council of Arctic countries eventually coming into existence to coordinate and promote cooperation among them?

Canada and the Soviet Union have made substantial progress together this week in building the foundation for closer cooperation in our own and in mankind's interest. I invite the distinguished members of this Institute to join us in building a new relationship between our two countries. Join us in making a new beginning in relations between Canada and the Soviet Union. Join us in creating a warm friendship out of our cold climate.