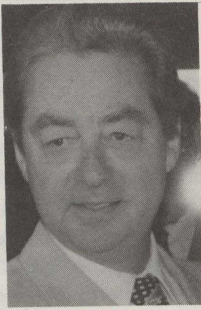


understanding of Canada's emerging role in world affairs. Widely respected for his work, Professor Eayrs has contributed articles and essays to such a variety of magazines and journals that his discussions of these important and complex issues have reached an unusually wide readership. The scholarly five volume study, *In Defence of Canada*, by Professor Eayrs is a definitive work on Canadian foreign policy from the First World War to 1954-1957. *Appeasement and Rearmament*, the third volume of the series, was awarded the 1965 Governor General's Literary Award for non-fiction, and Professor Eayrs was elected a Fellow of the Royal Society of Canada in the same year.



James Eayrs

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Associated with the University of Toronto since 1954, Professor Eayrs was appointed the Eric Dennis memorial professor of Government and Political Science at Dalhousie University in 1980.

Former winners of the Molson prize are Northrop Frye, Marshall McLuhan, Alex Colville, and Margaret Atwood. Last year's winners were choreographer Brian Macdonald and University of Toronto Press editor Frances Halpenny.

## News briefs

### Secretary of State for External Affairs

Joe Clark has indicated that Canada supports the meeting in January between the leaders of the two Cypriot communities, President Spyros Kyprianou and Rauf Denktash. Mr. Clark said that "Canada applauds the readiness of the two parties to renew, after a five-year gap, difficult but necessary high-level talks, under the auspices of the UN Secretary General". Canada has participated in peacekeeping on Cyprus for 20 years and has just reaffirmed its commitment to the United Nations Forces in Cyprus (UNFICYP) for another six month period.

**Mitel Corp. of Kanata, Ontario** has signed a one-year contract worth about \$4 million to supply telephone switching equipment to Zimbabwe. The deal with the Posts and Telecommunications Corp. calls for Mitel to supply the Zimbabwe company with *SX-2000*, *SC-200*, *SX-20* and *Super 10* switching systems. All the systems are to be delivered by January 1986.

**The Export Development Corporation (EDC)** and the Royal Bank Export Financing Company Limited have signed a \$1.93 million (US) financing agreement to support a sale by Wabco Equipment Division of Dresser Canada Inc., in Paris, Ontario, to Colombia. Wabco will supply six 72-tonne rear haulpak dump trucks to Carbones

del Caribe, South America (CARBONES) of Barranquilla, Colombia, for the development of an open-pit coal mine near Montelibano, Colombia.

**The Jim Pattison Group**, a holding company in Vancouver, British Columbia, recently announced the signing of an agreement giving the company complete ownership of the Ripley's *Believe It Or Not* name. Ripley International owns and operates museums and other tourist attractions in Canada, the United States and Europe; licenses a prime time Sunday night television series; markets a board game; and runs a comic strip feature in more than 300 newspapers. Jim Pattison is also chairman of Vancouver's Expo 86.

**Tina Takahashi** of Ottawa, Ontario won Canada's first-ever gold medal in world judo competition when she beat Hi Soo Chun of South Korea in the 48-kilogram final at the world university championships in Strasbourg, France in December. Other medal winners for Canada were Julie Leblanc of Ottawa, who won a silver in the 61-kilogram class; Mandy Clayton of Mississauga, Ontario, with a bronze in the 52-kilogram division; Lorraine Methot of Lethbridge, Alberta, with a bronze in the under-66 kilogram category and Louis Jani of Montreal, Quebec who won a bronze in the under-86 kilogram class.

**Hockey star Wayne Gretzky** obtained his one-thousandth point and then added two more goals and three assists to pace the Edmonton Oilers to a 7-3 win over the Los Angeles Kings. The one-thousandth point came at 1:41 of the first period during the game in Edmonton on December 19. Wayne Gretzky is only the eighteenth National Hockey League (NHL) player to accumulate 1 000 points and he accomplished it in record time — only 424 games. The previous fastest 1 000 points were accumulated by Guy Lafleur of the Montreal Canadiens who scored 1 000 points in 720 games. Wayne Gretzky holds 36 individual NHL records.

## Export charges on petroleum products

The charges applied on exports of petroleum products as of December 1984 are:

	Refined in Quebec and Atlantic Provinces			
	Ex Montreal Refineries		Ex Other Refineries	
	\$/bbl. (approx.)	\$/m <sup>3</sup>	\$/bbl. (approx.)	\$/m <sup>3</sup>
Motor gasoline and gasoline components	9.20	57.89	8.25	51.95
Middle distillate	9.20	57.89	8.25	51.95
Heavy fuel oil	9.20	57.89	8.25	51.95
Partially processed oil	9.20	57.89	8.25	51.95
Asphalt	6.39	40.20	6.39	40.20
	From Ontario, Prairies and BC			
			\$/bbl. (approx.)	\$/m <sup>3</sup>
Motor gasoline and gasoline components exported from Ontario & British Columbia			4.91	30.89
Motor gasoline exported from Prairie provinces			4.41	27.75
Middle distillate exported from Ontario			5.66	35.61
Middle distillate exported from Prairie provinces & BC			4.91	30.89
Heavy fuel oil exported from Ontario			5.91	37.20
Heavy fuel oil exported from Prairie provinces			4.91	30.89
Heavy fuel oil exported from British Columbia			8.25	51.95
Partially processed oil			4.41	27.75
Asphalt			4.91	30.89

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