

undertaken on some of the practical aspects of nuclear arrangements. There was a valuable opportunity for Canada to have discussion on these and other problems with ministers from U.S.A., France, Britain and Germany.

FRANCO-CANADIAN RELATIONS

The Minister's presence in Paris enabled him to have discussions with the French Foreign Minister not only on international problems but also on the important range of subjects of bilateral interest. These discussions formed part of the regular exchange of views which have been taking place between France and Canada.

VIETNAM

In London and Paris Mr. Martin explored with the British Foreign Secretary and the U.S.A. Secretary of State the possibilities of progress towards peaceful settlement in Vietnam.

RHODESIA

On Rhodesia, the Minister, in London and at the NATO meeting, gave support to policies designed to restore a legal regime without resort to force.

Canada remains convinced of the value of the NATO Alliance, not only as an assurance of security and as an avenue to peace, but as an essential instrument of partnership among the Atlantic nations.