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## Documents on Canadian External Relations, 1909-1918

The Secretary of State for External Affairs, the Honourable Paul Martin, today announced the publication of a volume entitled "Documents on Canadian External Relations, 1909-1918", the first of a series which will make available to the public state papers and documents dealing with the foreign policies and international relations of our country.

This 900-page volume contains over 1200 official papers, (letters, despatches, telegrams, memoranda and Orders-in-Council), arranged within seven chapters, (Conduct of External Relations, The 1914-1918 War, Imperial Relations, Boundary Questions, Fisheries, Asian Immigration, Relations with Individual Countries). The documents appear in chronological order for each of the subjects.

This first volume begins with a memorandum proposing the establishment of the Department and includes all important documents to the end, in 1918, of the First World War.

Copies, in English or French editions, are now available at Booksellers, at the Queen's Printer Bookshops throughout Canada, (Halifax, Montreal, Ottawa, Toronto, Winnipeg, Vancouver), and may be had also by mail order from the Queen's Printer, Ottawa. The price of this first volume is \$10.00.