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On the eve of French President Fabius' Canadian visit, Prime Minister Mulroney predicts the beginning of an era of good relations between the two countries. Relations within the Ottawa - Quebec - Paris triangle have often been strained in the past but Mulroney says improved relations between Ottawa and Quebec will change that.

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Minister of State for External Affairs, Clark, confirmed that public servants in his ministry must get authorization before speaking to journalists about government policy. Clark said the new rules were created to prevent rumors which might hurt Canada's relations with other countries.

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An angry Joe Clark denied that PM Mulroney had reprimanded him for comments he made that a powerful elite of journalists and bureaucrats disapproved of the government's austerity measures. A memo sent by Clark to 3,000 public servants instructing them not to talk to journalists has enraged the media. During the election campaign Mulroney promised more open government.

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Shirley Cull Thomson, Director of the McCord Museum in Montreal, will become the Secretary General of the Canadian Commission for UNESCO in January.

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(Reuter)

William Johnson, Canada's commercial attache in Brazil, was arrested on charges of possession of cocaine.

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French President Fabius left Ottawa for Quebec yesterday saying he is confident that the diplomatic quarrels between Ottawa, Quebec and Paris are over. He thanked the Prime Minister for his generosity. The two Prime Ministers signed several cultural and trade agreements.