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NEWS

CBC Radio Oct. 31/84

Martin Chapman in Sudbury reports that new U.S. Trade and Tariff Act requiring that country of origin be stamped or engraved on steel pipe and tubing has sent shockwaves throughout Canadian steel industry.

Radio Canada Present Nov. 19/84

Gisele Lalonde interviews Donald Macdonald, chairman of the Royal Commission on the economy, on his call for a free trade treaty between Canada and the U.S. Major points made by Macdonald: Canada stands to gain access to a much bigger market than at present; if Canada is to increase its economic possibilities it must boost exports, particularly in manufactured goods; a national policy will be required to help workers adjust to the effects of new competition.

CBC Radio Nov. 22/84

Report on Finance Minister's speech to business journalists in Toronto. Emphasis on trade with the U.S. Minister says Americans are now more ready to listen to Canada. Voice clip of minister.

CBC Radio Dec. 18/84

In a brief interview, James Kelleher, Minister of International Trade says main thrust of trade policy review is to ensure Canadian access to American market. One option to be considered is trade enhancement agreement.

CBC Radio World at Six Oct. 1/84

Brief item on Minister of International Trade's remarks to transportation conference in Washington - that Canada prepared to work with U.S. to eliminate policies like those urging people to buy home nation products.

CBC TV The National Nov. 29/84

Report by Mike Duffy on Finance Minister's visit with U.S. Treasury Secretary Donald Regan in Washington. Points covered: Canada is open for business and welcomes American investors; U.S. pleased with decision to overhaul FIRA; American spending cutbacks expected to have positive effect in Canada; minister does not see U.S. economy going into recession. Two voice clips of the minister.

Global TV - National Edition Oct. 25/84

Report on speech by External Affairs Minister promising full-blown public review of foreign policy and defence policy. Reporter John Burke says Conservative strategy aimed at freer trade with U.S. Comment at end of report notes that last time foreign and defence policy reviewed publicly, Canadians favored economic nationalism and less involvement with U.S. Two voice clips of minister.