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Province photo

Mr. and Mrs. Pierre Elliott Trudeau honeymoon at Whistler Mountain, 80 miles north of Vancouver, British Columbia.

The 51-year-old Prime Minister married 22-year-old Margaret Sinclair, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Sinclair, at a surprise ceremony in Vancouver on March 4. Mr. Trudeau had gone west ostensibly for a skiing holiday; he omitted to say he'd be accompanied by a bride.

NEW AID PROGRAM FOR LATIN AMERICA

The first three projects under the Canadian Government's new bilateral assistance program for Latin America were announced this month by Secretary of State for External Affairs, Mr. Mitchell Sharp.

A total of \$7 million in grant funds is being provided through the Canadian International Development Agency to support programs aimed at improving food value of *cassava* (a starchy root-crop), developing *triticale* (a cross between wheat and rye) and at expanding the telecommunications sector in Guatemala.

CROP DEVELOPMENT IN COLOMBIA

The development of cassava, the staple food of over 300 million people living in the tropics, for which \$3.25 million has been allocated, is at the International Centre for Tropical Agriculture (CIAT) in Colombia. The aim of CIAT is to increase the protein content of this plant to 5 per cent of yield from 1.5 per cent, and to increase the yield for each acre

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