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NEWS

Le Soleil Sept. 22/84

(CP, AFP and UPI)

Prime Minister Mulroney has sent a message of condolence to Mexican President Miguel de la Madrid in the aftermath of the gas explosions in Mexico City.

Le Soleil Nov. 6/84

(AFP, AP and UPI)

Tom Adams, the Prime Minister of Barbados, called on Canada to help train a Grenadian police force.

Le Devoir Sept. 12/84

(Reuter and AFP)

Spokesmen for the Minister of External Affairs couldn't say whether the Canadian ambassador to Chile took part in celebrations of the anniversary of the coup d'état that brought General Augusto Pinochet to power 11 years ago. In view of the government's poor human rights record many countries boycotted the celebrations. The spokesmen were also unable to give details of the occupation of the Canadian embassy in Santiago two days ago by nine people demanding the capture of the murderers of the French priest, Andre Jarlan.

Le Devoir Sept. 13/84

(AFP and Reuter)

The Minister of External Affairs confirmed that the Canadian ambassador to Chile, Clayton Bullis, attended ceremonies marking the anniversary of the government's 1973 coup d'état despite the boycott by several European countries.

Le Devoir Sept. 18/84

(By Lise Bissonnette)

Mexican President Miguel de la Madrid Hurtado says Mexico's relations with the new Canadian government will continue to be founded on co-operation and respect. As middle powers both countries have similar concerns, he says.

Le Devoir Sept. 19/84

(By Michel Arseneault)

Canada will help train a police force for Grenada to hasten the removal of the American military presence.