



—Atomic Energy of Canada

NRX REACTOR

Examining a model of the NRX reactor, of the type offered by Canada to India under the Colombo Plan are, left to right: Mr. A. G. Ward, Head, Reactor Physics Branch; Dr. R. F. S. Robertson, Development Chemistry Branch; and Dr. W. B. Lewis, Vice-President, Research and Development, Atomic Energy of Canada Ltd., one of six scientists appointed by the Secretary-General of the United Nations, Mr. Dag Hammarskjöld, to act as vice-presidents of the International Conference on the Peaceful Uses of Atomic Energy.

into service in raising living standards and strengthening our economies. It is well to remember, however, although this reminder is scarcely needed in this company, that progress in economic development will continue to require old-fashioned toil and a careful use of resources. Atomic energy is by no means the magic answer to all our problems. Our main efforts will have to continue to be directed to the age-old tasks of irrigating and enriching the land, cutting the timber, bringing up the ore from below the ground, improving the means of transport, generating energy from all available sources, building up sound and productive industries and combatting disease.

In addition, Mr. Pearson stated, as noted on page 288, that Parliament would be asked to make a significant increase in Canada's contribution above the amount of \$26.4 million which is being made by Canada this year, and that the bulk of the increase would meet part of the cost of the atomic reactor.