

Lt.-Gen. Simonds Takes New Slap At Planning For Defence

TORONTO (CP)—Lt.-Gen. Guy Simonds has taken another slap at what he calls Canada's "will-o-the-wisp" defence planning, charging the country is building an obsolete air force.

In a second article in the forthcoming Aug. 4 issue of Maclean's Magazine, the former chief of general staff says:

"The existing imbalance as between the power of the offensive and the weakness of the defensive in aerial warfare cannot be corrected by continuing evolutionary development of the winged manned fighter.

"If a defence can be evolved that can deal effectively with the ballistic missile, it will also deal with any possible version of a winged bomber. The reverse is not true.

"All our efforts in the field of research and development in aerial warfare should now be directed to seeking an effective defence against the ballistic missile."

In an earlier article Gen. Simonds charged civil servants on the joint chiefs of staff committee form a blockade between military leaders and the defence minister; that the Mid-Canada radar line is not worth the investment, and that it would have been more economical to forego production of Canada's proposed CF-105 supersonic

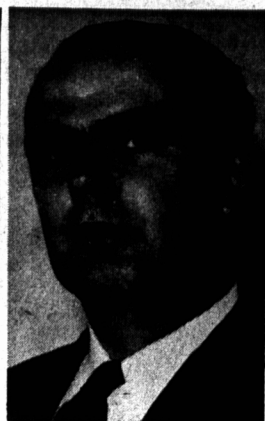
jet in favor of adapting a U.S. or Canadian plane.

CHARGES DENIED

Defence Minister Campney in the Commons denied the charges. The retired general said the trend has been to concentrate on continental defence "at the expense of supporting our overseas Allies."

"But it should be realized now that there is little if any chance of providing a defence against the intercontinental ballistic missile unless the missile is traced at the launching stage of its flight. Looking at the problem of our future defence, from the most selfish, nationalistic point of view, the holding of the 'outer perimeter' in Europe and the Far East becomes not less, but more important than ever before. If, to bolster an ineffective defence, which will still be ineffective, we risk the loss of the 'outer perimeter' we are hazarding our future security for a negligible temporary advantage.

"And if this policy of chasing will-o-the-wisp is continued at the price of further reductions in the naval and land forces of the Western Powers, we shall become solely dependent upon the threat of 'massive retaliation' to deal with even marginal and minor aggressions," he said.



NAMED TO DRB

Dr. William James Archibald, 43, dean of arts and science at Dalhousie University, Halifax, has been named to the Defence Research Board. A native of Sydney, N.S., he received his B.A. and M.A. in physics and mathematics at Dalhousie in 1933 and 1935 respectively. Two years later he obtained his doctorate in physics at the University of Virginia. (CP from National Defence)

New Members Of Defence Board

OTTAWA (CP)—Dr. William James Archibald, 43, dean of arts and science at Dalhousie University, Halifax, and Herbert H. Lank, 52, president of the Dupont Company of Canada Ltd. Montreal, have been appointed new members of the defence research board.

The board announced Tuesday that they replace Dr. H. D. Smith, president of the Nova Scotia Research Foundation, and Col. R.D. Harkness, president of Northern Electric Co. Ltd., who have completed the normal three years as board members.

Dr. Archibald, a native of Sydney, N.S., has headed the Dalhousie University arts and science faculty since 1955. He holds a doctorate in physics from the University of Virginia where he once taught. He was a research physicist on the National Research Council before joining the Dalhousie teaching staff.

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TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN—

Owing to the extent of the loss sustained by the George Nesbit family of Hunter River, a fund to aid in re-habilitation has been established by their friends and neighbors. The fund is officially known as the "NESBIT FUND" and is now open. District canvassers have been appointed to collect in surrounding areas and any contributions from outlying districts may be sent to the Chairman, Reagh Bagnall; Secretary, R. D. MacFadyen, or The Royal Bank of Canada, Hunter River.

Will Tour Canada

LONDON (CP)—Cyril (Mac) McVay, 50-year-old Guernsey teacher, has a file on Canada—and it's getting fatter.

"Between now and October, 1957, I figure that file will be pretty full," says McVay, who will tour Canada next year through a grant from the King George VI Memorial Foundation. He is being sponsored by the National Association of Mixed Clubs and Girls' Clubs.

He will spend four months in Canada, crossing the country from Montreal to Vancouver and back. His trip will start in October.

"I've got a file labeled Canada, a notebook for addresses, and I'm reading everything I can on Canada. By the time I get there I hope to know a lot more."

VETERANS' CHILDREN PICNIC

Under the auspices of the Ch'town Branch, Canadian Legion, July 27 — Bus will leave Legion home 1.15. Names to be in not later than July 26. Phone 6022. Children up to 12 yrs.

Defence Dept. Shopping Has Some Very Expensive Items

OTTAWA (CP)—The defence department's shopping list, compared with the Canadian housewife's, looks like the distance between here and Mars—14 inches.

The Commons has given some figures on cost of various items required by the department. They illustrate pretty clearly why the department will spend some \$1,775,000,000 in the 1956-57 fiscal year. The amount has been approved by the Commons.

Let's take a run down a partial list:

One brand new destroyer, fully equipped—\$23,000,000.

Repairs for one tribal class destroyer—\$5,500,000.

Modernization of one used frigate (original cost, \$2,000,000)—\$3,500,000.

JET AT BARGAIN

One CF-100 jet interceptor—\$700,000. (This is a bargain, compared with the initial plan of this model. Including research and development costs, its price was \$122,000,000.)

One Mark VI Sabre jet fighter, with spare parts—\$340,000.

One new aircraft carrier—\$26,500,000; with aircraft—\$41,500,000.

One year's instalment on mid-Canada radar warning line—\$45,000,000. (Total, estimated, \$170,000,000.)

Annual upkeep of brigade in Germany—\$33,500,000.

One cantilever hangar—\$6,000,000.

Repairs for one Comet jetliner (original cost, \$1,544,000)—\$400,000.

Air-to-air guided missile development—\$11,000,000. (This is more than 50 per cent off the development cost of the Canadian-designed "Velvet Glove" missile which didn't pan out.)

This year's instalment on supersonic CF-105 jet plane—\$18,300,000. (Total, estimated, \$100,000,000.)

One gift of 75 Sabres to West Germany—\$39,062,500.

IN MEMORIAM

IDA SMITH

The death of Miss Ida Emeline Smith occurred suddenly at Regent Convalescent Home, Somerville, Mass., on May 10th 1956.

The late Miss Smith was born at Tantallon, N.S., on June 17, 1908, coming to P.E.I. with her family as a young girl, later going to Massachusetts, where she trained as a practical nurse. As the result of an accident while engaged at her profession, she has been an invalid and confined to bed for the past eleven years.

She leaves to mourn, her father and step-mother, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Smith, Charlottetown; one brother Aubrey, North Sydney; two sisters, Hilda, Mrs. Tom Gardner, and Mrs. R.H. Brittain of Charlottetown, three half brothers, Russell, Weldon and Horace Jr. of Charlottetown; three half sisters, Reta, Mrs. Vernon MacLure, Stanchel, P.E.I.; Anne, Mrs. William Freddenburg, B.C. and Betty, Mrs. Anthony Gilbert, Charlottetown.

A funeral service was held at the A.E. Long Memorial Chapel, Cambridge, Mass., conducted by Rev. Albert McElroy of the Presbyterian Church. A solo "The Valley of Peace" was rendered by Mr. William Gilholm. The remains arrived in Charlottetown on May 15th. Funeral service from the MacLean Funeral Home on May 16th, conducted by Rev. Canon J. T. Ibbot, Rector of St. Paul's Anglican Church. Hymns sung were "Abide with me" and "Breathe on me Breath of God".

The pall bearers were Messrs Foster MacPhail, Bert MacPhail, Nicholas Gillis, Frank Mills, D.A. MacCannell and Ben Bowerbank. Interment was in the Peoples Cemetery beside her mother and little brother, Jackie.

Floral offerings were as follows:

PILLOW
Vera and Reg Hilda Tom Roger and Rober.

WREATHS
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SPRAYS
Father and step-mother Margaret and Wayne MacDonald Lauchie and Isobel MacLean Reta, Archie and family Jessie and Agnes Kennedy Barbara and Anne MacLean Kathleen Foster George and Elizabeth Connolly Maiden, Miss

St. Paul's Church Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mills Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Mills Mrs. Roy Mills Boys of Highway Dept

CUT FLOWERS
Helen, Fern and Elsie Katie McKenna Mrs. MacKinnon Beth and Bus Helen and Bob Dalziel Pearl and Leigh Diagwell.

CARD OF THANKS

The family of the late Miss Ida Smith wish to sincerely thank all friends, especially those in Cambridge, Mass., who were so kind during her long illness and for sympathetic assistance following her death; all who sent flowers and cards of sympathy and assisted in any way in their hour of sorrow.

GOLD COIN

A \$50 gold coin minted by the United States in 1915 to honor the Panama Pacific Exposition now is valued by some collectors at \$1,000.

Indians To Buy Liquor Legally

OTTAWA (CP)—Citizenship Minister Pickersgill Tuesday night said a proposed change in the Indian Act will enable Indians to buy liquor legally instead of from bootleggers.

He said in the Commons he knows that "far too many" Indians buy liquor illegally.

Any extension of liquor rights, however, would be subject to approval by provincial liquor authorities. Mr. Pickersgill outlined the change in opening debate on a bill to make several amendments in the act.

Coming Events

- Bingo, Hope River tonight.
- Dance Elliotvale School, July 27.
- Kinkora Picnic - Saturday, July 28.
- Good strawberry picking on Thursday, July 26, at Howatts.
- Pick your own strawberries at Elmer Gauthiers, South Freetown, Thursday afternoon. Come early, limited quantity.
- Barn dance tonight, Garfield MacPhee's, Brookfield, Burns' Orchestra.
- St. George Chicken supper Wednesday, August 1st, meals begin weekly dance, Dixon's Barn, Fortune Bridge, Friday, July 27.
- Dance Millview Hall Friday, July 27.
- Corran Baa picnic Wednesday, August 1.
- Dance Lot 65 Hall Thursday, July 26. Hot dogs served at the canteen.
- Crapaud Exhibition Wednesday August, 29th on Crapaud Rink Grounds.
- Reserve Wednesday, August 8th, chicken supper and Bazaar, South Rustico Hall.
- Dancing at the White Spot, Dunstaffnage, every Friday night. Rollie MacKenzie's Orchestra.
- Dance Cardigan Legion Hall every Thursday night. Webster's Orchestra. P.A. system and canteen service.
- Dancing in South Rustico every Thursday night. Rollie MacKenzie's Orchestra. Canteen service.
- Ham and salad supper on Geddie Memorial Church grounds, Wednesday, August 8. Serving from 4 to 8. If not fine, supper will be held in French River Hall. Proceeds for Church repairs.
- Buying pigs Monday at Fredericton, Tuesday: Brookfield 9 a.m., Milton 10, York 1 p.m., Bedford 2, Mt. Stewart 3, Pisiquid 3:30, Fort Augustus 4, Waterville 4:30, Vernon River 5, Pownal 5:30.
- Wednesday: New Glasgow 9 a.m., Wheatley River 10, Holmes' Corner 11, New Haven 1 p.m., Bonshaw 1:30, DeSable 2, Kelly's Cross 3, Emerald 4, Clifton 4:30, Kensington cattle pen 5:30. Paying \$24 pair for good pigs 30 lbs. each. Will also buy smaller ones. Knud Jorgensen.

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JENKINS BONELESS CHICKEN, 1/2 lb.	47c
KELLOGG'S VARIETY PACKAGE, each	43c
ROSEDALE CHOICE PEAS, 2 tins	29c
FOR A QUICK LUNCH KAM, tin	39c
SILVER SEAL MOLASSES, 2 qts.	65c
INSTANT PUDDING JELLO, 3 for	27c

FOR A COOL DRINK— Montserrat LIME JUICE Pint 49c Qt. 79c	BUTTER HAZELBROOK Lb. 59c
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