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Dear Reader ...

Welcome to our Spring/Summer 2017 Newsletter and Booklist. As usual, in it you will find the very best in Canadian aviation plus misc. military/transportation reading. So ... take a few minutes and have a look. It's a varied list, so you'll definitely find something right up your alley, whether from the CANAV titles -- something new such as *The CAE Story*, classic such as our "Propliner" books, or some of our newly-listed titles from *The Dambusters Raid* to *The Last Escaper*, *Secret History of the Blitz*, *The Empire of Secrets*, *Stalin's General* or *Great Harry's Navy*. Besides choosing for yourself, if looking for a special gift for any aviation-minded friend, customer or supplier, our list is your premier source. *The CAE Story*, *Air Transport in Canada* (\$60 off), *The Noorduyt Norseman* or something like *Canada's Air Force at War and Peace* (half price), or *Canada's Air Forces on Exchange* (one of Canada's most exotic & beautifully-produced RCAF histories) can't be beaten, when it comes to impressive and affordable VIP gifts.

And ... don't forget to check our "Free Book" offer on p.4.

Otherwise, what's up these days with *Aviation in Canada: The Canadian Fighter Pilot since 1915*? Big news ... since you last heard from me, the project has evolved into two major volumes. Vol.1 will cover 1915-45 and be out in 10-12 months. If you've been following our "Aviation in Canada" series, you know what to expect. Finally, there's a bit of melancholy to add ... after gracing our booklist for 25 years, Hugh Halliday's *Typhoon and Tempest the Canadian Story* is "OP" -- out of print. However, you still can find good used copies on the internet. Also OP is our globally-acclaimed 1989 *Power: The Pratt & Whitney Canada Story*.

Thanks and good reading to one and all ...

Larry Milberry, Publisher

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CANAV'S FAMOUS TITLE

☐ **Aviation in Canada: The CAE Story** Milberry. A full-out effort covering one of the world's great aerospace manufacturers and (all things considered) said to be the finest aerospace company history ever. Begun in 1947. CAE edges into flight simulation with the CF-100. This almost fails, but CAE survives to pioneer with Argus & CF-104 "flight sims", then does its first commercial products (DC-9s). In the 1950-70s CAE tackles anything from Arctic defence to consumer products. It operates Mid Canada Line stations, overhauls C-119s, F-84s, T-33s and Viscounts, manufactures L-1011 components, runs a profitable forest industry business, fails with road graders and bush-planes, pumps out auto parts, designs control systems for power stations and naval vessels, buys (then sells) its biggest competitor, Link. CAE designs the robotic hand controller for the Canadar m orbiting today on the ISS.

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☐ **Canada's Air Forces on Exchange** Milberry. Another gem for any serious RCAF reader. The topic? Canadians on duty with foreign air arms. From Barker, VC, on patrol in Iraq in 1925, to RCAF aircrew

on such interwar types as the Singapore & Gauntlet to a vast array of post-WWII UK exchanges on everything from the Meteor, Lightning, Shackleton, Comet. In the US on the WB-50, EB-57, F-104, F-105, F-106, C-97, C-17. Other exchanges in Australia, Germany, Norway, Venezuela. You'll be astounded at the adventures, everything from ditching in a Hastings to ejecting from a F-105 and (inadvertently) from a Canberra! Writes Bob Merrick in COPA Flight: "Truly an enlightening book ... Those pondering the ideal Christmas gift for your local Fireside Aviator need look no farther." 320 pp, hc, lf, 400 b/w & colour photos, lists, gloss, biblio, index. **\$50.00 A**

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Flight: "... a formidable addition to our ... knowledge of how important aviation has been to Canada's development ... a first-rate, exciting chronicle." Says Britain's *Aircraft Magazine*, "Authoritative - Larry Milberry is your guarantee here - readable, well-produced". 208 pages, hc, If, gloss, biblio, index. \$50.00 A

□ **Aviation in Canada: Evolution of an Air Force** Milberry. From 1920 the CAF/RCAF struggles with its raison d'être, endures the Depression, then blossoms with WWII, training more than 100,000 aircrew, protecting Atlantic convoys, guarding the Pacific against Japan, etc. Real depth of coverage for any serious reader. Is the book any good? George Swenor, the famous "Scribe" of 971 RCAF Air Marshal Slemon Wing, Air Force Association of Canada, writes: "It's amazing how much Larry has squeezed into it... Go buy your own copy. You will not regret it." 336 pages, 800 photos, hc, If, photos, gloss, biblio, index. \$55.00 A

□ **Aviation in Canada: Bombing and Coastal Operations Overseas 1939-1945** All the action re. Canadians in Bomber Command, Coastal Command and on other bombing & maritime duties. The great aircraft & squadrons, includes 100s of airmen. Beautifully produced, authoritative, at tribute to a great generation in the RCAF. Incomparable! 272 pages, 600 photos, hardcover, large format, photos, gloss, biblio, index. \$50.00 A

□ **The Canadair Sabre** This beauty is a book that every serious aviation reader needs. The Canadian-built Sabre with the RCAF, USAF, Luftwaffe, etc. 600+ photos, prod'n & accident lists, maps, index, etc. Noted Air Fan, "The aviation literary event of the year." *Air International*: "there seems scant prospect of a better history." Greece's aviation monthly *Ptisi*: "a real oasis for F-86 fans and anyone interested in the Golden Years of the 1950s-60s." 372 pp, hc. \$40.00 \$30.00 A

□ **A Life in Canadian Aerospace 1942-1992** R.D. "Dick" Richmond (CAHF, CASI, CAHS, etc.) takes you inside Canada's aerospace industry. His story runs from boyhood to WWII at the NRC and Fairchild Canada. Postwar, he's on the Husky design team, then at Canadair (North Star, T-36, CL-41, Sparrow missile) & Canadian Pratt & Whitney (PT6, Sea King, etc.). He heads Douglas Aircraft of Canada, then is at Spar in Canadarm days. Back at Canadair he's instrumental in saving the Challenger and launching the CRJ. 190 pp, hc, photos, index. \$40.00 B

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OTHER TOP TITLES FOR SERIOUS AVIATION READERS

□ **Aviators and the Academy: Early Aeronautics in Canada** Scotland & Soye. Rare 2015 limited edition celebrating a special exhibit at the Thomas Fisher Rare Books Library. Covers Canada's huge role in WWI, training air and ground crew for the Royal Flying Corps + manufacturing Curtiss JN-4 trainers & other types. Includes the postwar scene with some great Canadian airmen doing air displays; and the German war prize aircraft in Canada (Fokker D-VII etc). Collector item for the aviation bibliophile. 106pp, sc, lf, photos, gloss, biblio. **\$33.50 B**

□ **Birdman: The Wright Brothers, Glenn Curtiss and the Battle to Control the Skies** Goldstone. Beginning with such pioneers as Lilienthal & Chanute, Goldstone brings us to the Wrights & Glenn Curtiss c1900. How the Wrights and Curtiss (with his Canadian partners McCurdy, etc) persevere to fly America's first successful powered airplanes. Each man warts and all, as the Wrights clash with each other, let alone Curtiss. Both camps do exhibition flying, sending their planes to city after city. "Flying circuses" rake in fortunes, but at a cost. Early "rock stars", the pilots introduce millions to flight, but by 1912 more than 100 have died. Airplanes fall apart, pilots are hurled from their seats, planes crash into crowded bleachers, the first fatal bird strike occurs, etc., but the crowds love it. Don't miss this landmark book that brings to life the pioneer era of powered flight! **\$35.00 \$21.00 B** (Complements *Aviation in Canada: The Pioneer Decades*, both books **\$56.00 A**)

□ **Fire and Movement: The British Expeditionary Force and the Campaign of 1914** Hart. A modern re-take of this much-studied year of war. Hart covers false or insupportable versions of events, e.g., "allows for a fuller appreciation of the full role of the French Army without whom the key victory of the Battle of the Marne never would have been won". Solid history. 480pp hc photos, notes, index. **\$37.00 \$24.00 B**

□ **The Kaiser's Pirates: Hunting Germany's Raiding Cruisers in World War I** Hewitt The story of the Kaiser's gunboats stranded far from home when WWI began, then being ordered singly to take on the Royal Navy and all enemy shipping. Churchill ordered these dangerous ships to be stalked & destroyed. Battles from Africa to the Falklands. 238pp, hc, app'x, notes, biblio, index **\$32.00 \$18.50 B**

□ **To Win a War** Terraine. What happened in the final campaign of 1918 when Canadians were in the forefront? Here's the story of the second Battle of the Marne, continuing to Amiens and the breaking of the Hindenburg Line. Reviewers note: "A wonderfully erudite look at a little known aspect of the great war. How it was won and how the much maligned British Army did that almost alone", and "... dispels the myth that [WWI] generals were stupid and unimaginative." 284pp, sc, photos, maps, app'x, index **\$18.95 \$12.50 B**

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□ **Under the Maple Leaf Clothliff**. Remarkable adventures of 4 Canadians in Bomber Command in WWII - men from different backgrounds who came home with lives altered. Remarks Fighting High: "Ken Clothliff's book is extremely valuable in telling of Canada's vital contribution to the air war against Germany." 240pp, hc, photos. **\$48.50 \$40.00 B**

□ **Secret History of the Blitz** Levine. A new take on the London Blitz dwelling not just on the mayhem caused, lives lost & saved, etc., but also the inside story of London's wild night life during the bombings, the black market, what the author calls "the first sexual revolution", etc. 368pp, pb, photos, biblio, index. **\$15.95 \$13.50 B** (complements Gaskin's "Blitz", both books **\$25.00 A**)

□ **Blitz: The Story of December 29, 1940** Gaskin. The Blitz at its most fearsome -- the night the Luftwaffe tried to raze London. Says the flap copy, "Through first hand accounts, diaries, reminiscences, letters and newspaper reports ... see and feel what those on whom the bombs fell heard saw and felt ... an immersion in history as it was lived hour by hour". Luftwaffe bombers vs RAF night fighters. 430pp, hc, photos, map, index. **\$27.00 \$15.50 B**

□ **The Bombers and the Bombed: Allied Air War over Europe 1940-1945** Overy. A renowned author tells how Bomber Command & the US 8th Air Force executed their plan for total war against Germany, also how the target cities endured. Highly recommended. 562pp, hc, photos, biblio, notes, index. **\$42.00 \$18.00 B**

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□ **The Great Escape** Paul Brickhill's classic 1950 coverage of Stalag Luft 3, the most famous German POW camp for Allied airmen. You know the movie, but this is the unadulterated book. How 600 airmen, many RCAF included, planned and carried out an extraordinary breakout. Every detail down to the execution of escapees. 264pp, sc, photos, index. 264pp, pb **\$15.95 \$12.00 B**

□ **The Last Escaper** RAF Hampden pilot Peter Tunstall's story. The flap copy says it all: "Tunstall recounts the hijinks of training to be a pilot, terrifying bomber raids and elaborate escape attempts ... first-hand story of a legendary bomber pilot and arch escape artist." Tunstall was the famous "cooler king" of Stalag Luft 3, the role played by Steve McQueen in "The Great Escape" 320pp, hc, photos, index. **\$32.95 \$22.95 B**

□ **Rescue at Los Banos** Henderson. How the 11th Airborne rescued some 2000 Japanese POWs in the Philippines near the end of WW2. Camp life under the merciless Japanese jackboot. Planning & executing this near-impossible but finally successful mission. A fantastic story. Says the NY Times - "classically unputdownable" 366pp, hc, photos, biblio, index **\$35.00 \$18.50 B**

□ **The Colditz Story** Reid. The story of this infamous German "lock up" for unruly WWII POWs (Canadians included) as told by an inmate. 208pp, sc, ill. **\$15.00 \$10.50 B**

□ **Stalin's General: The Life of Georgy Zhukov** Robert. Highly acclaimed bio of the greatest Soviet general - his youth, early army life, saving Leningrad & Moscow, Kursk, the fall of Germany. Essential WW2 reading. 374pp, pb, photos, notes, biblio, index. **\$24.95 \$16.50 B** (complements *Moscow 1941*, both books **\$30.00 A**)

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□ **El Alamein 1942** Battistelli Solid coverage of this great WWII battle in the Libyan desert. Monty vs Rommel. 160pp, hc, photos, maps, biblio, index. \$15.00 **\$9.50 B**

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□ **Empire of Secrets: British Intelligence, the Cold War and the Twilight of Empire** Walton. From the birth of British intel to the SOE in WW2, into the Cold War, the rise of the SAS this book spotlights Britain's fading empire with insurgencies in Malaya, Kenya, Yemen, etc. Walton had access to MI5 secret files. A major contribution to UK/Cold War literature. 410pp, hc, photos, notes, biblio, index. \$37.00 **\$23.50 B**

□ **The Fourteenth Day: JFK and the Aftermath of the Cuban Crisis** Coleman. 256pp hc, photos, notes, index. Untold story of how the Cuban Missile Crisis as not over on the famous 13th day when Khrushchev seemed to back down. There was still a chance of WW3 erupting. Coleman reveals the story based in part on his access to Oval Office tapes of the day. 256pp, hc, photos, index. \$27.50 **\$18.50 B**

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