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Department of National Defence

Ottawa, 20 September, 1951.

Dear Mr. Raddall:

In checking over the mailing list of our naval magazine, The Crowsnest, I was dismayed to find that your name, one of the first of which I had thought when the list originally was drawn up, had been omitted. I am taking immediate steps to rectify this and am also sending you copies of some of our more recent issues, in case there may be the odd item in them that might interest you.

You may remember me as having been the person who first wrote you in connection with the Maritime Museum at Halifax. I was secretary at the time and on one occasion when you were in Halifax we were guests of Captain Pullen at lunch on board HMCS Nootka.

Not long after that I came to Ottawa to set The Crowsnest going and have not budged since.

I don't imagine you will be particularly flattered at having been placed on the mailing list of a "house organ", but I did feel that you belonged there in view of the contribution you have made to the popular knowledge of the Maritimes and of the Navy's connection therewith.

Yours very truly,

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