

## *Canadian Military Adviser for Malaysian Air Force*

**I**N response to a request from the Government of Malaysia, the Canadian Government agreed to make available to Malaysia, for approximately two years, an Air Adviser to the Chief of the Air Staff of the Royal Malaysian Air Force. Air Commodore K. R. Greenaway of the Canadian Armed Forces, who was selected for this appointment, took up his duties in Malaysia in October 1967. Before this appointment, Air Commodore Greenaway, who is from Mariposa, Ontario, served as Commanding Officer at the Canadian Forces Base, Clinton, Ontario. His role in Malaysia is to provide advice in regard to the training and organization of the RMAF.

Appointment to Malaysia of a Canadian Air Adviser is in addition to a two-year programme of military assistance to that country which the Canadian Government undertook in 1965. Under this programme, Canada gave Malaysia four *Caribou* transport aircraft, with a substantial quantity of spare parts and 250 motorcycles for the Royal Malaysian Police, and has provided training in Canada for a total of some 80 members of the Malaysian Armed Forces.



*The above photograph shows Air Commodore Greenaway and Air Commodore Sulaiman bin Sujak, who was appointed Chief of the Air Staff of the RMAF on November 1, 1967. The bird on the table is a helang — a Malaysian hawk that serves as the symbol of the RMAF. The helang appears on the unit badges of the RMAF.*