

A. R. Menzies, 63, born in Changto-Ho, China, to be the first Ambassador for Disarmament. Mr. Menzies, one of the Department's most senior diplomats, has served with distinction in a wide variety of assignments both at home and abroad, the last two being as Ambassador and Permanent Representative at the North Atlantic Council in Brussels and, since 1976, as Ambassador to the People's Republic of China. Mr. Menzies will take up his new assignment this fall.

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Miss H. O. Ring, 62, originally from Girskud, Denmark, to be Consul in Glasgow. Miss Ring (M.A. Copenhagen University and Mount Holyoke College, Mass.) joined the Canada Employment and Immigration Commission in 1952 and served in Copenhagen, Cairo, Helsinki, Stockholm and Belgrade. She is currently the Consul (Immigration) in Glasgow but will replace, as Head of Post, J. B. McLaren, who returns to Ottawa.

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G. Douglas Valentine, 48, originally from Calgary, Alberta, to be Ambassador to Colombia. Mr. Valentine (B.A. University of British Columbia) joined the Department of Trade and Commerce in 1962. He has served abroad in Dusseldorf, Bogota, Rio de Janiero and Tehran. Since 1978 he has been the Consul and Senior Trade Commissioner in Dallas.

He will replace D. B. Laughton who retired in December, 1979.