

PRESS INFORMATION BUREAU (DEFENCE WING)
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New Delhi, April 8th, 1948.

The Defence Minister, Sardar Baldev Singh, and high ranking officers of the Navy, the Army and the Air Force attended a special memorial service for the late Commodore M.H.St.L.Nott, DSO, OBE, RN, conducted last evening at the Free Church, New Delhi. Rev.S.N.Carpenter led the service.

It will be recalled that Commodore Nott, who had rendered valuable service in the Royal Indian Navy, was killed on March 27, 1948 in the I.N.A. Viking Aircraft crash near Corsica.

The Governor-General was represented at the service by Colonel D.H.Currie and others present included Rear-Admiral Hall, Chief of the Naval Staff and Flag Officer Commanding, R.I.N., Air Vice Marshal Mukerjee, Chief of the Air Staff, Lieut.-General Russell and Major-General S.M.Shrinagesh.
