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PAUL CARDIN (3.9 Million Views >) Never Was An Arrow II

::: AVRO CANADA IN 1948 and An Employee Parking Decal

DON'T THINK YOU and your car... were getting anywhere near THIS PLANT without one of these PARKING DECALS!

Back in the day, 1948!

WHEN TORONTO was about to change the world!

For the NEXT DECADE, CANADA would dominate the world of aviation and TORONTO would be the centre of all that RESEARCH and DEVELOPMENT activity.

The Orenda 9, the Orenda 10, the Avro Jetliner, CF-100, the Avro Arrow, the Orenda PS-13 Iroquois and the Avrocar.

And if YOU don't know ANYTHING about these great Canadian achievements, can't name even a few project related names, sleep on, friend, sleep on...

'nuff, said—

ED NOTE: KEEN OBSERVERS will note that collection of small buildings (upper left-hand corner) IS Toronto's Airport.

YES, it was once that small—

CENTRE-RIGHT, on the runway IS a **CF-100**, doing taxi trials?! Remember the year is 1948, likely April or much later. FIRST FLIGHT was in January, 1950. The profile I can see in my LARGER in-house photo is clear. It's all in the tail.

Clunk, CF-100, Lead-sled... it's her!