was associated since its establishment in Canada after World War II.

E. G. Bradner has been named sales manager of the newly formed Stop Nut Division of Dominion Fasteners Ltd., it has been announced by George A. Tinnerman, president of the Hamilton firm. Mr. Bradner is well-known in Eastern Canada, having served since 1948 as sales engineer, with headquarters in Montreal, for Tinnerman Speed Nuts. In his new position, Mr. Bradner will be located at the Toronto office of Dominion Fasteners, 77 York St.

Donald S. B. Waters has been elected president & director of Doman Helicopters, Inc., and has also become a director of the company's Canadian subsidiary, Doman-Fleet Helicopters Limited. In announcing the appointment of Mr. Waters, Glidden S. Doman, chairman of the board and vice-president-engineering for Doman Helicopters, stated that the board's decision was based on several months of close association by Waters with the company's expanding operations in the U.S. and Canada which, it was felt, placed him in an excellent position to assume immediately the responsibilities of chief executive officer.

The new president graduated in engineering from the University of Alberta in 1937, and in 1948 from the Harvard Graduate School of Business.

Recent TCA appointments include: that of **M. A. Betts,** formerly supervisor of special services, as director of passenger traffic; that of **P. R. Heffren,** formerly supervisor of flight service equipment, as supervisor of flight service personnel; that of **L. F. Fenton,** formerly supervisor of flight service personnel, as passenger service supervisor for the Prairie and Pacific area.

Edward A. Ritti, whose appointment as general manager of Piasecki Helicopter Co. of Canada Ltd. was announced recently, has been associated with the parent Piasecki Helicopter Corp., Morton, Pennsylvania, since May, 1946, when he started as a group leader in the engineering department. He subsequently held the positions of assistant flight test enginer, senior field service engineer and assistant service manager. Before joining Piasecki, he was employed by Kellett Aircraft Co. Mr. Ritti came to Canada early this year to assist in setting up the Canadian company at Arnprior, Ont., and has been acting general manager for the past several months, since Jack Charleson resigned to join Okanagan Helicopters.

J. A. Wellings has been named director & vice-president of Canadian Steel Improvement Ltd., it has been announced by CSI President C. J. Luby. Mr. Wellings has, for the past fifteen years, been with High Duty Alloys Ltd., Slough, England, with whom Canadian Steel Improvement is associated through the Hawker Siddeley Group.

Latterly, he held the position of divisional manager of the foundry at High Duty Alloys. He will take up his appointment early in 1955 and, meanwhile, will remain in the U.K. and be responsible for much of the planning work in connection with the expansion of facilities at Canadian Steel Improvement, Etobicoke, Ont.

Kenneth R. Laidley has been appointed sales manager of Pyrene Manufacturing Co. of Canada Ltd.

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