

Reserve Militia.—In addition to the Active Militia, there is also the Reserve Militia, a framework designed to serve as a basis for contingent military organization. Drill and training are voluntary and entail no expense to the public.

The reserve formations of the Active Militia, as distinguished from the Reserve Militia mentioned above, comprise:—

The Reserve of Officers (general list).
Reserve unit for each active unit.
Reserve Regimental Depots (Cavalry and Infantry).

The reserve units of the Active Militia are intended for the purpose of providing for the organization of the officers and men who have completed their service in the Active Militia or who have otherwise received a military training.

On completion of service in the Active Militia men are not posted automatically to reserve units. These units are recruited by specific enlistment.

Military Districts.—For the command, training and administration of the Canadian Militia, Canada is divided into 11 military districts, each under a commander assisted by a district staff.

Militia Appropriations.—The Militia appropriations for the six fiscal years ended Mar. 31, 1927-32, are shown in Table 3.

3.—Money Voted by Parliament for the Militia, fiscal years ended Mar. 31, 1927-32.

Item.	1927.	1928.	1929.	1930.	1931.	1932.
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Administration.....	325,000	341,000	349,000	349,000	345,000	332,000
Cadet Services.....	400,000	500,000	500,000	500,000	500,000	400,000
Contingencies.....	32,000	43,000	44,000	44,000	44,000	44,000
Engineer Service and Works	566,000	803,900	830,000	830,000	830,000	738,000
General Stores.....	462,000	682,799	988,800	988,800	1,000,300	683,000
Manufacturing Establish- ments.....	420,000	472,395	587,000	587,000	587,000	530,000
Non-Permanent Active Mi- litia.....	1,712,000	2,059,800	2,309,000	2,301,100	2,324,500	2,006,000
Permanent Force.....	4,860,000	4,837,500	5,038,000	5,045,900	5,011,000	5,050,000
Royal Military College.....	365,000	385,000	375,000	375,000	375,000	386,000
Topographic Survey.....	35,000	40,000	45,000	45,000	45,000	45,000
Totals.....	9,177,000	10,195,394	11,065,800	11,065,800	11,061,800	10,232,000
Civil Government.....	763,889 ¹	808,010 ¹	800,505 ¹	850,755 ¹	849,860 ¹	832,230 ¹
Grand Totals.....	9,940,889	11,003,404	11,866,305	11,916,555	11,911,660	11,064,230

¹Department of National Defence.

Subsection 3.—Air Services.

Under the Act creating the Department of National Defence, the powers, duties and functions vested in the Air Board by the Air Board Act of 1919 are now administered under the direction of the Minister of National Defence.

The Air Services have three functions:—

- (1) The air defence of the country.
- (2) The conduct of flying operations for the civil departments of the Government.
- (3) The control of civil aviation.