

Formal dinner, "O" Division Officers' Mess, marking 83rd Anniversary of the Force.

service, will be greatly missed. Among those attending were members of Sarnia Detachment and other local law-enforcement agencies.

On July 17, the Ninth Annual Frontier Field Day sponsored by the International Border Agencies was held at Lakewood Golf Club, Tecumseh, Ont. Participants in the Golf Tournament, baseball game, tug-of-war contest, horseshoe pitching contest and revolver shoot, included members of the F.B.I., Canadian Customs, U.S. Customs, U.S. Immigration, Canadian Immigration as well as members of this Force. Our revolver team consisted of Sgts. H. J. F. Ade, J. N. Craig, Cpl. L. H. Munro and Cst. F. F. Urquhart. Corporal Jewett sparked the Canadian baseball entry to a win over the American team, ably assisted by Csts. G. T. Brewer and O. J. Lutes. Cpl. J. Serada, Cpl. L. H. Munro and Cst. G. T. Brewer were

entered in the golf tournament. The activities terminated in the evening with a banquet and presentation of prizes and trophies.

Follow-Up Additional notes on formal dinner held in "O" Division Officers' Mess on May 25, in commemoration of 83rd Anniversary of the Force. In attendance were: Guests of Honor—Chief Justice James C. McRuer, Judge Robert Forsyth, Hon. Kelso Roberts, Q.C., Attorney-General, Commr. L. H. Nicholson, MBE, Commr. E. V. McNeill, Ontario Provincial Police, Chief Constable J. Chisholm, Toronto City Police, Col. John G. Housser, Supt. F. S. Spalding; Honorary Members—Deputy Commr. T. Dann, RCMP (Rt'd), Dr. B. H. Buchanan; Mess Members—Asst. Commr. G. B. McClellan, Supt. R. F. Karrow, Inspr. W. Milligan, Inspr. G. H. Miller, Inspr. J. E. M. Barrette.

Book Reviews

DEFENSE INVESTIGATION, by Edward N. Bliss, Jr. Charles C. Thomas, Springfield, Ill., U.S.A. and The Ryerson Press, Toronto, Canada. Pp. 304. \$7.25. This is an interesting book and since it was written by a man with many years' experience in the field of investigation, contains many worth-while hints for the tyro investigator. It is not, strictly speaking, a technical work, but is largely a summary of actual cases from the files of the Public Defender of Los Angeles County, California, coupled with the personal observations of the author.

The office of Public Defender has no exact counterpart in Canada. Theoretically an accused is accorded the same protection in both the United States and Canada—he is presumed innocent until he is proven guilty beyond a reasonable doubt. In Canada an accused without the means to provide himself with adequate legal defence is defended by a lawyer appointed by the Court. In Los Angeles County, California, the office of Public Defender is a regular department of county government. It was the first office of its kind established in the United States and has been in existence