turned over to Parks Canada who intend to stabilise it, and have it on public display this coming summer.

Cst. D. A. Kingston

Dear Editor:

During the past year I have had several RCMP veterans approach me regarding the RCMP Quarterly. Their concern has been why they are unable to continue receiving the Quarterly by way of pay stoppage after their retirement.

There is no doubt a simple answer why retired members are not permitted to have Quarterly subscription payments taken from their pension cheques. It seems a shame this could not be arranged.

I would appreciate a reply to this letter in a forthcoming issue of the Quarterly for the information of our veterans.

Yours truly,

E. F. Hamilton, Insp. O.i/c C.I.B. "L" Division

In the past efforts were made to institute a payroll deduction program for pensioners: however, this was to no avail. Federal pension cheque deductions are restricted to federal programs and we are privately funded by your subscriptions. Therefore, pensioners will have to continue subscribing as in the past. — Ed.

Dear Editor:

I would like to take this opportunity to express my thanks and those of the members of my family for all the assistance, bouquets and expressions of sympathy from all over the world following the sudden death of our beloved son and brother Staff-Sergeant Stuart Edmond Sutherland in Ottawa in March 1986.

Our sincere appreciation to all his

friends and fellow members in Ottawa and members of the Red Deer Detachment for the honour guard and support. Also to the members of the Sr. NCOs' Mess in Ottawa for the framed badges my son received during his 24 years of service.

The brotherhood of members of the Force is certainly evident when such an event occurs. God bless you all.

Doris I. Sutherland Red Deer, Alberta

Dear Editor:

I'm a collector of model police cars of the world, and would be quite keen to obtain some Canadian examples for my collection. Perhaps some of your readers might have some Canadian police models lurking around that they no longer have need of. I know, for instance, that the "Dinky" company made at least three different RCMP cars between 1960 and 1970. Also the firm "Majorette" made a little Montreal police car. There are probably also many other Canadian police models made by other companies, which I am not aware of.

If any of your readers can help in this respect (and it does not matter how battered and scratched the models are, as I enjoy restoring them), I'd be happy to swap for police badges, shoulder patches and so on.

I'd also be interested in hearing from any of your readers who share my hobby, to exchange information and ideas.

My address is:

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