## **O**BITUARIES

Obituaries without full service histories are those of members whose service files have been destroyed. Thus the information is no longer available. With respect to members' training, "Depot" Division has always been located at Regina, Saskatchewan, and "N" Division, at Rockcliffe, Ontario; Headquarters has always been based at Ottawa, Ontario. Their locations will therefore not be specified again in the text hereunder. — Ed.

**AROSUO** Reg. No. C/0013, ex-C/M Paavo Alarik Arosuo, 75, died March 6, 1995, at Ottawa. He was born October 7, 1919, at Helsinki, Finland, and joined the Force as a civilian member June 1, 1960, at Toronto. Arosuo was posted to "O" Division, at Toronto and was transferred to Headquarters on September 3, 1962, taking his discharge February 28, 1974.

ASCAH Reg. No. 12139 (S/1296) ex-Cst. John Watson Garland Ascah, 94, died in the Summer of 1994, at Halifax, Nova Scotia. He was born June 1, 1900, at Peninsula, Gaspé County, Quebec, and joined the Force as a special constable April 1, 1934, at Halifax, Nova Scotia, becoming a regular member May 1, 1935. Ascah was posted to Marine Division, at Halifax, and worked aboard RCMP vessels Ulna, No. 4, À-la-Chasse, Chaleur, Bayhound, Captor, Laurier, Fleur-de-Lys, Bluewing, Adversus, Beaver, Tenacity, New Brunswicker and Arresteur, taking his discharge September 30, 1939 to join the Royal Canadian Navy.

BARKER Reg. No. 0.713 (17681), Supt. Derek Richard Barker (retired), 64, died January 29, 1995, at Victoria, British Columbia, He was born June 14, 1930, at Darlington, County Durham, England, and joined the Force April 24, 1952, at Toronto. Upon completion of training at "Depot" and "N" Divisions, Barker was posted to "O" Division, Ontario, serving at Toronto. He was subsequently transferred to the following locations: January 1, 1954, to "D" Division, Manitoba, at Dauphin, Flin Flon and Winnipeg; May 1, 1964, to Headquarters; July 23, 1973, to "F" Division, Saskatchewan, at Prince Albert; August 23, 1975, to "G" Division, Northwest Territories, at Yellowknife; July 16, 1979, to Headquarters, and retired to pension April 23, 1987. Barker was promoted to corporal November 1, 1964; sergeant, May 1, 1966; staff sergeant, October 1, 1968; sub-inspector, May 1, 1970; inspector, May 1, 1972, and superintendent, October 1, 1976. He had been appointed aide-de-camp to the Commissioner of the Northwest Territories in June, 1970.

BELL Reg. No. C/509, ex-C/M Henry Carr Bell, 71, died January 30, 1995, at Regina. He was born November 3, 1923, at Birtley, Durham County, England, and worked for the RCMP on and off, from May 4, 1964, until he joined the Force as a civilian member May 7,

1964, at Regina. Bell was posted to Headquarters, and worked at the Laboratory in Regina until being invalided to pension July 31, 1980.

BOULTON Reg. No. 10486, ex-S/Sgt. Phillip Boulton. 83, died February 23, 1995, at Cranbrook, British Columbia. He was born May 20, 1911, at Saskatoon, Saskatchewan, and joined the Force September 7, 1928, at Regina, Upon completion of training at "Depot" Division, Boulton was posted to "D" Division, Manitoba, and took his discharge August 10, 1929. He reengaged into the Force July 30, 1931, and was posted to "E" Division, British Columbia, and subsequently transferred to "K" Division, Alberta, taking his discharge July 29, 1934. Boulton reengaged into the Force August 15, 1950, where he served in "E" Division and retired to pension January 14, 1969. He was promoted to corporal August 15, 1950; sergeant, November 1, 1954, and staff sergeant, November 1, 1959. (Information provided by RCMP Historical Section. — Ed.)

BURYLO Reg. No. 21993, ex-Cpl. Frank Burylo, 56, died February 6, 1995, at New Westminster, British Columbia. He was born January 1, 1939, at Winnipeg, Manitoba, where he joined the Force June 2, 1961. Upon completion of training at "Depot" Division, Burylo was posted to "E" Division, British Columbia, where he served at Abbotsford, Chilliwack, Sumas, Kamloops, Vancouver, Coquitlam and Burnaby, retiring to pension June 10, 1985. He was promoted to corporal April 19, 1972.

CAMPBELL Reg. No. 14333, ex-Cst. Donald Clifton Campbell, 73, died recently at Avonlea, Saskatchewan, where he was born February 27, 1922. He joined the Force December 12, 1941, at Regina, and upon completion of training at "Depot" Division, Campbell was posted to "D" Division, Manitoba, where he served at Dauphin and Gillam. On June 1, 1943, Campbell was transferred to "N" Division for Part II training, and was posted to "O" Division, September 7, 1943, where he worked at Toronto, taking his discharge April 30, 1947.

DIPLOCK Reg. No. 14583, ex-Cst. Milne James Diplock, 70, died February 10, 1995, at St. Catherines, Ontario. He was born December 13, 1924, at Toronto, where he joined the Force June 8, 1943. Upon completion of training at "Depot" and "N" Divisions, Diplock was posted to "G" Division, Northwest Territories, aboard the St. Roch, taking part in the return voyage through the Northwest Passage, for which he was awarded the Polar Medal. Diplock was subsequently transferred to the following locations: January 3, 1945, to "E" Division, British Columbia, at Vancouver; January 1, 1946, to "F" Division, Saskatchewan, at Regina and Moose Jaw; July 15, 1946, to "H" Division, Nova Scotia, at Yarmouth and Digby; December 1, 1946, to