

Riverview, N.B. He was born September 6, 1909, at St. Jean, Manitoba, and joined the RCMP at Regina on November 14, 1932. Following recruit training at Depot Division he was posted to Winnipeg in "D" Division, then "N" Division, Rockcliffe, and in 1935 he was transferred to "J" Division where he spent the remainder of his career. While in New Brunswick, McDougall served at Fredericton, Saint John, Chipman, Newcastle, Moncton and Sussex, being promoted corporal on May 1, 1955, and retiring to pension on November 13, 1958.

MURRAY Supt. John Gibson Edgar Murray (Rtd.), 70, died December 20, 1980, at Edmonton, Alberta. He was born June 1, 1910, at Montreal, Quebec, and first joined the RCMP on August 24, 1931, at Edmonton as regimental number 10997. Following recruit training at Regina he was posted to "F" Division and served at Weyburn, Carnduff, Balcarres, Swift Current, Gull Lake and Okney before purchasing his discharge on September 26, 1934, to attend the University of Alberta. He re-joined the Force at Edmonton on October 21, 1939, was posted to "K" Division, and served at Westaskiwin and Leduc Detachment until 1947 when he was transferred to "E" Division. While in British Columbia he served at Grand Forks, Vancouver and University Detachment before moving to "A" Division, Ottawa, (promoted corporal on November 1, 1951) then to HQ Division in the Preventive Service. He was promoted sergeant December 1, 1954, then appointed sub-inspector on May 1, 1955. On May 1, 1957, he was promoted inspector and transferred to "K" Division as O.I.C. Interior Economy Branch. In 1963 he was appointed O.I.C. Financial Services and Supply Branch, then in 1964 was transferred to "D" Division to take command of Brandon Sub-Division. On December 8, 1966, he was promoted superintendent, posted to HQ Division, "S" Directorate, and appointed Assistant Director, Services and Supply. Supt. Murray retired to pension on June 28, 1970.

NELSON Reg. No. 16411, ex-Sgt. George Sven Nelson, 75, died October 19, 1981, at Clearbrook, B.C. He was born September 20, 1906, in Denmark and after immigrating to Canada he joined the British Columbia Provincial Police on May 30, 1941. He joined the RCMP on August 15, 1950, at Powell River, B.C., when the BCPP was absorbed by the Force, was posted to "E" Division and served at Westview and North Vancouver Detachments. He was promoted corporal on November 1, 1951, sergeant on May 1, 1959, and retired to pension on March 2, 1964.

SHEPHERD Reg. No. 17705, S/Sgt. Robert Marvin Shepherd, 48, died of cancer on June 27, 1981, at Spring Grove, Alberta. Born May 13, 1933, at Croll, Manitoba, he joined the RCMP on May

1, 1952, at Winnipeg, Manitoba, and following recruit training at "N" Division was posted to "O" Division, Toronto. In 1953 he was transferred to "K" Division where he served at such places as Edmonton, Camrose, Wainwright, Tofield, Calgary, Beiseker, Morinville and Spruce Grove. He was promoted corporal on November 1, 1964, sergeant on October 1, 1973, and staff sergeant on October 26, 1977.

SWIFT Reg. No. 13247, ex-Cpl. Richard Herbert Swift, 65, died July 21, 1981, at Penticton, B.C. He was born November 19, 1915, at Chesterfield, England, and served in the RCMP as a reserve constable from July 1, 1937, until June 14, 1938, before joining as a regular member on November 10, 1939, at Vancouver, B.C. Following recruit training at Depot Division he was transferred to "F" Division and served at Weyburn, Wood Mountain, Crane Valley, Assiniboia and Waterways, then between 1942 and 1948 moved to Fort Smith, Providence, Simpson and Norman in "G" Division. In 1949 he was posted back to "F" Division, and served subsequently at Swift Current, Shelbrook, Shaunavon, Watrous and Regina until October 2, 1961, when he was discharged to pension. Swift had been promoted corporal on July 1, 1948.

THIBEAU Reg. No. 33184, Cst. Andrew Ronald Thibeu, 30, died in a private plane crash on May 24, 1980, at Chilliwack, B.C. He was born on May 31, 1949, at Arichat, Nova Scotia, and joined the RCMP on January 9, 1976, at Cornerbrook, Newfoundland. Following recruit training at Regina he was posted to Langley in "E" Division where he was serving at the time of his death.

THOMSON Reg. No. 14371, ex-Cpl. John Leverne Thomson, 63, died September 17, 1981, at Woodstock, Ont. He was born September 27, 1917, at Toronto, Ont., and served with the Royal Canadian Army Service Corps Reserve for four years before joining the RCMP on January 5, 1942, at Toronto, Ontario. Following recruit training at "N" Division he was first posted to "O" Division and served at Toronto and Ohsweken, before being transferred to "H" Division in 1947. Following postings to Halifax, Pictou, Tatamagouche and Truro, he moved to Hamilton in "O" Division before going to Whitehorse in "G" Division. He was promoted corporal on May 1, 1959, and retired to pension on January 18, 1964.

TOMALTY Reg. No. 10411, ex-Sgt. Guy Wesley Tomalty, 83, died September 24, 1981, at Ottawa, Ontario. He was born June 13, 1898, at Ottawa, Ontario, and joined the RCMP at Ottawa on May 25, 1928. All of Tomalty's service was spent at HQ and "A" Divisions from where he retired to pension on May 24, 1955. He had been promoted corporal on December 1, 1944, and sergeant on November 1, 1951.