

'McCoy' in the back yard of division headquarters. It showed up fine, along with the cucumbers, tomatoes, carrots and beets. Beans, peas, radishes and celery were early on the menu.

### Inactivity

"We wish to advise there are no births. We're healthy, so there are no deaths. Parental material in service is young. So therefore there are no marriages."

**To Pension** Wearing his usual rosy

smile, Reg. No. 11400 Cpl. N. A. Shaw replied briefly at a gathering on July 30 when on behalf of members of the Division, Superintendent Anderson presented him with a car radio, aerial and pipe. The occasion was Corporal Shaw's retirement to pension after 22 years of service. He joined the Customs and Excise, Preventive Service in 1927 and was taken over by this Force in 1932. His service has been entirely in "L" Division, his home province.

## "N" Division

**Shooting** Two members of "N" Division, Sgt. W. W. Sutherland and Cpl. H. J. MacDonald attended the Dominion of Canada Rifle Association Meet at Connaught Ranges, Ottawa. Sergeant Sutherland did some excellent shooting throughout, and succeeded in placing 13th in the aggregate for Canada's 1950 Bisley Team. He also tied with 14 others for first place, with a possible, in the Connaught, which was a ten-shot match at 500 yards. In the MacDougall Match, shot at 500 and 200 yards, Corporal MacDonald finished in a six-way tie for first place with a total score of 98, winning the MacDougall Challenge Cup and silver medal in a subsequent shoot-off for the trophy.

**Sports** In the realm of softball the 58 squad has yet to find a conqueror. The pitcher-catcher duet of Csts. R. B. Campbell and R. J. Rogers have brought all

opponents to grief. Teams from "A" Division, RCAF, Army, Ottawa City Police, and Manor Park, all have had the frustrated feeling of standing with bat on shoulder and watching Campbell "whiff 'em by". To put it mildly, the lad can pitch.

**Visitors** During the past three months "N" Division has had a steady stream of visitors from all parts of the world. Noteworthy among them were the Sea Cadets from New Zealand, Australia, Sweden, Great Britain, South Africa and Canada; 50 school boys from England, RAF Air Cadets from England, and a group of American school boys.

**To Pension** Reg. No. 9990 Cpl. J. A. O. Deschamps retired to pension in August. He was presented with a handsome pair of travelling bags by the Officer Commanding, Insp. H. G. Nichols, on behalf of the members of the staff.

## "O" Division

**Births** To Reg. No. 10985 Cpl. and Mrs. A. H. Langill, on June 4, 1949, a son, Allan Harding.

To Reg. No. 14030 Cst. and Mrs. A. J. Leas, on June 3, 1949, a daughter, Sharon Corinne.

To Reg. No. 13974 Cst. and Mrs. W. L. Jewett, on June 11, 1949, a son, Lawrence Alfred.

To Reg. No. 13061 Cst. and Mrs. W. N. Ritchie, on Aug. 9, 1949, a daughter, Maureen Elizabeth.

**Revolver Club** At the invitation of the Fort Erie Revolver Club, four members of this division, Sgt. W. M. Nichol, Cpl. H.

Allan, Cpl. G. M. Mackay and Cst. J. Serada attended the second annual revolver competition on August 10; Constable Serada, Corporal Allan and Sergeant Nichol won first, second and third prizes in the tyro class.

Competitors included members of the Ontario Provincial, the St. Catharines, Niagara Falls, Buffalo and Detroit Police Forces.

**Fore** Golf continues to be a popular pastime in this division, particularly at division headquarters. During mid-summer another hole-in-one was recorded; Sub-Insp. K. Shakespeare successfully "aced" the 17th hole at Lakeview Golf Course.