

oured in having had the opportunity to participate in the trek.

*submitted by Cpl. J. A. Federowich*

**REGIMENTAL DINNER** Supt. A. L. Mosher hosted the 10th annual Saskatoon Sub-Division Regimental Dinner on March 21, 1984, at the Travelodge Motor Hotel. This prestigious event was attended by some 100 members, retired members and officers. The guest speaker was Mr. John Drewery, CBC Television reporter and newscaster of international renown. Mr. Drewery's anecdotes about his experiences as a WWII correspondent were well received by the audience. The speaker concluded his address with some thought-provoking words on "the press and police."

Following this speech Long Service Medals were presented to Sgt. C. D. Todd, ex-Sgt. R. C. Love, Cpl. M. L. Hubbard and Cpl. W. R. Cline.

Members in attendance took the opportunity to express their appreciation to Supt. Al Mosher and Insp. John Middleton, who will both be retired to pension this year. The standing ovation they received when the head table was introduced clearly reflected the high esteem in which these gentlemen are held by those who have served under them. The evening continued in the usual spirit of fellowship and camaraderie.

*submitted by S/Sgt. H. Kruger*

**BENEFIT HOCKEY** On September 30, 1983, a fatal motor-vehicle accident occurred in the Outlook Detachment area. Mrs. Betty Waters was the driver of a half-ton truck which struck another vehicle head-on. At the scene members of the detachment and volunteer firemen worked over half an hour in an effort to get the woman out of

the badly-damaged truck. We were unable to save her.

This tragic incident prompted the family of Mrs. Waters to set up a memorial fund toward the purchase of a lifesaving tool which would be used to serve our entire area.

We were approached by the family for support. The members at this point took it upon themselves to organize a local benefit hockey game between the Saskatoon City Police and the Outlook Senior Hockey team. Both teams have a number of ex-junior players and some ex-NHL players on their rosters. The four local volunteer fire departments and local ambulance service were contacted and readily agreed to assist. The Outlook Detachment organized the entire event and the game was played on January 24, 1984. The response from the public and business community in our area was overwhelming. The \$4,800 raised as a result of this project was presented to Mr. Waters at the conclusion of the game. There is now over \$6,000 in the fund. We are only \$1,000 short of our goal.

The comments received from the public were very positive.

*submitted by Sgt. B. A. Mackell*

**RUNNING FOR A CAUSE** Two Spiritwood Detachment members were recently honored by the town of Spiritwood for their part in a community program that raised \$14,000 towards the construction of a new extended-care nursing home. Csts. J. J. Arseneau and R. M. Burns participated in a 100-mile (160-kilometre) run from Birch Hills to Spiritwood. The runners carried with them a ceremonial brick from the recently-constructed nursing home in Birch Hills. The run took four days, with each member completing 25 miles each day. Community spirit in our small Saskatchewan town is alive and well.

*submitted by Sgt. G. G. S. Sutton*

T.V. personality John Drewery (left) accepts RCMP plaque from Supt. A. L. Mosher at the annual Saskatoon Sub-Division Regimental Dinner.

