

joined the Force in April 1929, at Ottawa. Upon completion of training at "Depot," Christy was posted to "C" Division, Quebec, and served at Montréal. He was subsequently transferred to the following locations: July 1932, to "G" Division, Northwest Territories, in the Eastern Arctic at Ponds Inlet; October 1934, to "N" Division; October 1935, to "O" Division, Ontario, at Sudbury and Toronto; in 1936, to "G" Division, at Red River and Aklavik in the Western Arctic. He also briefly served on the RCMP Schooner *St. Roch* as a deck-hand and cook. Christy was then transferred to "Depot" in October 1939, and in June 1940, he was posted to "A" Division, Ontario, where he served at Ottawa and Belleville, retiring in August 1950.

COLE Reg. No. 27907, ex-Cst. Sharon Jerome Cole, 66, died March 3, 1997, at Dartmouth, Nova Scotia, where he joined the Force January 9, 1953, as a special constable. He was posted to Marine Division and served on various RCMP patrol vessels, namely the *Wood*, *Fort Steele* and the *Standoff*. Following the reorganisation of Marine Division, Cole reengaged as a regular constable on March 13, 1970, at Halifax; in July, he was transferred to "A" Division, Ontario, and was subsequently posted to Kingston. In May 1972, Cole returned to "H" Division, Nova Scotia, namely with Marine Division and served at North Sydney and aboard PV *Interceptor*, retiring on January 8, 1972.

ELLIOTT Ex-Cst. Howard Bath Elliott, died October 28, 1996, at Halifax, Nova Scotia. He served in the Force from 1941 to 1944.

FARYON Reg. No. 16403, ex-Cpl. Albert Emmerson Leonard Faryon, 85, died February 20, 1997, at Yorkton, Saskatchewan. He was born March 31, 1911, at Winnipeg, and joined the Force August 15, 1950, at Powell River, when the BCPP, where he had been working since August 13, 1940, amalgamated with the RCMP. Faryon received the Royal Humane Association Parchment for heroic action and presence of mind when he attempted to rescue a prisoner from the burning police station at Dawson Creek, on December 13, 1942. He was posted to RCMP "E" Division, British Columbia, namely at Powell River, Cloverdale and Revelstoke. On January 19, 1958, Faryon was transferred to "F" Division, Saskatchewan, and served at Kelvington, Yorkton and Melville, retiring on December 20, 1965. He was promoted to corporal May 1, 1952.

FENNIG Reg. No. 27038, ex-Cpl. Richard Glen Fennig, 51, died February 11, 1997, at Salmon Arm, British Columbia. He was born March 31, 1945, at New Westminster, and joined the Force January 20, 1969, at Kamloops. Upon completion of training at "Depot" and "P" Division (Penhold, Alta.), Fennig was posted to "K" Division, Alberta, where he served

at Red Deer. On March 11, 1975, he was transferred to "E" Division, British Columbia, and served at Surrey and Williams Lake, taking his discharge October 31, 1978. Fennig was promoted to corporal in 1976.

HUMPHREY Reg. No. 15643, ex-S/Sgt. Gordon Robert Humphrey, 66, died January 24, 1997, at Victoria, British Columbia. He was born February 16, 1930, at Digby, Nova Scotia, and joined the Force November 24, 1948, at Halifax. Upon completion of training at "Depot," Humphrey was posted to "L" Division, Prince Edward Island, and served at Charlottetown. He was subsequently transferred to the following locations: in 1952, to "E" Division, British Columbia, at Nelson and Radium Hot Springs; in October 1953, to "L" Division, at Charlottetown; in 1959, to "B" Division, Newfoundland, at St. John's; in June 1966, to "E" Division, at Vancouver and Victoria, retiring on September 25, 1974. Humphrey was promoted to corporal November 1, 1956; sergeant November 1, 1963; staff sergeant September 1, 1969.

KILNER Reg. No. 16608, ex-S/Sgt. Francis Grenfell Kilner, 75, died February 21, 1997, at Nanaimo, British Columbia, where he was born June 12, 1921, and where he joined the Force on August 15, 1950, when the BCPP, where he had been working since July 1949, amalgamated with the RCMP. Kilner was posted to "E" Division, British Columbia, namely at Port Alberni, Duncan, Chemainus, Powell River, Vancouver and Nanaimo, retiring on December 26, 1976. He was promoted to corporal May 1, 1962; sergeant May 1, 1967; staff sergeant February 1, 1972.

LAMB Reg. No. 13728, ex-Cst. George Stevens Lamb, 77, died September 13, 1996, at Montréal, where he was born July 3, 1919, and where he joined the Force September 11, 1940. Upon completion of training at "N" Division, Lamb was posted to "F" Division, Saskatchewan, and served at Estevan, Carnduff and Weyburn, taking his discharge September 11, 1945.

LYNCH Reg. No. 14823, ex-S/Sgt. Leo Philip Lynch, 71, died February 1, 1997, at Kelowna, British Columbia. He was born October 25, 1925, at Hastings, Ontario, and joined the Force February 11, 1947, at Edmonton. Upon completion of training at "Depot" and "N" Divisions, Lynch was posted to "D" Division, Manitoba, and served at Winnipeg, Dauphin and Flin Flon. He was subsequently transferred to the following locations: December 1947, to "K" Division, Alberta, at Edmonton; May 20, 1948, to "F" Division, Saskatchewan, at Regina, Estevan Milestone, North Battleford, Cutknife, Rosetown and Yorkton, retiring on June 18, 1973. He was promoted to corporal November 1, 1958; sergeant May 1, 1964; staff sergeant May 1, 1966.