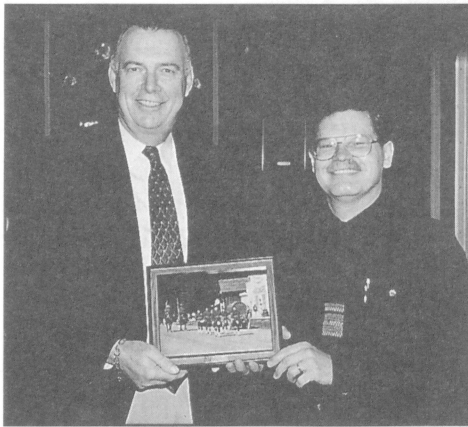On August 1, 1874, what was then known as "A" Division under the command of Insp. W.D. Jarvis, split from the main body of personnel involved in the March West, in what would become southern Saskatchewan and struck out for Edmonton. "A" Division is reported to have been composed mainly of sick and injured officers, with

(L-R): Cpl. Bill Stewart on PSH "Vern" and Cst. Kevin Serhuik on PSH "Robin" with members of the "K" Division Pipes and Drums: Sgt. Joe Worthington, Csts Andrew Lamb, Graham Neville, Ken Chatel, and Pipe Sergeant Jim Medley.

supplies and stock not considered essential to the main body (six men from other Divisions, 12 half-breeds, 24 wagons, 55 carts, 55 sick or tired horses, 62 oxen, 50 cows and calves, agricultural implements and excess general stores including 25,000 pounds of flour).

A/Commr. W.B. Eaton, CO, "K" Division (L), presenting Mr. Ron Nichol, Supervisor, Fort Edmonton Park, with a framed photograph of the "K" Division Pipes and Drums.

The journey was difficult, with cold weather and a very rough, muddy trail, where one existed at all. Wagons had to be continually unloaded and manhandled out of the mud holes; livestock, feverish and thirsty, had to be hauled out of half-frozen ponds and sloughs with ropes. The Division of men and beasts arrived in Edmonton on October 27, 1874, in a state of near-collapse and were quartered inside the Fort for the winter. Next spring, Insp. Jarvis decided to set up his police post downstream from Fort Edmonton, at what came to be known as Fort Saskatchewan.

Our sincere appreciation to Mr. Ron Nichol, Supervisor, Fort Edmonton Park, as well as to Mr. Tim Marriott and staff at Fort Edmonton Park, for a most memorable and enjoyable day. We hope to be able to repeat this event in the near future.

by Sgt. Wayne Carroll
"K" Division HQ

ST. ALBERT SUB-DIVISION Early in the morning on August 13, 1995, Cst. G.D. Perley became involved in a complaint of Assault Causing Bodily Harm and Point Firearm (when a firearm is pointed at an individual) and engaged into a normal conversation with the suspect. When the suspect was told that he would be taken into custody and that his