



Left to right—Expert Pistol — Cst. S. W. Kelly; Sharpshooter Pistol — Cpl. T. Auchterlonie; Master Pistol — S/Sgt. E. Davies; Commr. L. H. Nicholson Trophy — Sgt. E. C. Armstrong; Insp. G. H. Prime. Master Rifle — Sgt. W. D. Johnson; Expert Rifle — Cst. G. White; Sharpshooter Rifle — Miss L. Larabie.

a five-man pistol team representing the Ottawa Senior Handgun Club. The match, held in Toronto last November 28, was the tenth in this annual competition. Winner of the Police Memorial Trophy, with a Grand Aggregate score of 349 out of a possible 360 was Sgt. E. C. Armstrong, other members of our local team and their aggregate scores being: Cst. M. N. McCulloch, 328, S/Sgt. E. Davies, 327, Cpl. J. W. Meahan, 318 and Cst. G. A. Walker, 305. Staff Sergeant Davies, Sergeant Armstrong and Corporal Meahan combined to win the Dominion Envelope Trophy for team competition and the Ed. Tong Memorial Trophy, Tyro Championship award was won by Constable McCulloch.

Eight members of the Senior Handgun Club motored to Montreal on April 13, engaged in a .22 and .38 handgun match with members of the "C" Division, RCMP and Canadian National Railways pistol clubs, and emerged victorious with a margin of 13 points over their closest contenders. Responsible for a winning total of 2622 points were: Cpl. J. R. Zavitz, 572, S/Sgt. E. Davies, 516, Sgt. E. C. Armstrong, 513, Cpl. B. Lensen, 511, Cpl. G. E. Gaines, 510. The CNR team placed second with a total score of 2609 edging out "C" Division's team which posted 2591. Following the match, a dinner was held in the "C" Division mess.

At a return match, fired at Ottawa, May 12, the Ottawa club soundly defeated their previous close contenders, the CNR Pistol Club, with a score of 2629 to 2569, the "C" Division club placing second with a comfortable 2621. Victorious club members and their scores were: Cpl. J. R. Zavitz, 556, Sgt. E. C. Armstrong, 527, S/Sgt. E. Davies, 519, Cst. G. A. Walker, 519, and Cpl. C. E. Gaines, 508. All rivalry forgotten, members of the three teams gathered for a post-match dinner in the "N" Division mess. When these matches are resumed (probably in September), it is quite possible that four clubs will be participating, the Ottawa NDHQ club being a new representative from this area.

Golf With the April election of a new executive, the RCMP golf club for the Ottawa area reorganized for the 1957 season, Cpl. D. H. Lauber succeeding Sgt. W. D. Johnson as president, and Sgt. E. W. Willes replacing Cpl. J. D. Fletcher as secretary-treasurer.

This year members have been using the facilities of the Glenlea Golf Club, near Aylmer, P.Q. With the number of golfers participating equal to that of previous seasons, the club—favored with an early start and ideal week-end weather—seemed at last report to be on the way to another successful season.

Social During an interval in a March 16 St. Patrick's dance at Spadina Ave. Barracks, responsive party-goers—invited to join in a sing-song—were quick to take advantage of a chance to display their vocal talents. Song sheets in hand, led by Cst. R. C. King and a choir of nine radiant young ladies of the Identification Branch, they voiced a host of Irish melodies with gusto and fervor. A visitor from Edmonton, Miss Sandra Gavin, soprano, sweetly rendered two solo items and Constable King (ably taking over in the absence of S/Sgt. D. N. Cassidy) offered an ebullient rendition of "McNamara's Band". Choristers, along with organizer Mrs. B. Lovett and musical adviser, Cpl. D. Clarke, are to be congratulated on the success of their venture, for, needless to say, their special musical treat was greatly appreciated.

A party at the Long Island Summer Camp on May 31, drew members of the Identification Branch together for a pleasurable evening of dancing. Music was supplied by records and a light lunch was served at midnight.

Sorrow Reg. No. 13076 Sgt. John Dean Dunbar of the Regulations and Orders Section, died June 10 after a lengthy illness. Joining the Force on Nov. 8, 1938, as a member of the Band, he had transferred to general duty in 1943 and had served in "D", "O", "J", "A" and "HQ" Divisions. As a musician he had played trombone and drums.