

As I looked through the pages of the *Quarterly*, to my surprise, there was an article detailing S/Sgt. Pelley's career and retirement at Burin Peninsula District in June 1997 (See *Divisional Dispatches*, "B" Division, Winter 1998 issue — Editor.). Of course, I do not expect him to remember me. I was just one of many Metropolitan and City of London Company Fraud Department Officers who worked in liaison with Don and his colleagues at the High Commission (...)

(...) Many of us here in the U.K. wish Don a happy retirement.

retired Det. Sgt. Michael J. Bourne
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☒ **COLLECTOR PLATE**

Dear Editor,

I have a Spode limited edition commemorative plate (No. 1667 out of 2000 — with certificate) issued to commemorate the RCMP Centennial (1973) which I would very much

**MITIGATING THE
WANDERING EPISODES OF
ALZHEIMER'S**

At any time of the day or night, sometimes aimlessly, sometimes with a disoriented sense of purpose, a person with Alzheimer Disease may set out wandering. The problem is common and serious enough that the Alzheimer Society in coordination with the RCMP have developed the Alzheimer Wandering Registry to assist police officers in the safe and timely return of individuals with Alzheimer's following an episode of wandering. Contact your local Alzheimer Society or call 1 (800) 616-8816 for details or to register a loved one.

like to sell. Unable to find a buyer here, the London Office's Public Relations Directorate suggested I contact you to see if you could help me in this exercise.

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☒ **"DEPOT" CEMETERY COSTS**

The following letter clarifies information that may have been misleading in "Did You Know?" p. 4, Winter 1998, which dealt with entitlements of RCMP members and their dependants to be buried in the RCMP Cemetery at "Depot." — Editor.

Dear Editor,

I was very pleased to see the article in the *Quarterly* reminding active and retired members that they have the option of burial or internment in the RCMP Cemetery. It has provoked some important calls that I have been most happy to deal with. Perhaps one day we could publish a more in-depth article describing the various options about funerals, memorial services, internments, etc. helpful for pre-planning?

However, some amount of confusion has arisen with reference to "costs." At first, I didn't understand what these costs were. The interpretation that I and others made was that members had to pay this amount. Of course, this is not the case. In short, if a joint headstone/marker is purchased with the crest of the Force, regimental number, date of birth and date of death on it, the Force will contribute \$225 towards the purchase. Please include my telephone number, as I am sure other pensioners will want to call.

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☒ **OUR READERS CAME THROUGH!**

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