



A retirement and farewell party for three Pearson International Airport (TLBPIA) Detachment members was held on June 13, 1990. (Photo 1) C/Supt. Larry Proke presented the Long Service Medal to Sgt. Ron Elliott (L), retiring to Australia with his family. (Photo 2) C/Ms Ron Reyno (L), and Ruth Peace (R), presented gifts to Jan Stacey and C/M George Stacey, retiring to Northern Ontario. (Photo 3) S/Sgt. Bill Armstrong presented RCMP plaque to Cst. Graham Richmond (R), who had worked with Metro Toronto Police for 14 years before joining the RCMP.



Cst. Andrew J. Martin was sworn into the Force on May 22, 1990, at Toronto, by his brother, Insp. P.D. Martin, OIC, Informatics, "B" Division, St John's, Newfoundland. Cst. Martin is the third member of his family to join the Force; another brother, Chris, is a constable in "D" Division, Manitoba.

would offer a better understanding of the operation of a large metropolitan police force and "hands on" exposure not usually available to younger RCMP officers in non-contract provinces.

The second initiative was the one-year secondment of Cpl. Charles Munroe, a more senior member of the "O" Division National Security Investigations Section (NSIU), to MTPF's homicide unit. This is an important secondment, because the RCMP has jurisdiction under certain sections of the *Security Offences Act*. Development of a close working relationship with police forces which normally undertake homicide investigations will be invaluable to the Force in areas in which it may have future obligations.

These initiatives demonstrate partnership at its best, and the willingness of MTPF to work with the RCMP. They also reflect the cooperation in Ontario between the Force and other police agencies, federal and provincial departments and ministries.

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WORKING TOGETHER On September 12, 1990, two initiatives were announced in "O" Division, in keeping with Commissioner Inkster's request for field commanders to interact with other police agencies. The new cooperation was to take the form of a working partnership. To this end, Chief William McCormack, Metro Toronto Police Force (MTPF), and A/Commr. Ralph Culligan, CO, "O" Division, jointly announced the initiatives at MTPF Headquarters.

The first initiative involved the six-month secondment of RCMP Csts Jules Bernier and Patricia Blanchard to MTPF foot patrol. The experience

VETERANS' NEWS The following new members have been inducted in the Toronto Division of the Veterans' Association: Reg. No. 20511, Gerald Foat; Reg. No. 21524, Douglas Carl Trumble; Reg. No. 33885, Brian Charles Painter; Reg. No. 14953, Stanley Charles Cousins; Reg. No. 23168, Leslie Terry Keighley; Reg. No. 25839, Leslie Ross Oake; Reg. No. 34419, John Walter Nelson; Reg. No. 13754, Arthur John Quail; Reg. No. 17730, James K. Wood; Reg. No. 26213, David Henry Porter; Reg. No. 33516, Allan Harvey Suds, and Reg. No. 17313, William Robert Siemens. Toronto Division also welcomed Deputy Commissioner Jim Szarka, Ontario Provincial Police, as an associate member.