



A Front View of the Main Barrack Building at Rockcliffe.

homes of resident officers and NCOs on the right and the outdoor "riding school" and pasture on the left, to the entrance to the main building.

To the north a vast expanse of lawn drops gently in terraces to a great open "sports field" part of which is taken up with a paved parade-ground, with another portion marked off for the rehearsals of musical ride troops. The northern extremity of the sports field ends at the steep bank of the Ottawa River across which one has a magnificent view of the picturesque Gatineau, foot-hills of the Laurentian Mountains. To the east of the division, stretch the runways of the great RCAF station, while the second entrance to the RCMP property—from the south—leads through Manor Park Village to the Montreal Road, the eastern outlet of the city of Ottawa.

A long range and far-sighted landscaping program commenced a number of years ago—aided and abetted by an endless succession of fatigue squads—has enhanced the natural beauty of "N" Division's setting. While there may not have been a conscious plan to make it a "show place", the end result is the same and it is—and will be even more so in the years to come—a centre of which the Force may be justly proud. This, of course, is second in importance to the division's record as a training establishment and while "N" Division may not be so deeply steeped in history and tradition as "Depot", its past has its own singular place of importance in the history of the Force and it is building up traditions of its own as an efficient, modern training centre of the Mounted Police in Eastern Canada. ● ● ●

EDITOR'S NOTE: The following are the ex-members mentioned in this article and their periods of service—Commr. A. Bowen Perry—January 1882 to April 1922; Commr. Cortland Starnes—Mar 1, 1886 to Aug. 1, 1931; Deputy Commr. T. S. Belcher—May 4, 1894 to May 15, 1933; Asst. Commr. A. W. Duffus—Oct. 24, 1896 to Sept. 1, 1931; Insp. C. Trundle—Nov. 20, 1905 to Jan. 1, 1931; Asst. Commr. H. M. Newson—Sept. 10, 1906 to Apr. 1, 1938; Deputy Commr. R. L. Cadiz—June 27, 1908 to Feb. 2, 1944; Asst. Commr. C. D. LaNauze—Sept. 25, 1908 to Apr. 1, 1944; Asst. Commr. T. V. Sandys-Wunsch—Apr. 1, 1911 to Mar. 1, 1947; Asst. Commr. E. G. Frere—May 25, 1911 to Jan. 1, 1948; Insp. H. L. Fraser—Dec. 14, 1912 to June 4, 1926 (resigned); Insp. W. V. C. Chisholm—July 24, 1919 to October 1920, June 1921 to May 1929, Nov. 9, 1931 to Nov. 1, 1952; Supt. H. H. Cronkhite—Feb. 5, 1920 until his death on Dec. 28, 1949; Reg. No. 5712 ex-Cpl. Michael Kennedy, MC and Bar—Aug. 9, 1913 to Oct. 7, 1914, Oct. 2, 1919 to Aug. 4, 1921, June 1, 1928 to Nov. 12, 1930; Reg. No. 7373 ex-Sgt. James Edwards Margetts, MSM—Aug. 26, 1918 to Aug. 25, 1937; Reg. No. 7892 ex-Cst. Clarence Wilbert Tahamont—June 9, 1919 to Apr. 30, 1921; Reg. No. 8226 ex-Sgt. Ubald Lafond—July 2, 1919 to Au. 31, 1942; Reg. No. 8423 ex-Sgt. Edward Sawyer Crease, MM—July 17, 1919 to Jan. 9, 1925; Reg. No. 8725 ex-Cst. Albert Edward Graves—Sept. 6, 1919 to June 20, 1922; Reg. No. 8841 ex-Cst. Harvey James Knowles—Oct. 24, 1919 to Aug. 31, 1922; Reg. No. 8875 ex-Cst. Smoky Rowlee—Nov. 10, 1919 to July 9, 1923; Reg. No. 8871 ex-Cst. Thomas Henry Duckett—Nov. 11, 1919 to May 31, 1922; Reg. No. 8890 ex-Cst. Walter William Jacob—Nov. 15, 1919 to Apr. 30, 1934; Reg. No. 9293 ex-Sgt. Frederick Burt Johns, MSM—May 22, 1920 to Nov. 7, 1940.