

DRINK**OXO****and KEEP FIT**

as "Gladdy Professor", who now lives in Vancouver. The book consists of 115 pages of stories, pictures and advertisements. The reading matter and pictures show life in the Mounted Police through the years, dealing with dramatic episodes which are recorded tersely in the official reports of the R.C.M.P. officers who took part in them. From the viewpoint of the printer the book is a work of art.

Antigonish Casket.

R.N.W.M.P. Veterans' Association News

*When the trumpeter sounds Last Post for us,
As we know that soon he must,
And our padre repeats the familiar words,
"Ashes to ashes, and dust to dust",
The new recruit perhaps will say,
"There's another old 'Mountie' gone,
But the work he started so long ago,
Please God, we'll carry on".*

To date this year, the Royal North West Mounted Police Veterans' Association has been very active. In Calgary, Alta., on February 17 a meeting was held at the

home of Col. (ex-Supt.) G. E. Sanders, C.M.G., D.S.O., where it was whispered that two other ex-superintendents, F. P. Baxter of Calgary and James Fripps of Vancouver, B.C., discussed the possibility of their writing the history of the Force as they saw it—not the oft-told story of the North, but the Force in the early days on the plains.

In February, also, the Ladies Auxiliary of the R.N.W.M.P. Veterans' Association in Vancouver celebrated its 11th anniversary. The only women's auxiliary to the association, this fine organization holds monthly meetings and is very active in social service work now that its war pursuits have ceased. Not a few of its members at one time lived at isolated detachments when their husbands were in the Force. One, Mrs. Stangroom (wife of Reg. No. 5738, ex-Sgt. Major B. J. Stangroom), recalled the splendid team of dogs she had when at Port Nelson, B.C.; another, Mrs. Corby, secretary of the auxiliary and wife of Reg. No. 4219, ex-Cpl. Frank Corby, mentioned that she settled in Em-