

served at Gretna and Dauphin in "D" Division, before leaving the Force on April 30, 1934, and returning to England.

**HUNT** 12774, ex-S/Sgt. Clayton Stuart Hunt, 67, died October 16, 1979, at Calgary, Alberta. He was born February 4, 1912, at Moose Jaw, Saskatchewan, and joined the RCMP on July 11, 1935, at Regina. Following recruit training at Depot, he was posted to "K" Division, and served at Calgary, Lethbridge, Blairmore and Coutts, before taking his discharge, time expired, on July 25, 1940. A few months later, on November 2, Hunt rejoined the Force and was posted to Calgary, where he remained during the rest of his career. He was promoted corporal on November 1, 1947, sergeant on November 1, 1956, and staff sergeant on May 1, 1960. He retired to pension on May 22, 1963.

**MASON** 10266, ex-Cst. David Hamilton Mason, 71, died January 16, 1980, at Hamilton, Ontario. Born at Brantford, Ontario on September 16, 1908, he joined the Force at Regina on April 20, 1927. After five months of part I training at Depot Division he was transferred to "N" (Rockcliffe, Ontario) for completion of part II. He was then transferred to Montreal in August 1928, for a year before being posted north to "G" Division, stationed at Reliance and Resolution Detachments. In July 1931, he was transferred to "K" Division, serving at Edmonton and Lethbridge. In July 6, 1932, he was posted to "O" Division's Welland Detachment where he served for five years before moving to Toronto and Hamilton Detachments. On November 1, 1939, he was released from the Force for overseas duty with the First Provost Company (RCMP, C.A.S.F.), returning to Canada and the RCMP after four years of war service. He was returned to "O" Division and stationed at North Bay Detachment in November of 1943. During September 1944, he was moved to Ottawa Town

Station ("A" Division) until March 1947, when he was transferred to Esquimalt, B.C. On December 25th of that year he retired to pension.

**MILLAR** 19534, ex-Cpl. William Dale Millar, 42, died November 3, 1979, at Relvington, Saskatchewan after a lengthy illness of cancer. Born November 29, 1936, at Winnipeg, Manitoba, he joined the Force July 4, 1956, at Winnipeg. After completing recruit training at Depot he was posted to "F" Division and served at Regina, Prince Albert, Wakaw, Shellbrook, Ile à la Crosse, Island Falls, La Ronge, Carrot River, Uranium and Tisdale Detachments from 1956 to 1967. He was promoted Corporal on November 1, 1967, and became NCO i/c Preventive Service Section, Regina, in April of that year. In August 1972, he was transferred to Kamsack Detachment, Yorkton Sub-Division, and subsequently took his retirement from the Force at that local on July 4, 1976.

**NEWELL** 12264, ex-Cst. George Elmer Newell, 76, died at Yarmouth, N.S. on October 26, 1979. Born July 3, 1903, at Newellton, N.S., he joined the RCMP Marine Section as a special constable (cook-steward) aboard the patrol boat "Ellsworth", out of Yarmouth, on June 27, 1932. He had previously served with the Preventive Service, Customs and Excise, from September 1930 until April 1932. On September 30, 1939 he was transferred from the Force to the Royal Canadian Navy for the duration of WWII and reengaged in the Force on September 1, 1945. After a short period of duty aboard the vessel "Cutknife", he was transferred to the Commissioner Class, RCMP's "Irvine" in October of 1946. He remained with this ship until his retirement on January 20, 1951. During his service he had been promoted to Able Seaman on April 1, 1934; 3/Cst. on August 10, 1945; 2/Cst. on May 16, 1946 and 1/Cst. on June 1,