in the examinations. At the termination of the period of training of the Reservists, a gala Sports Day was held, some notable results being achieved by the competitors. The events included 100 yard, 220 and 440 yards races, as well as novelty races of all kinds. Reserve Constable DeLisle won the Grand Aggregate with a fine performance.

One of the oldest members of the Division, Sergeant J. E. Margetts, M.S.M., retired to pension during the month of August. "Teddy" Margetts—as he is known to all—will be fondly remembered by many members of the Force, and is taking up

farming in the Rockcliffe vicinity.

"O" Division

The personnel of the Aviation Section, temporarily attached to "O" Division, for Refresher Courses, have departed from Toronto for duty in the Maritime Provinces. During their stay, they made a host of friends for themselves and the Force. Congratulations are in order to Sub-Inspector Michelson on his promotion and best wishes are extended to the members of the Section.

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During the summer months, two very successful picnics were held at Centre Island, on June 9th and August 13th. There was a large turn-out on each occasion and a splendid programme of sports, etc., was run off. A very interesting and keenly contested softball game was staged between two teams representing the "Benedicts" and "Simon Pures", the latter emerging victorious with a strong last inning rally. Following refreshments, presentation of prizes, novelties, etc., brought the day's proceedings to a termination.

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The members of the Division, both married and single, have evinced a keen interest in softball and a number of excellent games have taken place. It is hoped to mould a team sufficiently strong for entry in one of the local leagues next year.

Best wishes are extended to Constables Lechowicz, Yeomans, and Needham, who have joined the ranks of the "Benedicts". Constable Lechowicz was married to Miss Mary R. Volick at Windsor, Ont., on June 26th; Constable Yeomans was united in marriage to Miss Olive M. McGregor at Ottawa on August 25th; and Constable Needham married Miss Ursula Kennedy, at Sarnia, during the last week of July.

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Corporal Chisholm continued his good shooting in the smallbore competitions during the 1936-37 Indoor Season, winning the Dominion Grand Aggregate with a total of 1798 out of a possible 1800. He also won the Ontario Championship and the Ontario Grand Aggregate, with gold medals. Congratulations are certainly in order to this N.C.O. for the remarkable results achieved by him.

Highland Bagpipes for Musical Ride

A new innovation was successfully attempted on the occasion of the Fifty-First Annual Highland Games recently held at Vancouver, B.C., under the auspices of the St. Andrews Society when a Musical Ride was performed by members of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police to the accompaniment of a pipe band instead of the more usual variety of musical instrument commonly used on such occasions. This departure from the customary procedure proved so successful, the music of the pipe band fitting in suitably with the movements of the Musical Ride, that it was repeated during the course of the Highland Games and proved most appropriate to the occasion.