



HEADQUARTERS OFFICIAL OPENING July 26, 1999, saw the official opening of "K" Division Headquarters at Edmonton. The Hon. Anne McLellan, Minister of Justice and Attorney General of Canada, inspects an Honour Guard Troop accompanied by Commr. Philip Murray and A/Commr. Don McDermid, CO, "K" Division. Supt. Peter Curley (Troop Commander), wearing period uniform, escorts the inspection party.

OPERATION GOOSE

From January 11–13, 2000, a joint operation was conducted by members of Whitecourt Detachment and Natural Resources conservation officers from Edson and Whitecourt to patrol remote areas of the Detachment boundaries via snowmobiles. Operation GOOSE was a success in that it provided, in part, a benefit to improving community-based policing by keeping a strong inter-agency relationship through the sharing of logistics and expertise. After receiving positive feedback from everyone, it is believed that all efforts will be made to hold such an operation at least on an annual basis. (L-R) Kneeling: Cst. Ray Cyr (Whitecourt Detachment), District Conservation Officer Robert Spelliscy (Whitecourt) and Glen Hapner. Standing: Conservation Officer Kevin Beniuk (Whitecourt), Cst. Brent Miller (now posted at Fort Chipewyan), and Conservation Officer Stuart Polege (Edson).



AWARD PRESENTATION

On May 25, 1999, Long Service Medals were presented to members of "K" Division. (L-R) Front row: Cpl. S.C. Grier, Sgt. B.P. Hartl, Sgt. K. Mackey, C/Supt. R.D. MacKay, Supt. J.P. Curley, Cpl. R.B. Davis. Back row: Sgt. D.K. Edwards, Cst. B.F. Lloy, Cst. E.W. Stenberg, Cst. S.G. Williamson, Cpl. J.J.M. Turgeon, Cst. S. Conlon, Cst. C.J. Beamish, Cpl. D.C. Huot, Cst. D.J. Stapleton.