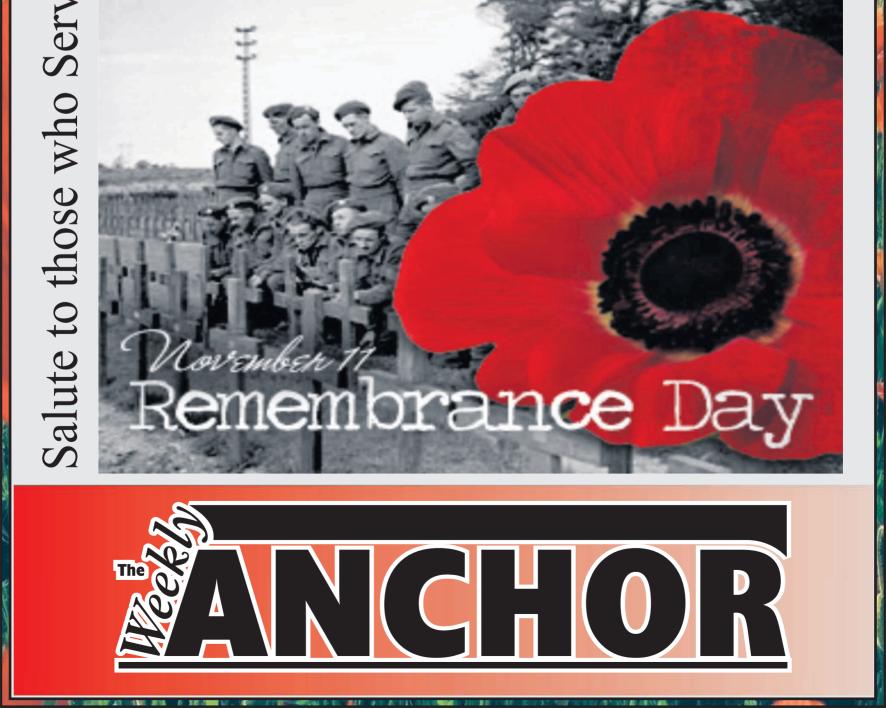
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ute to those who Serve

# **EDSON AND YELLOWHEAD COUNTY**





Joe Folk (centre) and Comrades



**MIKE RURKA** Division or Regimental No First Median Artillery; rank Gunner; signed up January 22, 1942, discharged January 22, 1946; years served, 4 years; served in England, Italy, Sicily; medals/stars 1939-45 Star, the Italy Star, the Defence Medal, 1939 Canadian, 1945 Volunteer Service, Geor RIVs, VID, GBR, OMN 1939-45; training, two months at Grande Prairie, six months at Petawa, Ontario; other members in family who served, brothers Joe Rurka, Army, Peter Rurka, Army



**FRANCIS RHEA** WILSON Division or Regimental No, 69th Tank Transport, 1st Canadian Army Troops attached to Fourth division.



**FRED McGUIRE** Division or Regimental No Canadian Army M51190; rank, Trooper/Tank Driver; signed up 1942, discharged 1946; served in Canada and Europe; training, B.C., Ontario and Nova Scotia.



**FRED DOBING** Joined Royal Canadian Navy as Boy Seaman, age 17, March 1941. Served in Corvettes and escort vessels on the east coast and North Atlantic on convoy duty. Discharged Nov. 1947

**DONOVAN WILLETS** Division or Regimental No M6116; rank, Private; years served 6 months; served in Army; training, infantry; other members in family who served, brother, Clifford.



**Edward Langhans** 



IAN T.W. DANIEL RCNVR, rank Able Bodied Seaman; signed up August 1942, discharged January 1946; years served, 3 <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> served in RCNVR, medals/stars, Atlantic Star, Volunteer medal, pay per day, \$1.50; training, Gunnery.

**BERN BERG** Division Home Defence; rank, Private; signed up 1944, discharged 1947



ALEX BARLEY Division or Regimental No H41781; rank Rifleman; signed up 1941, discharged 1945; years served 5; served in Winnipeg Rifles (Black Devils); training Ft. William, Ontario.





**JAMES H. HINCHEY** Division or Regimental No Division of Regimental No R159376; rank, LAC; signed up May 1942, discharged Sept. 1945; years served 3<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>; served in Torbay, Newfoundland, Trenton, Ontario, Trenton, Ontario, Claresholm, Alberta; medals/stars, Volunteer Service Medal with Clasp, '39-45 War Medal; pay per day, \$1.50; training, Aircraft Maintenance; other members in family who served, brothers, W.G. Hinchey RCAF, W.H. Hinchey, Army (both now deceased) and O. Mathers.



**McGUIRE (Tiny)** LAC 'A' group, R159442 Air Force, Flight 12 May 29, 1942 to Oct. 16, 1945. Medals awarded - Canadian Volunteer Service Medal. Leading Aircraftsman stationed in Sidney, N.S., Varmouth, N.S., Bagotville, Q.C., Debert, N.S. trained in St. Thomas, ON.







J.B. CARNAHAN Division or Regimental No. Canadian Army, RCAF rank, Corporal, LAC; signed up 1942, discharged 1947; years served 5; served in Canada; medals/stars CVSM, VM; other members in family who served, V.E. Carnahan, brother, RCAF.



### FRANK (FRANCIS) **ISINGER**

Division or Regimental No M104760; rank, Lance Corporal; signed up November 5, 1942, discharged January 7, 1945; years served, 3 years; served in North Africa, Italy, Sicily; medals/stars, War Medal 1939-45, CVSM, the Defence Medal, Italy Star, 1939-45 Star; pay per day, \$1.55; training, Grande Prairie and Calgary, Alberta.



#### **MEMBERS FROM ROSEVEAR AREA**

Members from the Rosevear area who were in the services in World War II were the three Stelter brothers: Carl, John and Gus. John made the Air Force his career and Gus stayed in the service until 1947. Edgar Greenwood was their brother-in-loaw; Edmund Langhans and Arthur Klut were the Stelter's first cousins

# Mountain Park Veterans

Angus Charles Crawford Steven Bishop Mike Antonenko Tom Pascoe John Price Jr. William Stowe

Walter Woloshyn Joseph Maddison William Greenbank Joe Brugos James Wilson Ludwig Stieffe Tony Zdunik Arthur Geddes Herbert Ficht Leonard Marshall William Landells **Buddy Harris** Thomas Stevenson William Martin Luigi Zuccolini Tom Antonenko George Bryson Anthony Verkljan Walter John Talbot James W. McDonald Rene George Grandmaison Harry Phipps D.S. MacDonald Walter Marshall James Doherty Alexander McLeod

Dave Letendre Fay Avery Harry Savage Melvin Price **Bobby Roberts** Gus Snyder Morris Allan Ivan Donkin Steves Zoner Jim Watson **Tony Paylin** Tom Davies Louie Lavoie Ivan Boulter Bob Watson Emmett Wagner Laura Maddison Evelyn MacLeod Thelma McConnell **Dorothy Simmons** Melford Bergman Robert McNeill Gerald Burchell William Chomin Mickey Ostertag Harry Dawes

John Bulat Stanley Chapman Eric Benson Peter Melling Herman Wagner John Bibby Ted Hicks Bill Pratt Jack Gould Norman Harris Stanley Kwasney Charlie Collins Dugald Arbuckle Cliff Richards Ellio Bello Andy Antonenko Alexander Kapalka Lloyd Graham Robina MacLeod Marjorie Landells William Stevenson Horace Haddock Stoker Walter Allen William Lancaster Leonard Woolven Mary Baruzzini

#### **Mountain Park Veterans Cemetery**

Dedicated to the Veterans of the Armed Forces and the Royal Canadian Mounted Police who have served to protect our freedom and homeland during World War 1, World War ll and in Peacetime. These ourageous people were

Anton Resek Walter Wagner Dennis Fleck Duncan Macleod Harold Schofield Melio Bello Henry Forgie Robert Fleck Robert A. Fleck Leonard H. S. Allen John A. Clyburn

Charles Payne Pavlo (Cebryk) Peter Linteris Lauchlan Cook John Lowe George Oakley Guerino Baruzzini Jack Chapman William Dunnett Peter Elock Covey Fleck Sr. **Thomas Fleck James** Fleck Peter Gordasko Gilbert Switzer Robert Todd Frank Smith Donald Town Larry Town Ted Starling

residents of the coal mining towns of Mountain Park, Cadomin, Coalspur, Luscar and Mercoal.

Known World War I and World War II veterans **buried** in the Mountain Park Cemetery

Obea Chute Bailie Frank Palmer Stanley James Wright Ralph Turner Henry Phipps James King Gillies Edward H.K. Trafford Harry Willis Edward Harrison Gladys Schofield William Harrison Wilfred Gates Jack P. Kazmir

Known R.C.M.P and World War 11 Veterans who's ashes are on the Cardinal Divide and Mount Cheviot

Cyril Mitchell Victor Pavelich Andrew Bello Nick Antonenko **Edward Davies** Charles Wright Alexander H. Matheson Bruce R. Letcher Vitalino Chiesa Aerona Griffiths Hector Campbell Wilfred Shaw Peter Cooper John H. Maddison Neil T. MacAulay Adam M. Gillies John W. Shirey James H. Carson



**BILL MOSKALYK** M101234, RM Rank, P7E. Private, Canadian Army, served overseas in Europe, 5 years as Sergeant at Arms in Fairview, AB.

### **ALEC SKARRA** Division or Regimental No L611378, RCE; rank, Private, signed up November 9, 1944, discharged April 16, 1946;

served in Canada. **THOMAS ROBERTS** Division or Regimental No 2nd division; rank, trooper; signed up 1942; discharged 1943; years served, one year; served in Canada; pay per day \$1.30; training, tanks.

**CONNIE SIMISTER** Division or Regimental No 3039, OMAAC; signed up May 25, 1917, January 10, 1920; served in England and France.



#### **ANGUS CHARLES CRAWFORD**

Branch of service, Canadian Expeditionary Force, Canadian Calvary Brigade, Lord Strathcona's Horse, Feb. 11, 1918 - June 5, 1919. Served in Canada, England and France. Medals: British War and Victory Medals.

### **JIM TAYLOR**

Division or Regimental No 31675; signed up August 15, 1943; served in Merchant Navy, Atlantic and Pacific.



**CLARENCE LARSON** Division or Regimental No M448199, Canadian Army; rank, Private; signed up November 1940; years served, 2, served in Canada; training, training centre 131; other members in family who served, sister, Ellen, Canadian Army served in States.

### **ROBERT BERKHOLTZ**

Division or Regimental No M56039, Eng.; rank, Sapper signed up January 1942, discharged November 9, 1945; served in United Kingdom, Continental Europe



### MAHON Division or Regimental No J47044; rank, Flying Officer; signed up January 21, 1943, discharged September 20, 1945; years served, 2 <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>;served in RCAF; medals/stars, Canada Volunteer Service Medal with Clasp, War Medal 1939-45; training, Aircrew Navigator.





### **EDWARD McNAUGHTON**

Division or Regimental No M50273; rank, Private; signed up March 22, 1941, discharged January 15, 1946, years served, 4 years 9 months; served in Canada, United Kingdom and Continental Europe; medals/stars, 1939-45 Star, France-Germany Star, the Defence Medal and the Canadian volunteer Service Medal and Clasp; pay \$20 per month; training, Infantry, landed in England and became front line munitions transport; landed on D-Day; other members in family who served, Ray McNaughton, Navy, North Atlantic and Jim McNaughton, Air Force, Canada



**DAVE SIMPKINS** Division or Regimental No 14575762, British Army, Royal Electrical Mechanical Engineers, signed up 1943, discharged 1947; served in Europe, training, England.

### **GRACE MATHISON**

Division or Regimental No Canadian Army W7263; rank, Private; signed up 1942, discharged 1945; served in Canada.





**CHARLES HOLLOWAY** Division or Regimental No RCAF, R150718; rank, Corporal; signed up January 27, 1942, discharged April 1946; years served, four years three months; served in Canada, England, France, Belgium, Holland and Germany; medals/stars, 1939-45 Star, France-Germany Star, Defence Medal, War Medal 1939-45, Canadian Volunteer Service Medal (CVSM); training, Motor Mechanic course, Search Light Training (England), Small Store Management night course (war over); other members in family who served, brothers John west coast Canada and England; William, Canada, England and Egypt.



### **GEORGE A. COOPER** Division or Regimental No M 1 0 4 8 3 9, C a l g a r y Highlanders; rank, Private; signed up November 16, 1942, discharged May 30, 1945; years served, around 2 <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>; served in Canada, United Kingdom, Europe; medals/starts, entitled to wear War Service Badge, has five medals, the Defence Medal, Volunteer Service Medal, France-Germany Star, the 1939-45 Star, and one more; pay per day, \$1.50 per day, overseas got 75 cents per day and the rest was sent home; training in Grande Prairie and Calgary and further training overseas.



**TRYDAL, SPR John E** M65731 RCE WWII Regular Force; joined in 1940; training in Vernon, B.C., Dundurn, Sask., Suffield for rifle training and Petawawa, Ontario for advanced training; served 4 years as a Private in Royal Canadian Engineers; received 5 service medals.



Division or Regimental No Squadron 34, RCAF; rank, LAC; signed up August 2, 1942, discharged October 3, 1945; years served, 3; served in England; medals/stars, Defence Medal, Voluntary Medal, 1939-45 Medal, Spam Medal; training, basic training No. 9 Manning Depot, Edmonton; other members in family who served, brother in Army.

### CADOMIN VETERANS

Frank Wells David James Jenkins John Kitchener Culley William (Billy) Coppinger Dan Bisikie William Nikiforuk Kenneth Deans John Collison Gordon Douglas Watson Edward C. Maddams

If you have any information about these veterans please contact Mary at 780-728-9797 or email cheviot3mp@shaw.ca



**Herbert Bampton** Merchant Marine during WWII Passed away 1991.



**Boe Sigward Erickson** born Jan 31, 1925. Immigrated to Canada (Wildwood Ab) in 1928. Joined the Royal Canadian Navy in March 1943 served as Telelgraphist on HMCS Fort Erie escort ship. Discharged October 1945 after Japanese surrender. Resident of Wildwood for 85 + yrs.



**James Robinson** 



**Ralph Rolson** 



### **ROBERT HIRD** Rank, Private; signed up 1943, discharged, 1946; years served, 3; served in Second Third Anti Tank, the Calgary Highlanders; pay per day, \$1.00 - \$1.20; training, basic Camrose, Wainwright.

Albert Novotny



ALFRED DOBING Joined the army in 1916, discharged 1919. Served in France and Belgium, with 495h BH Railway Eng.



**ED CARRUTHERS** Division or Regimental No RAF, rank, LAC; signed up N o v e m b e r 1939, discharged April 1945; years served 6 ½; served in Britain, Canada, France, Belgium, Holland and Germany; training, Met School; other members in family who served, brother, James in Navy



T.H. (TED) SEMENIUK Division or Regimental No M6145; rank, Private; signed up March 19, 1945 discharged April 1, 1946; years served, 1 year 1 month; served in Army; pay per day, \$1.30; training, Infantry, Pacific Zone.

#### PETER MELLERSH

Division or Regimental No Three Rivers Regt (Tanks); rank, Corporal; signed up 1940, discharged 1946; years served 51/2; served in United Kingdom, Scotland, Sicily, Italy, France, Holland, Belgium, Germany, medals/stars, 5 medals; pay per day, \$1.60 to \$2.40; training, Tec School, tank driver.

### Robb and area Veterans

Robert Norris, Lenard Charleton, Robert Davidson Andy Smart, Vernor Simmonds Patrick P. Wheat, Archibald McLellan John Francis McManus, Robert Charles Foster Neil Thomas MacAulay, Lawrence J.C. Buehler

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Roger Savignae

Sylver Buehler

Mawhinney Toma Ernie Page

Johnnie Loyer Joseph Lewicki

William Curtain

Frank Anthony Martin

Frank Roscovich

Carl Roscovich

Fraser McLeod

Allan Homes

J. Mowlam

Harold McDonald (or

McDonald Harold)

J. Scott

Arnold Williams

Thank you to Ed Jenkins

and Florence (Jenkins)

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LAWRENCE WILLIAMS

No, M50348; discharged;

rank L/Sgt.; signed up April

14, 1941, discharged January 8, 1946; served in United Kingdom, Central

Mediterranean, Continental

Europe; medals/stars, CVSM, Defence Medal, '39-45 Star, Italy Star,

Division or Regimental

Rankin

# Remembrance Day - November 11



**CHARLES ALAN** IRWIN 1925-2014 b. Carrot Creek, AB d. Spruce Grove, AB 1943 Alan joined the navy in the fall. Took basic training at HMCS Nonsuch in Edmonton, 'stoker' training at Cornwallis, NS and Halifax. Нe volunteered for RCN Fleet Air Arm (England) 1944-45 training as an aircraft mechanic. Just as squadron was to board HMCS Bonaventure, Canada's only aircraft carrier, peace was declared. Retired from C.I.L polyethylene plant, Edm.



**KEITH ACORN** Divisional or Regimental No R26639; rank, Sergeant; signed up 1939, discharged 1945; years served, 5; served in Canada (Dauphin and Mosband, Manitoba); medals/ stars Volunteer of Canada; pay per day, \$1.25; training RCAF, flying time 1200 hrs at 1  $\frac{1}{2}$  to 2 hours, day; passed away May 25,



**DEAN MEEK** Divisional or Regimental No Canadian Army; rank, private; signed up 1942, discharged 1946; served in Canada; training, Edmonton and Calgary





**CHARLES FREMONT IRWIN 1895-1977** b. Manitoba; d. Carrot Creek, AB

1917 enlisted in the army and served with the Canadian Expeditionary Force in Belgium, France and Germany until the end of WWI on Nov. 11, 1918 (as an army medic in the trenches and was gassed). During WWII joined the RCAF. He served at several bases in eastern Canada before being mustered out at the end of the war (Cpl. Irwin CF#2FIS RCAF). Homesteader of Carrot Creek AB



#### ANTONY(TONY) BAWOL

Division or Regimental No, Loyal Edmonton Regiment; rank, Private; signed up November 1943, discharged January 1946; years served 2 plus; served in England, Belgium, Holland and Germany with Education Improvement Corp; medals/ stars, France-Germany Star, War Medal; pay per day, while in Educational Corps, acting corporal with trades pay, \$1.90; training, Military in Calgary, Warfare in Wainwright and barge landing in Port Alberni.

#### **BERTRAM FAIRHOLM** 1898 - 1989

Served WWI France, entered at 16 years old. Served WWII in Lethbridge as Prison Guard Discharged in 1949.

Coal Valley Joe Labuda Ronald V. Plante

<u>Foothills</u> William Wilson W.L. Hammitt John Romaniuk Mike Romaniuk Ray Watkins Jack Watkins Jr. Maurice Lanouette

<u>Sterco</u> Curtis B. Munson **Richard Armstrong** Joseph Arthur Holroyd James Archibald Irving Douglas James Paul Raymond Clarence Carren Frank Lavorato William Nicolson John Nicolson Freeman Nicolson Melvin Elmer Jones



ALLAN SHANTZ Private, born March 14, 1891, died March 1, 1974. Branch of service, Army (R.C.A.); 10th Battalion Canadian Expeditionary Force. Enlisted Nov. 28, 1917 to April 5, 1919. Served in France. Medals British War awarded: Medal and Victory Medal. Allan was born in Port Elgin, Ontario, moved to Carrot Creek in 1910.



**CPL. CARL UNDERHILL** 1951\_54 Korean War

# Mercoal Veterans

Perry Wheat Kenneth Wheat Edwin David Conger Burn Conger William J. Donovan Charles Stanley Wills Stan Baker Howard Cassidy Laurie Switzer Archie MacLeod Robert Irwin John Relling Hector MacLeod Howard Woody Paul Marshall Fred Smigelsky Lionel Bailey Arnold McIntyre

McIntyre Bernedette McIntyre Ernie Foss Arnold Flohr Gerald Flohr David Adams Peter Kolbe Ernie Grandmaison William Cook William Milton John Belair Roger David Conger George M. Christophers Roy McLeod William Bell Asbridge Thank you to Gary Conger, Ken Wheat and living Veterans.

# Lest we Forget



NICK ANTONENKO

Division or Regimental No, 31st Alta. RECCE Regiment (Scouting) M52080; rank, Private; signed up April 1942, discharged 1945; years served, 3; served in Canada; pay per day, started at \$1.10, ended with \$1.50; training: basic advanced and Commando, took 30 days training in Camrose, 1939; other members in family who served, brother Mike, served overseas in the First War and in Canada in the Second War.

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**DEL BLOCK** Division or Regimental No, A105518; rank, Private; signed up August 1942, discharged April 1946; year served, 4; served in Europe and United Kingdom; medals/ stars, 1939-45 Medal, 1939 Volunteer Service Medal with Clasp, 1939-45 Defence Medal, France

Germay Star, 39-45 Star; pay per day, \$1.35 basic, \$1.50 advanced, \$2.00 B Trades pay, cook; training basic, advanced and trades school and cooking school in Farnsborough, England, cook for B Company HLA from June 44-Dec. 45, cook for sergeant's mess CAHQ from Dec. 45 - Jan. 46; other members in family who served, broth, Dalton Block, RCAF, killed in

# Luscar Veterans

action 1944.

Archibald Mitchell James Mitchell John Mitchell Nick Kulyk Wayne Spencer Vernon Hughes Roy Larson Donald Carson Mike Zozak Jason Thomas George Reece Kazmir Adamchuk Barney Giovianazzo or Giovanazzo



Arthur Baker Trevor Baker William Baker Stanley Baker Axel Mordeen Roy Campbell William Small Weldon Stacey Joe Henderson George Pilichowski William Pilichowski Dick Green Joseph Green



**CLARENCE WILKINS** Division or Regimental No M106086; rank Private; signed up January 1943, discharged, February 1946; years served, 3; served in United Kingdom, Italy and Europe; medals/stars, 1939-45 Star, Italy Star, France Germany Star, Europe, Canada Medal; pay per day, \$1.50; training 4 months Canada, 4 months England (radio operator).



HART LINDGREN Division or Regimental No R86859; rank, Corporal; signed up January 1941, discharged January 1946; years served, 5; served in RCAF; pay per day, \$1.75; training Aero engine, Canada, rotol props, England; other members in family who served, Bryce Lindgren, brother, Gordon Lindgren, brother, Karsten Field, uncle.



**Edward Suter** 

**KENNETH McKEEVER** Division or Regimental No V76168, Navy; rank, AB Seaman; signed up August 1944, discharged July 1946; served in Atlantic.

**Floyd Olsen** 

**DONALD STRACHAN** Division or Regimental No M107447; rank, Sergeant; signed up 1943, discharged 1946; served in Sea Unit -Canada, Britain, Mediterranean.



Alan Irwin, right

PAUL MUDRYK Division or Regimental No J51636, RCAF; rank, Flying officer; signed up June 17 1942, discharged October 15, 1945; served in Canada; medals/stars CVSM and War Medal.

#### MICHAEL L. LAWLESS

Branch of service Air Force, January 1978 to January 1998. Served in Golan Heights (Gulf War), former Yugoslavia, Haiti, NATO and ALERT. Medals received - C.D., Canadian Peacekeepers Medal, SSM

### **MEL MATHESON**

Division or Regimental No 37771; signed up 1944, discharged 1946; served in Merchant Marines.



**Herbert Suter** 



Dennis W. Newbury -April 1948- April 1973 Royal Canadian Engineers, Division/Regimental No S1502, RCE; signed up April 2, 1948, discharged April 2, 1973.



**ROBERT C. BURNS** Division or Regimental No R290979; rank, Sergeant; R2909/9; rank, Sergeant; signed up September 1943, discharged August 28, 1945; served in RCAF, medals/stars, CVSM, War Medal; pay per day, \$1.80; training. Wireless Operator/Air Gunner; other members in family, who members in family who served, father, brother.

**GEORGE BERGMAN** Division or Regimental No V16933, RCNVR; rank, Sto. 1; signed up April 30, 1942, discharged August 7, 1943; served in Canada.



WILLIAM H. **HINCHEY (BILL)** Division or Reg Transportation; rank,

Private; signed up September 16, 1943, discharged March 18, 1946; served in United Kingdom and Continental Europe, medals/stars 1939-45 Star, France Germany Star, Canadian Volunteer Service Medal and Clasp



**Master Corporal Raymond Arndt** 1999 Army Reserve Loyal Edmonton Regiment, Edmonton, Alberta. Infantry Peace keeping. Reserves. Supplies for convoys.



### **GORDON WADE**

Division or Regimental No R106498; rank, Corporal; Division, RCAF; signed up June 10, 1941, discharged March 29, 1946; years served, 4 years and 9 months; medals/stars months; medals/stars, Canadian Volunteer Service Medal, War Medal 1939-45; other members in family who served, brother Grant, served in RCAF as bomb aimer on Lancasters, won DFC in England and over Europe; basic pay, \$1.10 per day, corporal \$2.45 per day; equipment assistant, posted to Coal Harbour in '41, then to Bombing and Gunnery School, 1944, then to Reserve Maintancne Equipment Unit, Carbery Manitoba, 1945.



CORPORAL CHRIS H.R. NIELSEN (Squadron 412) Royal Canadian Air Force 1940-1945. Star France and Germany Star, Defence Medal.



#### **CARROL O. COURT** Division or Regimental No

E104002; rank, Corporal; signed up September 9, 1942, discharged July 17, 1946; years served, 3 years 10 months; served in 2 Corp. 6th Anti Tank; medals/stars 1939-45 Star, France-Germany Star, the Defence Medal, Volunteer Service Medal and Great Britain Medal; pay per day, from \$1.40 to \$2.20 at discharge; training, basic training Levis Quebec, advanced training, Petawawa, Ontario; other members in family who served, Graham L. Court, Herbert R. Court.



**Desmond Woodman** Division or Regimental No, D31133, Navy; rank, Leading Stoker; signed up April 1942, discharged December 1945; served in North Atlantic, Pacific, Europe.



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### DOREEN ROACH-WADE

Division or Regimental No W307055; rank, LAW; division RCAF; signed up Sept. 19, 1942, discharged Jan. 11, 1945, No. 5, AOS Winnipeg, Manitoba; year served, 2 years 4 months; served in Canada; training 6 months War Emergency Training Program; typing and shorthand, WETP (course) Saskatoon, Sask., basic training in Rockcliffe, Ontario; posted to No. 8 Repair Depot March 1943 December 1944, No. 55 AOS Dec. 44 to Jan. 45; pay per day, AW, 90 LAW \$1.10



### **ALLAN D. DIXON**

Rank, Trooper. Branch of service, Royal Canadian Dragoons, Division of Regimental No M103185 Years enlisted 1942 discharged Feb. 1946. Served in Africa, Italy, France, Belgium, Holland and Germany. Medals/stars 1939-45 Star, Italian Star, France and German Star, 1939-45 volunteer Medal and Clasp, Victory Medal, Training: Camrose, basic Camp Borden, Ont. Other members in family who served: Brother Robert.



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**PAUL AJAS** Division or Regimental No M12404; rank, Private, L/Cpl; signed up August 8, 1940, Calgary, Alberta, discharged January 17, 1946; years served 5 1/2; served in United Kingdom, Central Mediterranean and Europe; medals/stars received, 1939-45 Star, Italy Star, France and Germany Star, Defence Medal; pay per day, \$1.30; training 6 months in England, 3 months military police, weeks Irish Guards; other members in family who served, Ralph Ajas, Eugene Ajas, Buck Ajas and Conrad Ajas.

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**GERALD STANLEY** PATENAUDE WWII Army Royal Canadian Corps of Signals, 1941-45. Korean War-Army, Lord Strathcona Horse Regiment Tank Corp, 1953-55. WWII job was to decode German Intelligence.



**JAMES M. HAGGART** Royal Canadian Artillery 2nd div. 5th Can. field Regiment Easy Troop gun 4, 1944-1945, served in France, Holland, WWII. Medals awarded - Star France & Germany Star, 1939-45 War Medal, Voluntary Service Medal, Defence Medal.



LAWRENCE WILLIAMS Rank, Corporal/Sergeant; signed up 1941, discharged 1946; served in United Kingdom, Central Mediterranean and Europe; medals/stars, 1939-45 Star, Italian Star, France and Germany Star and Defence Medal; training, B.C.

**DUANE ROY ALLEN** Years in the Army: Rank: Master Warrant Officer, Petawawa, Ontario. Duane is the grandson of Mona Allen.



Shipwright; signed up June 10, 1942, discharged February 24, 1944; served in Canada and Newfoundland; medals/stars CVSM and Clasp, War Medal '39-45.

**Bob Barrett** 

**AMOS BURGESS** 

Division or Regimental No

V-39316, RCN; rank,

PRIVATE **SIGMUND FOSSHEIM** Served in the Canadian Army from June 18, 1943 to November 5, 1946.



### **HELMUTH KNETEMAN (Gus)**

March 1941 enlisted basic training for 8 months. March 1941 England 24 months, Sicily 1 month, Italy 14 months, Belgium 1 month, Holland 7 months. October 5, 1945 returned to Canada and was discharged, Calgary, Alberta Nov 22, 1945.



Back row, left, Geo Collin, Bob MacDonald; first row, Fred Stanley, Alex Callas, Albert Cooper; kneeling Helmuth Kneteman.



**Bob Irwin, Charlie Irwin, Bryce Lindgren; World War II** 



**ELMER FOSSHEIM** Division or Regimental No 212132; rank LAC; signed up December 1942, discharged December 1945; years served, 3; served in Alaska, Canada; medals/stars, CVSM; pay per day, \$2.25; Clasp Training: Aero Engine.



**Donald Mclennan** 



WALTER HAIGHT Division or Regimental No R198774; rank, Pilot, RCAF; 419 Moose Squadron, signed up 1942, discharged Sept 1945 in Calgary; served in Canada and Europe; training in Canada



**Raymond Phillips** 



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**NINO CHIESA** Divisional or Regimental No Seaforth Highlanders First Division; rank, Private; signed up January 1943, discharged September 19945; years served, two years nine months; served in Canada, England, North Africa, Italy, Germany POW; medals/stars CVS, Italy Star, War Medal 39-45; '39-45 Star, Mentioned in dispatches.



IVAN M. BROWN LAC, Royal Canadian Air Force, served 1941-46, Motor Mechanic, Motor Transport. Stationed at Penfield Ridge, ON, Rivers, MN, Vancouver Island, Port Hardy, Prince Rupert and Greenwood, NS



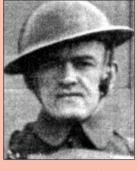


Joined the Royal Navy May 1939 as Boy Seaman. Served on a destroyer in the Norweigan campaign and was present at the sinking of the German battleship, Bismark. Transferred to Royal Canadian Navy June 1941, served in destroyer and corvettes on N. Atlantic convoys. Retired as Chief Petty Officer, Sept. 1960.



**ALFRED GORDON CHRISTIE** Royal Canadian Air Force Whitehorse, 1940-1945.

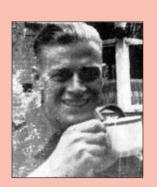
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John Metcalfe

#### **JOE FOLK**

Division or Regimental No M100585, 1st Division; rank, Staff Sergeant; signed up March 1942, discharged November 1945; served in Canada, England, Italy; medals/stars CVSM, '39-45 Star, Italy Star, European Star, Defence Medal, Britain, Victory Medal.





**DANNY DEETS** 

Regimental No C51653; rank, Flying Officer; signed up Spring 1941, discharged Fall 1945; years served, 4 <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> years; served in Manning Depot, Brandon, Manitoba Aero-engine mechanic, Winnipeg, Newfoundlandflying crew, Dartmouth, flight engineer, east and west coast; Tofino on the Island



**Oscar Svedburg** 



**Elmer Walsh** 



**Mike Morden** 





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**BILL (WILLIAM) McBURNIE** Rank, LAC in Air Force;

signed up early 1941; years served 41/2; pay per day, about \$6; training, Air Force mechanic and maintenance; trained in Claresholm, Alberta and St. Thomas, Ontario.

LARRY ONYSKO Division or Regimental No 15171 RCMP; rank, Constable; signed up August 27, 1948, discharged January 1953; served in Canada.



**BILL DOBING** Joined the army January 1941. Discharged for

medical reasons, July 1941.

Trained in Camrose and



### EARL D. McGUIRE

Division or Regimental No R159303; rank LAC; signed up October 1, 1942, discharged October 1, 1945; years served, 3 years 5 months; served in RCAF; medals/stars, Canadian Volunteer Service medal;



Ithel Brynor David (1896-1991). WWI 3D Battalion, Royal Scots Fusiliers



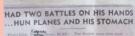
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**Carson Field** 



Frank Kirk









**MARY BURNS** Division or Regimental No W1642; rank, Leading Wren; signed up 1942, discharged 1945; years served, 3; served in WRCNS-Halifax; medals/stars, Volunteer and Canada War Medal; pay per day, \$1.25; training, Communications, Gault, Ontario; other members in family who served, father.

### **LOUIS BAUDIN** Division or Regimental No 260800; rank, LAC, signed up July 6, 1943, discharged March 16, 1946; served in Patricia Bay, B.C., Coal Harbour, B.C., Western Air Command, Vancouver; pay, \$48 per month, training, aircraft mechanic, other members in family who served, brother, joined army and went overseas, escorted prisoners.

**Geoff Tilby** Regiment M50640. Enlisted in 1941 with Artillery Division of Prince of Wales holding unit in Edmonton. Trained in Grade Priaire and Camp Shilonh. Wounded in 1943 in France, recovered in England. Served in Germany and Holland. Artillery Anti Tanker, promoted to Sergeant, discharged October 1945.

### THALIA L. TOMLINSON Division or Regimental No W300658 Aw2; rank, LAW Aw2; signed up March 5, 1942; discharged February 29, 1944; years served 1 year, 342 days; served in Canada; medals/stars Canadian Volunteer Service Medal; pay per day, \$1.25; training, cook (Guelph, Ontario); other members in family who served, husband, William Stuart Cronin, aircraft mechanic, Canada, Hector Glenn Campbell, M101794, Calgary Tanks in France, Belgium and Holland.

139-45 Star. Oak Leaf Emblem; training, basic training in Toronto; instrument training in St. Thomas, Ontario.



Patricia Bilton Eastland

JAMES E. **RICHARDSON** Division or Regimental No RCNVR (Navy); signed up February 22, 1942, discharged Sept. 9, 1945; years served 3<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>;served in North Atlantic, training, signals; other members who served, brother, in Army, Calgary Tank.



MR. DAN PLANTE Branch of service M 65724; unit, Rank Sapper M Clasp; years enlisted, July 10, 1941 - August 22, 1945. Served in United Kingdom and Canada. Medals awarded - Canadian volunteer, 1939-1945 Defence Medal, medal from the Queen. Dan lived in Marlboro in 1924, later Shiningbank. After the army he worked for the railroad living in Hinton, Vancouver and Prince George.



L. Cpl. G Robert VanKoughnett Royal Canadian Engineers 1942-1946



**ELMER AHLF** Division or Regimental No RCAF, R113335, rank, Leading Aircraftsman; signed up July 15, 1941, discharged September 10, 1945; years served, four; served in RCAF (Canada and Britain); medals/stars, Defence Medal, CVSM and Clasp; pay per day, \$1.50; training, Aircraft Rigger.



Bruce Lindgren

### EARL CLIFFORD RONNESETH

Division or Regimental No K49793; rank, Private; signed up January 1943, discharged August 1945, Calgary, Alberta; years served 2<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> years; served in Canada, Europe, North Africa, Italy; medals/stars 1939-45 star, CVSM, Italian Star, Victory Medal, training, infantry.



JOHN ADAMSON Division or Regimental No M38092; rank Lance Corporal; signed up June 24, 1943, discharged October 9,



**ROBERT R. RICHARDSON (Bob)** Branch of service, R.C.A.C. M.P. (Military Policeman), 1941-1945, served in Canada.

JOHN FRANCES ALEXANDER WINWARD Served RAMC War Veteran for three wars.



METRO BASARABA

Division or Regimental No M39969; rank, Corporal; signed up April 1942, discharged February 1946; years served, 4; served in Canada, United Kingdom, Continental Europe; medals/stars, Canadian Volunteer Service Medal with Clasp and War Medal.

GEORGE MITCHELL From Bickerdike, AB Served in WWII from 1941 - 1045

JIM TAYLOR Canadian Merchant Navy; signed up 1943, discharged 1946; served, around the world.



**HOLLAND ACORN** 

Division or Regimental No R187030; rank, Lac A Group; signed up 1942 discharged V Day; years served, 3 years 60 days; served in Canada; medals/stars, Canada and Volunteer medals; pay per day, \$1.25; training, Airframe Mechanic; other members in family who served, brother, Keith, passed away Dec. 12, 2001.

### **KENNETH SMITH**

Division or Regimental No 1st Canadian Army Tank RCASC; rank, Private; signed up January 19, 1941, discharged September 25, 1945; years served 4 years 8 months; served in England, Sicily, Italy, Belgium, Holland and Germany.



KEN W. CHALUK Division or Regimental No V71894; rank, 1st Class Stoker; signed up August 1943; discharged January 1946; years served 2<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>; served in Canada and South Pacific and North Atlantic; medals/stars, Voluntary Service Medal 1939-45, Imperial George VI Medal, Hong Kong Medal, the Pacific Star; pay per day, basic \$2 day; training, basic training, joined up at HMCS Discovery, Vancouver, BC and HMCS Nonsuch, Edmonton; advanced t r a i n i n g, H M C S Cornwallis, Nova Scotia and numerous training ships; active duty, HMCS Prince Robert, South Pacific.

BART DAVIDGE

Division or Regimental No M105012, Tor. Scot; rank, Corporal; signed up 1942, discharged 1945; served in Canada, England, France, Belgium, Holland and Germany; medals/stars, '39-45 Star, CVSM, N/W Europe Vic. Medal.



**ISABELLE PETTIFER** Division or Regimental No Army, CPC; rank, Private; signed up Apri 1944, discharged September 13, 1945; years served 1 <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> years; served in Ottawa, other members in family who served, two brothers, overseas, Allan Lambert and Lorne Lambert.

**CLIFF WINTER** 



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FRANK J. LEACH Branch of service, Army; unit 49th Edmonton Regiment; years enlisted, 1942-1945. Service in England, Sicily, Italy, N.W. Europe. Medals awarded, Monte Cassino Cross, Italy Star, France & Germany Star, 1939-1945 Star, Canada War Medal, Victory Medal, Dutch Embassy Medal (7).

Eli Wild



### ADOLPH ABRAM M. 107567 Canadian Army R.C.A.M.C., Private.

Entlisted April 1943 and discharged February 1945.



### CHARLES RICHARD (DICK) CHRISTIE

49th Loyal Edmonton Regiment, Royal Canadian Corps of Signal Band 1939. Served in England, France, B e l g i u m a n d th e Netherlands. Served as a field stretcher bearer played at official military f u n c t i o n s, t r o o p entertainment. Returned home in 1945, worked for CNR, formed local Edson b a n d s i n E d s o n. Bandmaster for many years.

VIRGINIA WEISER



**BARTON E. DAVIDGE** Division or Regimental No 2 MD Div. Toronto Scottish; rank, Corporal; signed up Dec. 11, 1942, discharged Aug. 12, 1945; years served 3; served in Canada, United Kingdom, Continental Europe, M.W. Europe; medals/stars '39-45 Star, France and Germany Star, Volunteer Service Medal and Clasp. pay per day, \$2; other

### ROYAL CANADIAN LEGION WILDWOOD BR 149 Veterans List

### Honor Roll

Able, Leon F. Alskogg, Victore Bateman, Arnold Boone, William Dash, Kenneth Dash, Merle (Bud) George, William Johnson, Basil Loughran, Ada Loughran, Harry McKenzie, Harry Monty, Tony Olesiuk, Sandie Paulson, Clare Rachel, Herert Sagmoen, Marvin Starko, Nick Steer, Ken Vickery, Jack Willett, Victor Williamson, Harry

### Veteran List

Berg, Stanley Cardinal, Terry Dungey, Christine Erickson, Boe Estes, Jon Gibbs, Don Greenwood, Ellen Hiesinger, Rudy Johnson, Larry Johnston, Michael O'Dell, Reginal Phillips, Bruce Redinger, Joan Riendeau, Tom Schuler, Hector Travis, Cecil Turco, Salvadore

Cliff was born in Fisher Mills, Ont. Feb. 19, 1898. He came west in 1914 at the age of 16 with his brother Ray and made his home at the Lambert Creek, up the Robb Hwy. Cliff joined the Royal North West Mounted Police in 1917. In Feb. 1918 he went to WWI. He w a s i n t h e 7 8 C.F.A.C.E.F.M.D. #13 out of Calgary. They were sent overseas first to England then on to France. Cliff was with the dog teams, a teamster and a gunner. He came home to Edson at the end of the war in 1919 and homesteaded along the McLeod River up the Robb Road until his death in 1979.

Division or Regimental No V-W2683; signed up April 15, 1942, discharged May 8, 1945; served in WRCN, Canada; medals/stars, Service Medal.



WILLIAM SVEDBERG

brothers Rodney RCAF and George RCN.

### PAUL SCHWEISTZER

Division or Regimental No M65347, Engineers; rank, Private; signed up 1941 discharged 1945; served in France, Germany, Belgium, Holland; medals/stars CVSM Defence Medal, '39-45 Star France -Germany Star, War Medal.

#### **ALEX LEONARD**

Division or Regimental No Sb10724, 2RCHA; rank, Junior NCO; signed up October 25, 1951, discharged June 29, 1959; served in Canada, Continental Europe.



**Edgar Allen Moore** was born in 1920 to Frederick George and Jane Cecilia Moore, in Edson, Alberta, Canada. The family lived in Edson for many years.

During WWII, he made 30 bombing trips with his Thunderbird squadron. Among his many medals, is the Distinguished Flying Cross which was awarded for acts of valour, courage or devotion to duty whilst flying in active operations against the enemy.



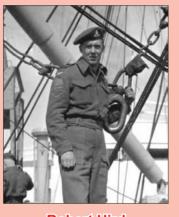
**ROBERT WILLYS** IRWIN 1920-2006 b. Carrot Creek, AB d. Edson, AB

1942 took basic and wireless telegraphy training at Cove Barracks at Farnborough, England. Was posted to First Canadian Corps W/T signals section and saw action in Italy, France and Holland before returning to Canada in December 1945. (Sign M56874 Irwin RW/Cpl. Irwin RW 1 A Main WT Section 1st Can Corps). Retired from Alberta Forest Service 1979.



Helen Moore

**GEORGE MITCHEL** Canadian Army



**Robert Hird** Born 1924



**Charlie Suter** 

### **RAY WINTER**

Ray was born in Fisher Mills, Ont. May 28, 1896. He came west in 1914 at the age of 18 and made his home at the Lambert Creek, up the Robb Hwy. Ray joined the army in 1918, he never went overseas but trained in Calgary. When WWI was over he homesteaded along the Embarrass River up the Robb Road for some time then married and moved to Nelson, B.C.



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Doug Pettifer #61667 1959-1970. Served Overseas Egypt, Cyprus **Bob Pettifer #67043** 1961-1981. Stationed in various places in Canada. Both served in the Air Force.

### **MARNEY JOHNSTON**

Division or Regimental No M1549, Pictou HL; rank, Private, signed up April 12, 1944, discharged April 12, 1946; medals/stars CVSM, Victory Medal.

