

RCL BRANCH 187 HONOURS AND AWARDS



Medals and/or Bars: Royal Canadian Legion Zone F2 Commander Dave Hamden, right, presented honours to Branch 187 executive members, left to right, Ira Wile, Harry Rowe, Nick Percy Foster, centre, and a 25-year service pin to Rex Dillabough, right. Also present was Bubb-Clarke. Marj Barlow, George Chandler, and Kevin O'Gorman. Deputy Zone F2 Commander Betty Lamble, left, presented 35-year membership pin to June Arbourne who received a 25-year-in.

Ten Special Certificates of Appreciation for the past year were awarded by Branch 187:

1. To the Ladies Auxiliary of Branch 187 headed by President Rose Nelson, for all their hard work and betterment of the branch.

2. To John W. Foote V.C. Branch 580 Grafton represented by President David Coulter, for their generous donation and help delivering Christmas hampers.

3. The Rotary Club of Colborne represented by President John Webster, for their donation of turkeys, hams and trucks delivering the Christmas hamper.

4. Inner Wheel of Colborne, represented by Betty Chandler, for help with the Santa Claus Parade.

5. The Cramahe-Colborne Optimist Club, represented by John Rutherford, for co-organizing the Santa Claus Parade.

6. Enjay Converters Ltd., represented by Gary McMurray, for donating boxes for the hamper program and placemats.

don Smith, Stan Todd
10 Year (associate) - Ray Babcock, Danny Crawford, Chris Davies, Fran Fox, Sue Gauthier, Marion Wickes

10 Year (ordinary) - Terry W. Millman

5 Year (associate) - Nancy Gauthier, Cindy Greer, H. Glenn Kernaghan, Michael McMurray

5 Year (ordinary) - Barnard Bradbury, Stanley Judson

Four Life members

The Colborne Branch 187 has four living Life Members, one of the highest honours to be earned with the Royal Canadian Legion.

George Blyth has been a member for 62 years. Don Prentice has been a member for 46 years, Al Decker for 38 years and Patti May for 24 years.

Executive Honours

The following incumbent executive members earned medals

and/or bars presented at the annual Honours and Awards banquet and reception at the Colborne Legion last Saturday evening:

■ Nick Bubb-Clarke - Past Offi-

cer Medal; Executive Committee Bar and Service Officer Bar

■ Kevin O'Gorman - Past Officer Medal; Executive Committee Bar; and a new bar this year - Youth Education.

■ Harry Rowe - 2nd Vice President Bar and Poppy Bar.

■ Ira Wile - Past President Bar.

■ Marj Barlow - Sports Bar.

■ George Chandler - Public Relations Bar.



Left to right, Betty Lamble with Donna Colling (20-year Legion member), Stan Todd (15 years), W. Gordon Smith (15 years) and John Fox (20 years).

