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## Silver Memorial Cross distinctive medal

Did you know: Canadian Memorial Cross (Silver Cross)

A silver Memorial Cross is awarded to the mother and/or widow of each Canadian sailor, soldier or airman of World Wars I and II, who was killed in action, died whilst on active service or dies subsequent to his discharge from causes attributable to service.

A silver Memorial Cross is also given to the mother and/or widow in respect of every member of the Armed Forces of Canada who during the Korean Conflict has laid down his life for his country whilst in, proceeding to, or returning from, an area of hostilities in the Far East, or who dies on service or subsequent to his release or causes attributable to service in such areas.

A description of this distinctive Medal is as follows: Obverse: Surmounted on a wreath of laurel, a cross patee concaved with bevelled edges, in the top arm in Imperial Crown, on the two sides arms and bottom arm a Maple Leaf. A smaller St. George Cross is superimposed on the larger and in the center of which is a Royal Cipher in raised letters. Reverse: Plain, with hallmark. Clasps: Nil. Description: Cross, 11/4 in., across arms, sterling silver 196 grains. Mounting: two small double rings. Ribbon: 38 in., purple. Designer: Unknown. Naming: On reverse, engraved, name, rank, regimental number, Total issued: (a) Cypher GRV - 60,000 (b) GV1R -35,000 (c) E11R - 300. Terms of Award: Instituted by Orders-in-Council 2374, December 1, 1919 and P.C. August 27, 1940 as amended by P.C. 2135 March 28, 1941.

By WENDI GOODHEW

Ladies Auxiliary P.R.O.

for the Ladies Auxiliary, not only

was it our monthly meeting but it

was also our annual pot luck

Christmas party and our chance

event this year with the help of

Marion McGuigan and Wendi

Goodhew. Mary's many hours of

worrying and hard work paid off

when the evening was a great

success. With Mary as our leader

Marion and myself knew things

The ladies were entertained by

some young talent this year,

"The 6th Liners" consisting of

Katie Fraser, Alex Fraser,

Ashley Johnson and Cameron

Sisnett. These kids were not only

cut but they did a great job at

singing for us. Lois Fraser played

the piano and sang a Christmas

carol for us. She has an excellent

Peter Rowe, "The Future Bill

Cosby" had the ladies in stitches

with his great comedian act. We

don't want to forget Julia Sisnett

who although she wasn't old

enough to entertain yet, her

presence certainly added to the

spirit of Christmas. Just the look

on her face when our great friend

would be okay.

singing voice.

Mary Russell organized the

to honor our senior members.

Dec. 6/90 was a special night

December 2nd saw nine members of Branch 120 at the Zone Convention held at Branch 609 Bramalea. Ian McAlpine, President of Branch 609, our host for the convention, presided over the opening ceremonies then turned the meeting over to Deputy Zone Commander Hank Russell.

Guests were District Com. mander Doug Wheeler and District Chairman Gord Maxwell. After the reports were given there was a question and answer period.

The 1st Canadian Parachute Battalion Association was awarded 1st Place in the "Unit Competition" at the Canadian National Exhibition's Warriors Day Parade, held in Toronto on August 18, 1990. They are now the holders of the Goodyear Remembrance Trophy and Plaque, awarded annually to the unit judged best in dress, marching discipline and crowd reaction. Congratulations! I'm sure the family and friends of our late comrade James (Pinky) Sargent, who passed away on June 2, 1990. will be very proud of their Dad's compatriots doing so well.

Coming events at your Legion:

Christmas Dart Shoot for six turkeys Saturday, December 15th, 1990. Time 2:00 p.m. Come out to the Branch and enjoy a fun afternoon. Applications at the Branch. For this special day players will not have to be in attendance.

New Years Dance Tickets still available from your friendly Bar Stewards. Ring out the old year and ring in the new with all your comrades at the Branch.

This Saturday is the last call for the Legion Winter Jackets but

Santa Claus made his entrance

brought the meaning of

Christmas to everyone's minds.

Santa took time out of his busy

schedule to visit each of our

seniors personally and then

returned to the North Pole, with

only 2 weeks 'til Christmas, Santa

has a lot of things to do. Thanks

The Ladies Auxiliary had the

pleasure of a few members of the

branch in attendance and presi-

dent Hank Russell graciously ex-

cepted a cheque from Auxiliary

President Sheila Hicks on behalf

of the Ladies Auxiliary. A special

draw for prizes donated by the

ladies executive concluded a fine

G'town Hospital and she seemed

to be in good spirts and Lily

Maybanks was up and entertain-

ing the nurses with her cute

jokes. Both ladies were very ex-

cited to have received their

Christmas basket from the Aux-

iliary. We hope these ladies have

a speedy récovery and are home

My apologies to the ladies I

omitted from my thankyou list

for our Christmas bazaar, May

Lawr, Marg Clark, Grace Har-

Merry Christmas to all and

rison and anyone else I missed.

hope to see you in the new year.

I was up to visit Jesse Bunton in

Santa for thinking of us.

Ladies Auxiliary

Christmas party notes

night.

for Christmas.



you can still order the Sweatshirts so see you Saturday, December 15th at the Legion.

Friday Night Euchre December 7th: Ladies - 1st: Em

Sargent, 2nd: Vi Allen, Most lone hands: Marjorie Tutty. Men - 1st: Alice McDonald, 2nd: Phil Landry. Most Ione hands: Lois Richardson.

Car Club Draw Thursday, December 6th: 390 Dade Trefry, 110 Lorraine Doherty, 176 Gloria Sargent, 131 Mike Sargent, 487 Anne Marie Clarke, 216 George Webster.

Saturday Afternoon Meat Draw: Surprise and most welcome visitor was Santa Claus who helped with the draws. The Early Bird Draw: Terry Bludd (two times a winner Breakfast is at 7:00 a.m. see you at Terry's!)

Regular Draw: Peter Smith, Dennis McCartney, Norma Lawrence, Lloyd Childs, Richard

Appleyard Sr., Bill Kirk, Doris Chamberlain, Dot Richardson, Sheila Hicks, Judy Grace, Albert Ford, Bud Haines. The Roast was won by Albert Ford.

The Special was won by Helen Cloutier.

Special Christmas Gifts (courtesy of Peter Smith) were won by the following: Lola Edgar (two times a winner), Marjorie Tutty, Terry Bludd, Harry Bottoms, Mike Sargent, Nellie Bell.

May your days be better Than the best you've had Your wrinkles from laughs not frowns

Your night's bring dreams that make you glad and your joys be mountains not

mounds.

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1st PLACE



MR. JACK BROWN Georgetown

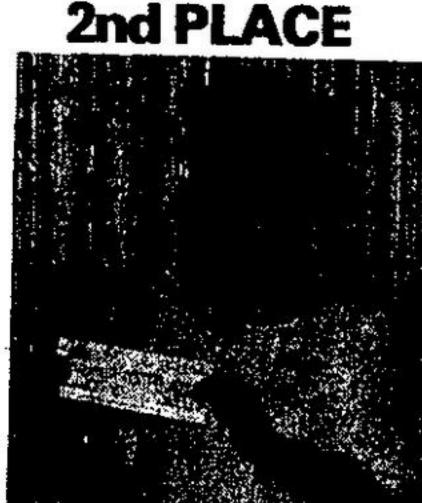
#### **BLUEBERRY CRUNCH CAKE**

- cup blueberries cup margarine
- cups white sugar
- cup sour cream
- cups flour tsp. baking powder
- 12' tsp. baking soda
- 12 tsp. salt
- 1/2 cup chopped nuts
- (your choice) 1/2 cup brown sugar
- tbsp. white sugar

tsp. cinnamon

Grease bundt pan, 9 inches. Drain blueberries, and set aside. Cream margarine and sugar together until light and fluffy. Add eggs, beat well. Blend in sour cream. Mix dry ingredients flour, baking powder, baking soda and salt. Add to the creamed mixture and mix well. Spread 1/2 of the batter in greased bundt pan. Spoon berries evenly over top of the batter. Combine chopped nuts, brown sugar, white sugar, and cinnamon. Sprinkle 1/2 of this mixture over the berries. Spread remaining batter over top of this. Sprinkle this with the remainder of the "nuts" mixture. Bake at 350 degrees F. for 45 minutes or until done when tested.

> Jack Brown, Georgetown, Ont.



**CARIE GEMMEL** Georgetown.

#### LIFE SAVING BREAKFAST (Makes 6 servings)

- slices white bread Thinly sliced back bacon or ham
- Slices of sharp Cheddar cheese
- eggs ½ tsp. salt
- tsp. pepper -1 tsp. dry mustard
- cup minced onion
- cup finely chopped green pepper
- -2 tsp. Worcestershire sauce
- Dash of Tabasco or red pepper sauce
- cups milk

15 cup butter Crushed corn flakes

Arrange 8 slices of bread in bottom of buttered 13 x 9" baking dish. Cover bread with a single layer of bacon (or ham), then cheese, and cover with remaining bread slices, like a sandwich. Beat eggs with salt and pepper; add mustard, onion, green pepper, Worcestershire, Tabasco and milk. Pour over sandwiches, cover and refrigerate overnight. In the morning, melt butter and pour over the top. Sprinkle with crushed corn flakes. Bake uncovered in 350 degree F. oven for 1 hour. Let stand 10 minutes

before serving. A hint: I use my blender or food processer to mix the eggs, salt, pepper, mustard, onion, green pepper, Worcestershire, Tabasco and milk. It chops and mixes in one step.

> Carie Gemmel, Georgetown, Ont.

3rd PLACE



MARTHA CANTWELL Georgetown

#### ITALIAN STEW 1/2 lb. Italian sausage (hot)

- lb. stewing meat
- med. carrots, cut in 2-inch
- lengths can potatoes, leave whole
- pkg. frozen Italian green
- med, onion, chopped
- tbsp. flour

degrees F.

- tsp. salt tsp. pepper
- beef bouillon cube
- cup chili sauce
- tsp. Italian seasoning or

oregano

cups water

Slice sausage in 1-inch pieces. Brown slowly and remove frompan. Cut meat in 11/2-inch chunks. Coat with flour, salt and pepper. Fry in sausage drippings. Remove from pan and add to sausage. Saute onion until soft. Mix everything in casserole and

bake covered 3 hours at 300

Martha Cantwell, Georgetown, Ont.



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