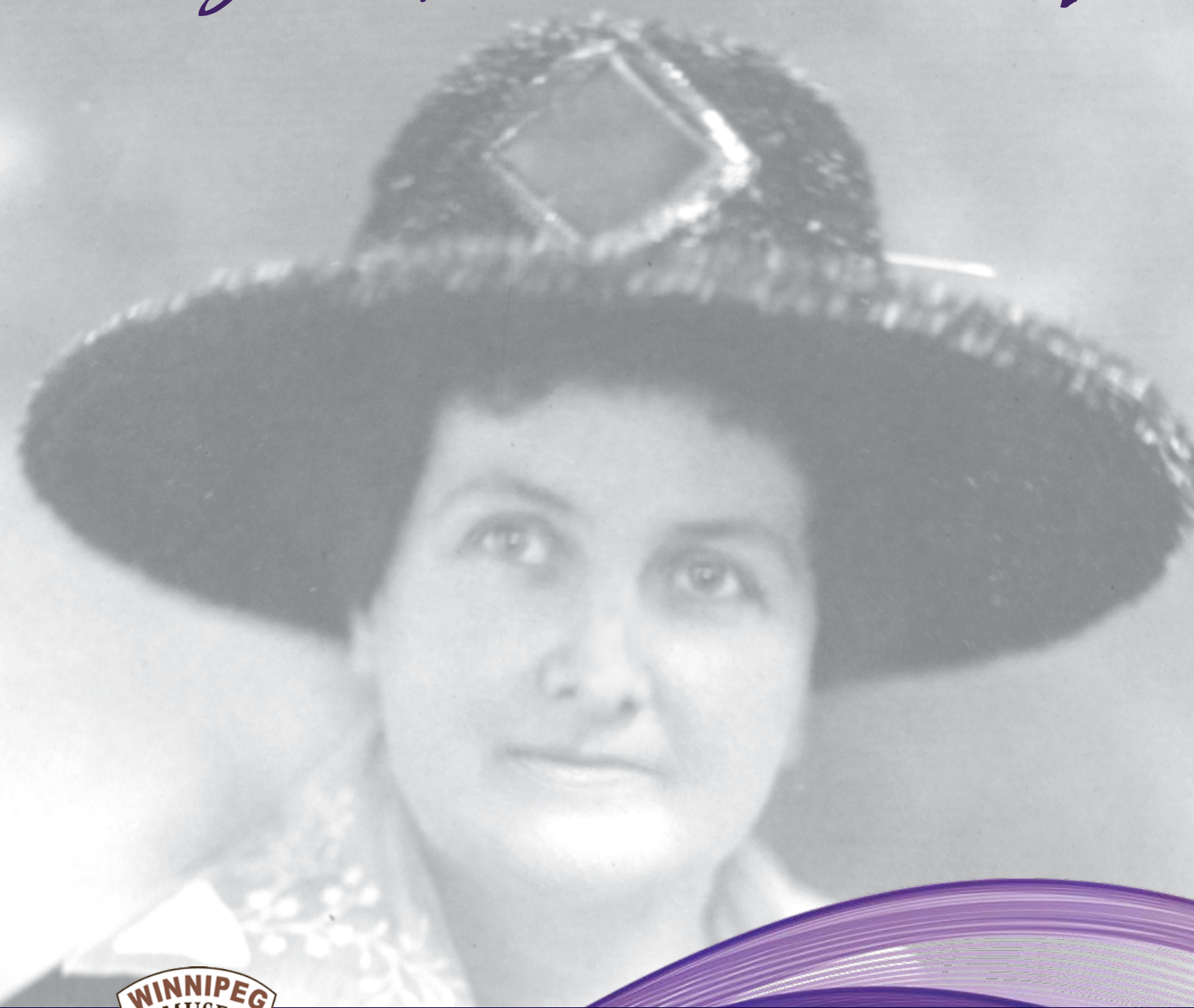


100 Years of Women in Policing



**Winnipeg Police Museum
& Historical Society Inc.**
2016 Annual Report



1961 - This was the first Class for
"999" - Emergency Telephone Operators.
(Later 911). Conducted by Insp. A. N. Clarke
and myself -

The Winnipeg Police Museum gratefully receives historical information along with pictures, equipment or other artifacts from anyone who wishes to provide these types of items as either a donation or temporary loan for reproduction. Please contact the Museum Curator or any member of the Board of Directors if you have such items to share. This picture of the first Winnipeg "999 Emergency Telephone Operator's" class is provided by the family of former Superintendent Charles TULLY (retired), and was scanned from his loaned scrap book.

(Cover: Mary E. DUNN, appointed December 27, 1916, was the first female officer hired by the Winnipeg Police.)

THE WINNIPEG POLICE MUSEUM AND HISTORICAL SOCIETY INC.

30 YEARS
1986-2016

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING • JANUARY 19, 2017

BOARD OF DIRECTOR'S REPORT FOR 2016

The Board of Directors is pleased to report to the membership its activities for 2016. The first half of the year dealt with the final completion of the Museum. While the official opening of the Museum was not until June, permission was received from the Winnipeg Police Service to open on May 28th and 29th to participate in Open Doors Winnipeg. A total of 1,002 visitors toured the Museum during that event.

The official opening of the Museum took place on June 16th, with about 70 invited guests in attendance. Chief of Police Devon Clunis addressed those in attendance, followed by President Stan Scarr who provided a brief history on the development of the Museum, starting in 1983 with a small number of volunteers who laid the initial groundwork. The Winnipeg Police Museum & Historical Society was subsequently incorporated as a non-profit corporation under the Manitoba Corporations Act on May 2nd, 1986 with a mandate to:

- (a) Discover and collect any material related to the local police services,
- (b) Promote the research and recording of the history of the local police services,
- (c) Provide for the preservation of material collected and to ensure its accessibility to those who wish to examine or study it,
- (d) Promote the rebuilding and refurbishing of police equipment and apparatus, and
- (e) Promote and encourage public interest in police history.

President Scarr introduced retired Staff/Sergeant Jack Templeman, Curator, as one of the founders of the Museum. It was Jack's enthusiasm and belief that there should be a record of policing history in Winnipeg preserved and accessible for the public. It was during its formative years that Jack located the original 1925 Reo Speedwagon that had been used by the Winnipeg Police Department. It had been sold and adapted as a farm truck and subsequently abandoned in a field. A project to rebuild the vehicle headed by Jack, Albert Apostle, Ron Wurster and Garth McCombe, resulted in a tangible exhibit that has become a highlight of the Museum since 1990 when it was completed. The Reo Speedwagon was subsequently memorialized in a postage stamp minted by Canada Post in 1994.

A painting of Jack, commissioned by the Board from artist Joyce Anderson, was unveiled at the opening and is displayed prominently within the Museum in recognition of Jack's efforts to preserve our policing history. The plaque below the painting reads:

John (Jack) Templeman S/Sgt. (Retired)
Founder and Curator
Winnipeg Police Museum
Without his foresight and perseverance
Our heritage past may have been lost forever

The Board thanks Director Tammy Skrabek for the refreshments, which were well received.

On July 20th the Museum opened to the public, with volunteers on hand to assist with any questions from the visitors. From July 20th to the end of December there were 3,940 visitors to the Museum, making for a grand total of 5,012 visitors for the year.

The Board of Directors would like to thank the following individuals who volunteered at the Museum to assist visitors throughout the year, responding to questions about the exhibits and their own policing experiences. Most of the volunteers, retired police officers, provided over one thousand hours to the museum including the following:

Over 100 hours: Alex Katz, Gary Walker, George Walker and Don Wardrop

Over 25 hours: Mike Ashley, Des DePourq, Rick Donovan, Lyn Giles,
Eric Hrycyk, Paul Kentzinger, Lawrence Klippenstein,
Jim Kiesek, Chris Lungren, Al Paul, Dave Rees,
Morris Strombecki and Ernie Tomchuk

The Board of Directors held eleven meetings during the year: Jan. 13th, Feb. 23rd, Mar. 16th, Apr. 13th, May 18th, June 14th, July 26th, Aug. 31st, Oct. 9th, Nov. 15th and Dec. 13th.

A monthly report on Museum activities was submitted by Jack Templeman to the Board's President and the Superintendent, Support Services. The Board has been very pleased with Jack's services as Curator and look forward to his continued involvement with the Museum until he steps down on March 31st, 2017. The Assistant Curator, Bruce Honey, who also plans to step down on March 31st, 2017, has certainly proved to be a significant asset to the operation of the Museum as well.

The Board wishes to thank the Winnipeg Police Service Executive for their co-operation and assistance during the year, as well as our two major funding organizations – the Winnipeg Police Association and the Winnipeg Police Credit Union, along with other individuals and organizations who contribute to the museum's success. Their efforts are very much appreciated.

SIGNIFICANT EVENTS

February 3 – CTV’s Morning Show filmed from the Museum with brief interviews of John Burchill, Randy James, and Jack Templeman while Sergeant Lisa Mandziak and retired Patrol Sergeant Brenda Fogg spoke on the 100th Anniversary of Women in Policing in Winnipeg.

May 28 and 29 – the Museum took part in Open Doors Winnipeg with 464 visitors on 28th and 538 visitors on 29th for a total of 1002 visitors. In addition to the Curator and Assistant Curator, four Board members and three other volunteers helped out.

June 16 – The “Gala Event” evening for opening of Museum by Chief of Police Devon Clunis took place with approximately 70 people in attendance.

June 28 to 30 – Curator Templeman and Assistant Curator Honey attended the International Conference of Police Museums in Saskatoon, Saskatchewan. They also gave a power point presentation on our new Museum.

July 20 – the first day for the Public to tour the Museum with volunteers on hand to assist.

August 31 – following a regular meeting of the Board, a plaque and portrait were presented to President Scarr for his 30 years of dedicated service to the Winnipeg Police Museum dating back to its incorporation in 1986. The Scarr family was invited and was on hand for the presentation.



September 25 – the Museum and Board members supplied the display and were on hand for the Annual Police and Peace Officer Memorial Service at the Legislative Building.

October 24 to 26 – Pauline Pfaff, great grand-daughter of Mary Dunn, the Department’s first female police constable, visited Winnipeg from North Carolina, USA. She was introduced to the Police Executive and visited the Museum several times. She took part in 100th Anniversary celebrations of Women in Policing in Winnipeg at the Museum of Human Rights. She was hosted by Directors James and Skrabek who took her to many locations related to her family. Ms. Pfaff expressed her thanks to all of those involved in the Museum. A special thanks is due to the Winnipeg Police Association for their support in these activities.



November 12 – the Museum and members of the Board took part in the Annual Santa Claus Parade. The 1978 and 1987 cruiser cars were out, along with members walking in old uniforms, including buffalo coats, leather coats and freize coats. The weather was excellent and there was a great turnout and response from the public.

December 21 – Callbox #616, refurbished by Derk Derin, was delivered to the office of The Chief of Police on the 5th floor for display.

SIGNIFICANT MUSEUM ACTIVITIES

JANUARY TO JUNE 2016

January 20

The Annual General Meeting was held in the Headquarters Building.



Tammy Skrabek (right) became the first elected female Board member.

February 3

Inspectors from the Canadian Firearms Agency inspected the Museum and storage room.



CTV's Morning Show filmed from the Museum.



January 13



February 23



March 16

JANUARY

FEBRUARY

MARCH

January 23

The final small loads of artifacts were moved out of the old Academy.



March 17

The Curator gave a lecture on Winnipeg Police history to Recruit Class #159 Lateral.

Throughout the year informal tours continued to take place whenever members were working in the Museum.





DOORS OPEN WINNIPEG PORTES OUVERTES



May 6
The 1978 and 1987 cruiser cars and the Bomb Truck were displayed at the Awards Day Service.

May 28 and 29
The Museum took part in Open Doors Winnipeg with a total of 1002 visitors.

June 28 to 30
Curator Templeman and Assistant Curator Honey attended the International Conference of Police Museums in Saskatoon, Saskatchewan.



April 13



May 18



June 14

APRIL



April 27
The Curator gave a history lecture to Cadet Recruit Class #7.

April 29
The 1978 cruiser car was taken and parked at the Winnipeg Police Association Charity Ball at the Polo Park Inn.



April 30
WPS Charity Ball

MAY



May 19
School Draw

JUNE



June 9
The Curator and Director James gave a public lecture on the history of the Winnipeg Police at the Centennial Library. Approximately 20 people attended.



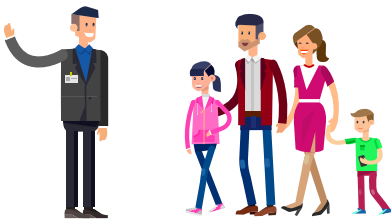
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June 21
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SIGNIFICANT MUSEUM ACTIVITIES

JULY TO DECEMBER 2016



July 20

The first day for the Public to tour the Museum with volunteers on hand to assist.



August 22

A tour was given for the Executive and Delegates for the World Police and Fires Games visiting from California.



July 26



August 31

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A plaque and portrait were presented to President Scarr for his 30 years of dedicated service to the Winnipeg Police Museum.



September 11

The 1978 cruiser car taken out for the Safe Driving Night Parade with Deputy Chief Art Stannard.

September 14

The 1978 and 1987 cruiser cars were taken to Rossmere Country Club for the Police Charity Golf Tournament.



JULY

AUGUST

SEPTEMBER

September 25

The Museum and Board members supplied the display for the Annual Police and Peace Officer Memorial Service at the Legislative Building.





October 24 to 26

Pauline Pfaff, great grand-daughter of Mary Dunn, the Department's first female police constable, visited Winnipeg from North Carolina, USA.

October 25

2016 marked the 100th Anniversary of women officers in the Winnipeg Police, and several activities were planned throughout the year, including a Wine and Cheese event at the Canadian Museum for Human Rights.

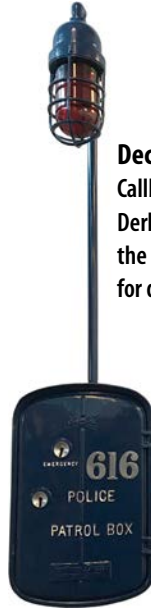
December 24

Water was discovered leaking from the ceiling into the vehicle bay in the Museum. Water was coming from a pipe the Java Jungle restaurant. Building maintenance removed 9 wet tiles while caretakers mopped up. Police Cadets moved a motorcycle and other articles. No actual damage found.



December 21

Callbox #616, refurbished by Derk Derin, was delivered to the office of the Chief of Police for display.



Randy James was confirmed as interim Curator for a one year term effective April 1st, 2017.

The Curator and Assistant Curator both indicated they would be stepping down on March 31st, 2017.



October 9



November 15



December 13

OCTOBER

NOVEMBER

DECEMBER



December 14

Director James presented a lecture on policing history in Winnipeg and provided a tour of the Museum to Cadet Recruit Class #12.

November 12

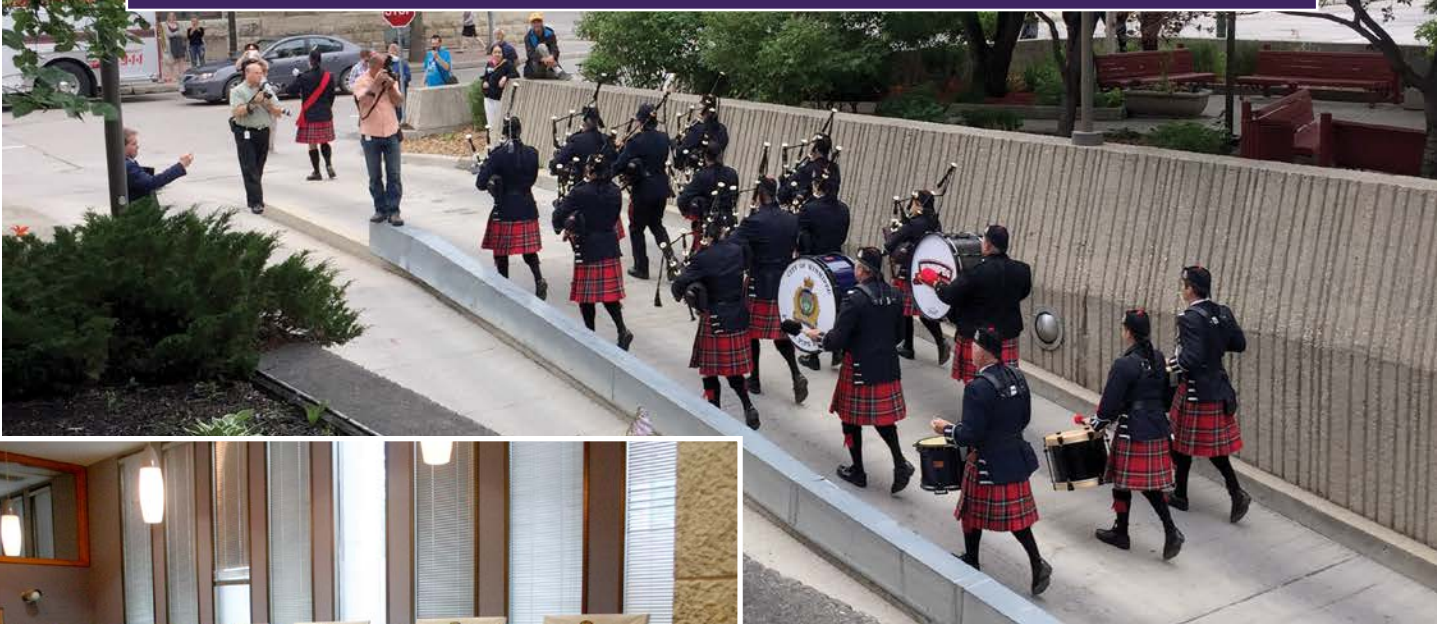
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CLOSING OF THE PSB



Three ex-chiefs joined Chief Clunis to officially close the Public Safety Building on July 5, 2016. The flag was lowered and a ceremony included a pipe band and historic vehicles.



The Winnipeg Police Museum

Gala Opening

The Police Museum was officially opened on June 16, 2016.



The Board of Directors hosted an opening gala attended by the WPS Executive, Dignitaries, Board Members, staff, volunteers, and family members.



THE WINNIPEG POLICE MUSEUM





*Now open for our
30th anniversary*

4000 SQUARE FEET • CUSTOM DISPLAY CASES • CUSTOM LIGHTING





First Female Winnipeg Police Officer **Mary Ellen Dunn**

On the 22nd of December 1916, the Winnipeg Police Commission met and “female police officers were discussed” and it was “resolved that two women would be appointed”.

Mary E. Dunn, (Widow) 43 yrs, was appointed on December 27th, 1916, at a salary of \$75.00 per month. She was listed on her equipment records as being 5’7”, 175 lbs. She was issued keys to the Fire Alarm Boxes, Call Boxes, office door, and whistle #26. She was also issued a copy of the Rules and Regulations, and a copy of the Juvenile Act and issued Badge # 368. Duties were to care for ‘Wayward Children and Women in Distress’

Mary was born in the Ottawa area, and had met and married her husband William Henry Dunn, who was a builder. Upon settling in Winnipeg, they resided at 759 Broadway at Maryland St, with their 12 children. Mr. Dunn developed pneumonia, and died in August of 1913. She raised her children, and 3 years later joined the Winnipeg Police Force at age 43.

Mary Dunn resigned from the Police April 15th, 1920, and married Joseph Guertin on April 19th, 1920. There is speculation that she may have been encouraged to leave the Force, as she would no longer be single.



**Mary Dunn
(nee Halpin),
of 759 Broadway.
29 June 1873 to
29 January 1928**

Joseph Guertin was a special agent for the Canadian National Railway, and was killed in an accident in the line of duty November 12th, 1921 near Fort William (Dona) Ontario. Mary died January 29th, 1928.

The early years

Mary Ellen Halpin was born 29th June 1873 to M. Halpin & Margaret Mann. She was baptized in Ottawa Ontario. She met her husband William Henry Dunn, born in Ottawa on 18th October 1869.

They were married 1894 in Ottawa. He had two brothers, George A. Dunn and Frederick Dunn, both of whom worked for the Government Bureau, Ottawa.

William was a builder of houses, and the family went west, first to Oxbow, SK, before coming to Winnipeg. In Winnipeg, Mr. Dunn began building houses under the employ of Dunn & Wallace contractors, 254 Kingsway Av. They raised their children in a house at 759 Broadway, at Maryland St. This site is currently a paved school yard for Gordon Bell High School.

William was reportedly working on the Cornish Library, when he fell into the Assiniboine River. He developed pneumonia and died 19th August 1913. His eldest was Mary Kathleen (19yrs) and his youngest was 19 months. Mary continued to raise the children on her own.



**Back Row (left to right):
Mary Kathleen, Ethel, Beatrice, Louise**

**Middle row:
Wilfred, Gerald, Edward, Norman, Vera**

**Front Row:
Mary Dunn, with Shirley and Bill on lap,
William Dunn, with Rita on lap**

The police years

Mary was a widow during her career with the Winnipeg Police Force. She wore plain clothes, and did not leave the station, unless accompanied by a male constable.

In reviewing arrest books and other files, there is little known about her work, other than leading up to the 1919 General Strike.

All members were asked to resign from the Union, and to sign an Oath of Loyalty. In all, 228 members were dismissed from the Force and only 23 remained. Records show that Mary Dunn was one of those that signed.

In the entry in the books of the Winnipeg Police Commission, it shows that a replacement was hired (Clare Donaldson), prior to Mary Dunn resigning. It is believed that if someone could support her, she did not require the job. With her declaration of impending nuptials, she may have been asked to resign.

The later years

Joseph Guertin is listed in 1917 as residing at 314 Broadway.

Mary Dunn married Joseph Guertin on April 19th, 1920, at St. Mary's Cathedral. He was listed as a Special Agent for the Canadian National Railway, having served time in Canadian Pacific Railway, and Provincial Police. They continued to reside at 759 Broadway.

Mary's eldest daughter, Mary Kathleen, born 1893, had met a young man, William Leo Sullivan of 313 Burnell St (the site is currently a vacant lot). They were married at St. Mary's Cathedral on May 16th, 1917. The union produced two children:

Margaret Noreen Armstrong (nee Sullivan), born April 12th, 1918, died March 2nd, 2000.

Mary Louise MacElaney (nee Sullivan), died April 12th, 1992, in Washington DC.

Gentlemen,

I have the honor to inform you that in accordance with your instructions all members who had not signed the agreement referred to in General order 1177 have been discharged from duty, with the exception of the several mentioned hereafter who have not been interrogated up to the present for the reasons given.

I beg to enumerate as follows the standing of the total employees of the Department :-

Signed agreement in first instance.

C H Newton, Deputy Chief
 E Stodgell, Chief of Detectives.
 W Eddie, Warrant Officer.
 G F Richards, Clerk of Court and Sec. of Board.
 E A Andrews, Asst. to Clerk of Court.
 P C Lyon, Clerk.
 P Stark, H Green, John Street, Geo Smith, Inspectors.
 H Mc Laehlan, Jack Bishop, F F Batho, R R Mc Donald, Sergeants.
 C Boxhall, D Mc Kenzie, Station Sergeants.
 B Stewart, J Beel, Detectives.
 A C Mills, Constable.
 J I Andrews, Police woman. Mary Dunn, Policewoman.
 J Kwiatkowski, Interpreter.
 23 in all.

Not yet interrogated, as to re-joining, but have not signed.
 Detective C Mc Kenzie - sick - Mrs Gear (matron) - quarantined -
 Constable A Mc Lyst, - quarantined - Constable T Gregory - sick -
 Constable S A Findlay - sick - Mrs Wight and Mrs Mc Keown,
 Constables W Hames and C Truitt
 9 in all.

Appointment.

Clara M C Donaldson, Police woman. 12 April 1920
 -to be paid at rate of prob'ly constable-

Resignations.

Const. P M Matheson ; resigned own accord ; 15 April 1920
 (app. May 8 1914)

Police woman Mary E Dunn ; resigned own accord ; 15 Apl "
 (app. 27 Dec 1916)

Fine.

Joseph Guertin was killed in a rail accident in the line of duty near Dona, Ontario, about 27 miles east of what is now Thunder Bay, Ontario.

Mary's eldest, Mary Kathleen died March 4th, 1922.

Mary Ellen Dunn was again a widow, and now also caring for her two surviving grandchildren.

Mary Ellen Guertin continued with her family, leaning heavily on the church and preparing hers and other children for the church. She died January 29th, 1928 at the Misericordia Hospital, at age 54, leaving 11 children.

She was laid to rest on Wednesday, February 1st, 1929, at St. Mary's Cemetery 520 Osborne.

JOSEPH GUERTIN KILLED
C.N.R. Special Agent Run Down
Near Fort William
 Joseph Guertin, 759 Broadway, special agent of the Canadian National railways, was fatally injured late Saturday afternoon, at Dona, Ont., about 27 miles from Fort William, Ont. Mr. Guertin went to Port Arthur to investigate a wreck near Dona, and had occasion to use a hand speeder, when he was struck head on by a train at a curve while travelling west of Fort William. Mr. Guertin was removed to McKellar hospital at Fort William after the accident, but succumbed to his injuries about an hour after admission. His skull was fractured. He was about 56 years of age.
 The late Mr. Guertin has been with the Canadian National railways, in the special service department under J. M. Bannerman, for the past six years. Prior to this he was with the provincial police, while in the early days he was head of the Canadian Pacific railway police. He married Mrs. Mary E. Dunn, formerly a policewoman with the Winnipeg city police, about two years ago.
 The body will arrive in Winnipeg today, and funeral arrangements, in charge of Barker's undertakers, will be made later.

MRS. M. GUERTIN, PROMINENT CITY CATHOLIC, DIES
Took Leading Part in Woman's Work of St. Mary's Cathedral
 Mrs. Mary E. Guertin, widow of Joseph Guertin, and prominent in the women's work of St. Mary's cathedral, died Sunday evening in Misericordia hospital, following a short illness.
 Mrs. Guertin, who was 54 years of age, was born in Ottawa, Ont., and had lived in Winnipeg for 20 years. She was active in the work of the Christian Mothers' Confraternity, Catholic Women's league, Foster Home committee, and was a representative of the Providence Shelter for Children's Aid.
 She leaves six daughters—Mrs. E. Gander, Detroit, Mich.; Beatrice Dunn, Winnipeg; Mrs. James H. McGuire, Rochester, N.Y.; Sister Mary Joan, Montreal, Que.; Sister Shirley Dunn, Kingston, Ont.; and Margaret Helen Dunn, at home—and five sons—Gerald, Wilfred James, William Edmund, Norman and William, at home.
 The funeral will be held Wednesday morning at 8:30 o'clock from the family residence, 759 Broadway, to St. Mary's cathedral, where a requiem mass will be sung. Burial will take place in St. Mary's cemetery. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Barker's funeral home.



It is interesting to note that Mary Dunn is buried with her second husband, Joseph Guertin. Her first husband is directly to the north of her, and shares the plot with their oldest daughter, Mary Kathleen Sullivan.

Jane (Jenny) Isabel Andrews was appointed January 4th, 1917, at the age of 44 years. She was issued Badge # 367, although she was later issued Badge # 286. Jane was listed as 5'6½", 164 lbs, and resided at 8-752 McDermot Av. Born in Hantz County, NS, she would remain on the Force until pensioned on April 30th, 1938. She lived in apartments until 1924, when she is listed at 495 Rosedale Ave. The Henderson Directory does not list her in Winnipeg after retirement. Born November 8th, 1872, she died in 1952.

Clara M. C. Donaldson was hired April 12th, 1920, to replace Mary Dunn. Records indicate that she was a widow, having been married to William M., and residing at 30 Cathedral Av. Her occupation was listed as nurse. In 1924 she was residing at 1 - 577 Sherbrook, until 1931 when she moved to 25 - 828 Preston Av, and then in 1935 she moved to 10 - 45 Carlton. She retired on July 1st, 1941, and remained on Carlton until 1945.

2016 Marks 100 YEARS OF WOMEN IN POLICING FOR THE WPS!



Pauline Armstrong Pfaff, shown with a photo of Mary Dunn, Chief Danny Smyth, and Cst. Tammy Skrabek.

The story of Mary DUNN was told during an interview about the Museum that was posted on YouTube. This was seen by Mary Dunn's Great-Granddaughter Pauline Pfaff of North Carolina, who telephoned the museum and spoke with Director Randy James on October 18th. When she learned of the events planned for honoring Women in Policing at the Museum for Human Rights the following week, Pauline immediately planned a trip to Winnipeg.

Pauline arrived on Monday October 24th, and was met at the airport by Museum representatives Randy James and his wife Donna. After checking in at the hotel, Pauline was taken to St. Mary's Cemetery to view the Graves of her grandmother, and great-grandmother. Then it was off to headquarters where Pauline met with the WPS Executive. During a tour of the museum afterwards, Pauline donated a broach made by Mary Dunn's teenage son, Edmund, who was the founder of Dunn Jewelers. The day was completed with a dinner at the Keg, accompanied by Tammy Skrabek and Randy James.

The next day, Museum Directors facilitated a shopping trip in the morning, and the afternoon was spent visiting different sites mentioned in the history of the family. Later that evening it was on to the festivities at the Human Rights Museum. During the speeches, a synopsis of Women in Policing was presented by Randy James who introduced Pauline as the Great-Granddaughter of Mary Dunn. Pauline acknowledged not knowing her great-grandmother, but instead spoke of the strength that Mary Dunn possessed. Pauline was well received by all that were present.

Wednesday began with research at St Mary's Cathedral where actual marriage records were uncovered. Then back to the museum for some more research of the Dunn family. The trip ended with a farewell dinner with Museum personnel and promises to stay in touch. The plane left early the next morning, but the communication has lasted on...



Motorcycles Loaned to the Museum



As the museum was slowly taking shape, during the spring of 2016 we had a visit from the Ross Metcalfe - President of the Antique Motorcycle Association of Manitoba.

Ross was a retired teacher, and an avid motorcycle enthusiast. Through conversation with him, Ross revealed that he owned a restored 1913 "Indian" motorcycle, almost identical to the ones Winnipeg Police purchased in 1910 for their new 'Motor Brigade'.

He went on to say that David Gray, the owner of Harley Davidson Winnipeg, also happened to own a restored 1927

Henderson motorcycle, that was very similar to the ones Winnipeg Police purchased in 1923 to replace the "Indians".

With the aid of a retired employee of Harley Davidson Winnipeg - Al Donahue, a deal was quickly struck to "borrow" the two bikes for the opening week of the museum. Upon seeing the museum, both owners agreed to loan their bikes even longer for display, and they were still present at this year's end.

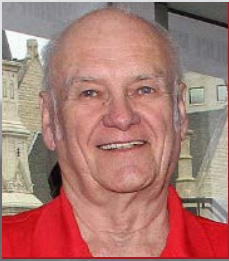
It remains to be seen how long they can stay, but if they were to leave today, we could never repay the kindness of Ross Metcalfe and David Gray for the loan of their impressive motorcycles.



↑ 1913 INDIAN SINGLE

- 500 c.c., Single Speed
- Made in Springfield, Mass.
- This famous red Indian was built during the Golden Age of Motorcycling
- Over 30,000 units were produced, however only 10% were single cylinder models.





POLICE CAREER OF MUSEUM CURATOR

Staff Sergeant John (Jack) Templeman



Jack Templeman began his Policing career in 1955 when he commenced employment with the Canadian Pacific Railroad (CPR) Police. In 1958, he joined the St. Boniface Police Force and worked out of their offices located in the basement of the town Hall building at 219 Provencher. With this agency he was later promoted to the rank of Patrol Sergeant. The amalgamation of all suburban departments occurred in 1974, and during this time Templeman transferred over to officially become a member of the Winnipeg Police Department.

Templeman always had an interest in Police history, and during Amalgamation in 1974 he was appointed to a Historical Committee along with Cst. Bernie Hutchison. Both were tasked with the responsibility of preserving artifacts for a future museum that would be created one day. Hutchison eventually retired and Templeman carried on to later be involved with the formation of the Winnipeg Police Museum and Historical Society that was incorporated in 1986. He was also promoted to Sergeant, and then Staff Sergeant.

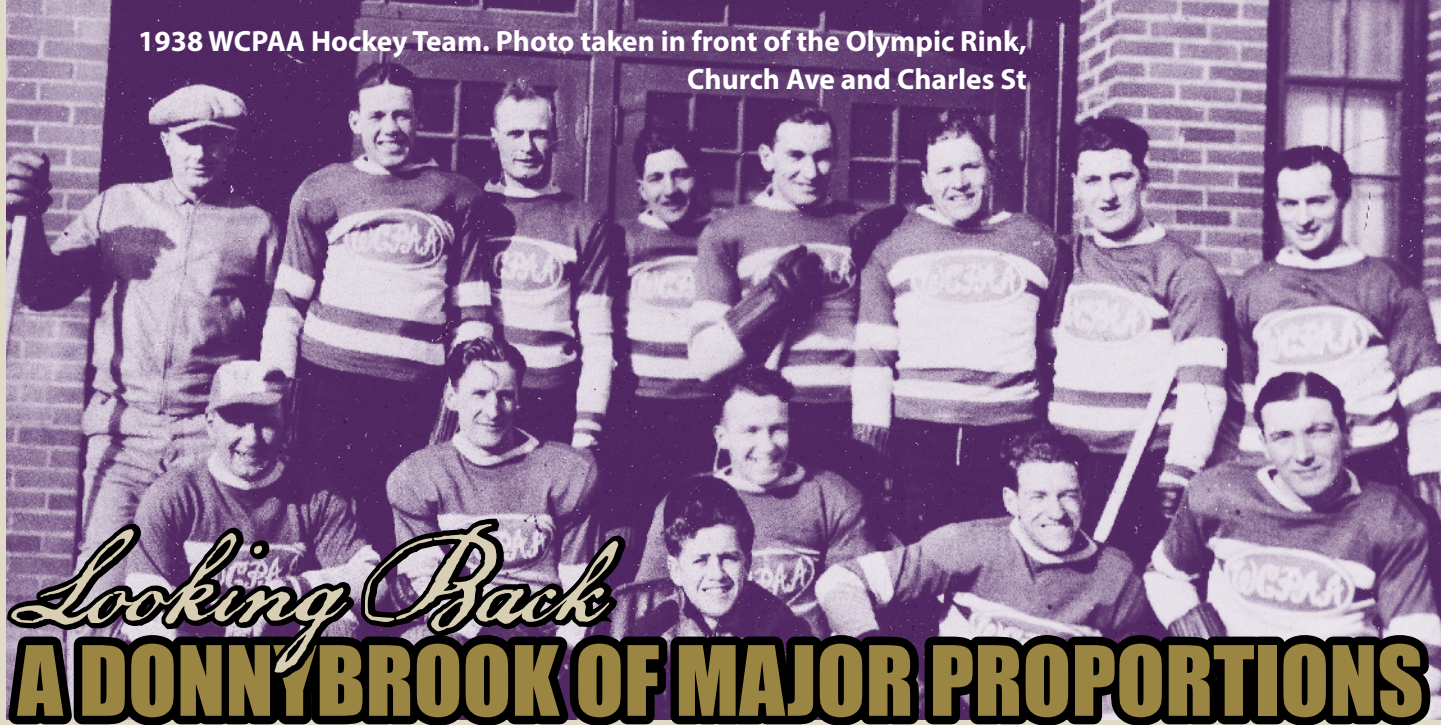
Initially, Templeman was allowed to set up a small one room Museum in the training academy when it was located in the Van Belleghen School at 10 Vermillion Road. When the academy moved to Allard School at 130 Allard Avenue, S/Sgt. Templeman set up a much larger museum and performed the role of Curator.

In January of 1994, S/Sgt. Templeman retired having completed 38 years of service over the course of employment with three agencies. He commenced duties as a Museum Curator and Historian on a part-time basis which allowed him to conduct research on local Police history. This led him to write a number of articles, and in 1999 he published a history book *From Force to Service* which celebrated the 125th Anniversary of the Winnipeg Police Service.

Jack continued to serve as Curator for many years, and was directly involved with the planning and building of the of the new Police Museum located in the Winnipeg Police Headquarters Building at 245 Smith Street. This modern 4,000 square foot facility was much larger than anything seen in the past and officially opened to the public in July 2016.

Jack plans to retire as Curator in 2017, but will continue on as the Police Museum Historian.

1938 WCPAA Hockey Team. Photo taken in front of the Olympic Rink,
Church Ave and Charles St



Back Row: Art Sutherland, Norm Stewart, Walter Hansen, Earl Sutton,
Dave Morris, Art Hammill, Bob Coulter, Al Swanson.

Front Row: Ken Mills, Harry Vanderveken, Bobby Mills (Mascot),
Al McInnes, George Green, Lou Sauve

Looking Back A DONNYBROOK OF MAJOR PROPORTIONS

WCPAA hockey team competes in the 1938 Manitoba Intermediate Hockey Championships

Starting in the 1920s the Winnipeg City Police Athletic Association (WCPAA), founded in September 1919, became one of the province's most frequent sponsors of high profile amateur sporting events, particularly boxing and wrestling. As an organization, active involvement in sports made sense for WCPAA membership as it promoted job related skills as well as fundraising opportunities for the association.

In the late 1930's and early 40's the WCPAA supported a senior men's intermediate hockey team. In March 1938 the WCPAA team came its closest to winning a provincial championship when it knocked out Sturgeon Creek, Petersfield, Transcona and Teulon in the playoffs, before taking on the Treherne Indians in a best of two, total goals, finals.

The first game was taken 3-1 by Treherne on March 26 in front of 1100 Treherne fans. The series returned to Winnipeg for the final game on March 28 at the Olympic rink, located at the corner of Church Avenue and Charles Street (where the Olympic Towers apartment block now stands), about 8-blocks from the then North End (E-Division) station at Charles and Magna.

The Treherne Indians were the favorites to win, having previously won the championships in 1935 and 1936. In addition the 1938 squad boasted Thomas "Smokey" Harris as a player coach. Harris had previously played professional hockey and was in three Stanley Cup finals with Portland and Vancouver between 1916 and 1923 and is remembered for scoring the first goal in Boston Bruins' franchise history in 1924.

Treherne took an early lead 3-1 in the final game before "a donnybrook of major proportions" broke out in the second period. "With team against team, player against player, and assault the order of the hour ... fans hoped over the boards, rinks attendants jumped into the thick of things ... and finally uniformed police arrived to sort out the belligerents" reported a youthful Winnipeg Free Press reporter (and future Hockey Night in Canada commentator) Scott Young. Treherne went on to win the game 7-2 and the series 2-0.



As befitting their performance, at a WCPAA sponsored dinner at the conclusion of the

Manitoba Amateur Boxing Championships, the hockey team was presented with silver cigarette cases for their efforts by W.P. Fillmore, President of the Manitoba Boxing and Wrestling Commissions, on April 5, 1938.

The WCPAA intermediate hockey team never placed as well again, the war effort and injuries eventually taking their toll on its members. Constable Norm Stewart (later Chief of Police) was shot and wounded in a gun battle that killed Constable McDonald on February 4, 1940; defenceman Constable Arthur Hammill was killed in action on June 17, 1942 with the Royal Canadian Air Force; and defenceman Constable Walter Hansen suffered serious head injuries in 1944 after being side-swiped against a telephone pole while on duty by a stolen vehicle.

John Burchill
Winnipeg Police Museum & Historical Society

Stories, Memorabilia or Pictures

If anyone has interesting stories, memorabilia or pictures of our members (past or present) participating in sporting events they would like to share please send them to John Burchill or the Museum Curator. Also consider supporting the Winnipeg Police Museum and Historical Society, a registered charity, through payroll or pension deduction so our stories can be preserved for future generations. The pledge forms are available through the WPA, your WPS Charitable Fund Representatives, or the Civic Employee Benefits program.

Supporting your Museum

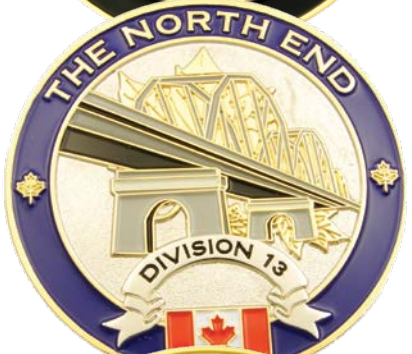
ARTIFACTS - The Winnipeg Police Museum and Historical Society is successful in part thanks to the generosity of former members and their families who donate artifacts and photos. We gratefully accept these items and incorporate them into our archives and exhibits. Please keep the Museum in mind if you have old photographs, digital images, or other articles of Police memorabilia.

TIME - The Museum is regularly looking for volunteers to assist with projects and tours. Please contact the Curator if you would like to become involved.

CHARITABLE DONATIONS - The Museum is a registered Charity and can receive donations. Tax receipts are made available upon request.

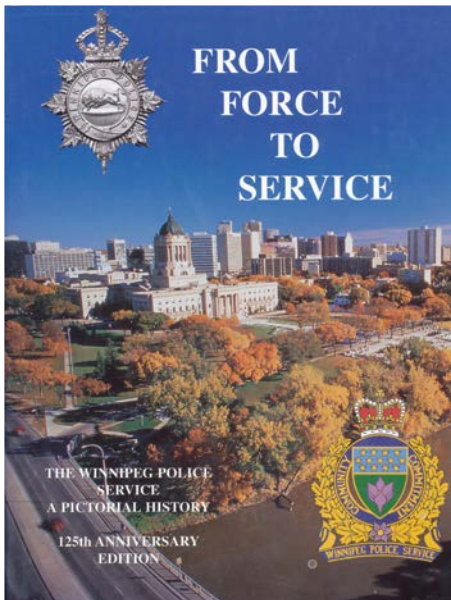
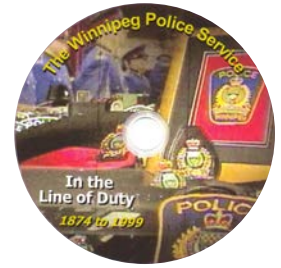
PAYROLL DEDUCTION - The Museum can be supported through Payroll Deduction overseen by the City of Winnipeg for employees, or the Pension Board for Retirees. The pledge form on the next page can be used for donating to the Museum and even \$1.00 can make a huge difference!

PROMOTIONAL ITEMS - A number of promotional items are offered for sale including the items on these pages.





Winnipeg Police Officers Jane Andrews and Clara Donaldson along with other Matrons, circa 1920.



From Force to Service

A Pictorial History of the Winnipeg Police Department

125th Anniversary Edition (1874 - 1999)

Jack Templeman

Hardcover with dust jacket, published by Bunker to Bunker Books, 119 pages

The Winnipeg Police Force was established early in the history of Winnipeg.

As the city grew, so did the force.

This book presents the history of the force, which today serves a population of about 675,000. Numerous photographs support a very interesting text. Contact the Museum if you'd like to buy a copy.



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Date

CANCELLATION REQUEST

I respectfully request that my charitable donation(s) that are currently being deducted from my pay cheque on a bi-weekly basis be cancelled immediately.

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Date

****** Return your SIGNED & DATED form to your WPS Representatives ******

P/Sgt. Nicole Sabourin-Friesen #1797 nsabourin-friesen@winnipeg.ca
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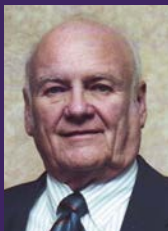
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Stan is one of the principal founders of the Winnipeg Police Museum, and has been president since the Museum's inception in 1986.



**Jack Templeman
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Cst. Susan Litz, Cst Susan Irvine and Cst. Helen Woodward wearing female uniforms in 1974.



Thank You

The Board again wishes to express our sincere gratitude and appreciation for the strong and continual support of the Winnipeg Police Service Executive for their co-operation and assistance during the year, as well as our other two major funding organizations – The Winnipeg Police Association and the Winnipeg Police Credit Union.

Early Suburban Policing



The B Division Police Station was located at Jessie/Nassau and built in 1911.



Cst. J. Taylor sitting on an Indian Motorcycle outside the B Division Station, circa 1911-1913

WORKING OUT OF B DIVISION...



Cst. D. Prefontaine, first female Tactical Flight Officer (2012)



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