



ROYAL CANADIAN LEGION

FAIRVIEW BRANCH 178

1962

FROM THE DESK OF:

2675 Oak Street
Vancouver 9, British Columbia

Once again the time for our annual Poppy Day Tea is rapidly approaching.

During the past several years this annual event has become an outstanding function in our community, thanks to the loyal and generous support of our very many friends. Perhaps of far more importance than the social aspect, is the fact that through this generous support of our friends we have been able to carry on a really worthwhile work among our needy Veterans. You will readily agree that this work simply must continue - BUT - it can only be carried on by your continued support.

The Community Poppy Day Tea will be held this year on Sunday, November 5th, at the Jewish Home for the Aged, and is under the auspices of the Fairview Branch of the Royal Canadian Legion. We take a great deal of pride in the fact that the Lieutenant Governor of British Columbia, the Honourable George R. Pearkes, V.C., and Mrs. Pearkes, have graciously consented to be our Patrons.

Obviously our Poppy Day Tea cannot be a success without your continued support. Accordingly within the next few days one of our members will contact you by telephone to solicit your cooperation by becoming a Host or Hostess. In the past we have indicated that we would appreciate a donation of Five Dollars for the Host and Hostess, and have decided to keep to this modest figure.

To save time and effort you may telephone any of the numbers listed hereunder to indicate your willingness to act.

REgent 1-2424 REgent 6-0468 REgent 6-5380 AMherst 6-4710

Kindly accept our sincere thanks for your anticipated support.

A. A. Deyong
President

SERVICE — SACRIFICE

VANCOUVER POPPY FUND COMMITTEE

Incorporated Under the Societies' Act of British Columbia
UNDER DISTINGUISHED PATRONAGE
Her Majesty The Queen

Telephone: TR. 6-6010

337 West Broadway,
Vancouver 10, B.C.

19 January 1961

W. Levine, Esq.,
Canadian Legion, Branch #178,
731 West 16th Avenue,
VANCOUVER 9, B.C.

Dear Mr. Levine:

Please find enclosed receipts for the
two cheques received by our Campaign Committee.

On behalf of the Board of Directors,
we wish to express our heartfelt thanks for the "Tea"
which your Branch had, the proceeds of which was sent
to us.

The Campaign Receipts this year were
down; so we gratefully appreciate the effort and work
your Committee went to in having the "Tea" for our
Campaign, which is to the memory of those who have
served their country, and fallen in battle.

Thanking you once again,

Yours very truly,

Irene M. Gamson
Irene M. Gamson,
for
T.H. Fraser,
ADMINISTRATOR

Lieutenant Governor of British Columbia
Right Honourable George R. Pearkes, V.C.
Dr. W. S. Stansbury, M.B.E., M.D.
National Commissioner Red Cross Society

OFFICE OF THE
LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR'S SECRETARY



The 4th of October, 1961.

AT GOVERNMENT HOUSE.

VICTORIA, B.C.

Dear Sir,

September, 1961. I am acknowledging your letter of 29th

The Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. Pearkes
are pleased to grant patronage to your Annual Poppy Day Tea
to be held on Sunday, November 5th, 1961 at the Jewish Home for
the Aged of B.C.

For your records -

Major-General the Honourable George R. Pearkes, V.C., P.C.,
C.B., D.S.O., M.C.

Yours very truly,

Union
C. G. Dixon,
Secretary.

C. L. Gorvich, Esq.,
Chairman, Poppy Day Tea,
Fairview Branch #178,
Royal Canadian Legion,
2675 Oak Street,
Vancouver 9, B.C.

His Excellency The Governor General of Canada
Right Honourable Maj. General George P. Vanier,
C.B.E., D.S.O., M.C., M.B.E., C.D.
The Right Honourable John Diefenbaker, P.C.
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Minister of Veterans Affairs



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Remember the Dead by Helping the Living