



Members celebrating with Jack on his appointment as Honorary Life President

Our end of the year meeting was held on Friday November 10th. We had a good turnout of over twenty members. During the meeting Jim Henderson presented Jack Harper with a framed certificate in recognition of his having been appointed an Honorary Life President of the Society in celebration of his may years dedicated service.

It as always a tragedy when someone dies. This year we have been saddened by the deaths of two of our members. Roy Laurie who was Colonial Standard-Bearer in 1978 and Nancy Harper who served the Society for many years quietly but effectively in assisting Jack

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Lindsay Cockburn gave a talk on websites and it was generally agreed that the Society should set up a dedicated site provided enough Overseas members have computer access. The site could be updated at regular intervals with news, pictures, etc. from all members and would enable easy communication between us. However, Gerald MUST know everyone's e-mail address as well as names and mailing addresses SOON!

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Greetings from Selkirk!

Selkirk Colonial Society takes this opportunity to offer every good wish for a merry and memorable Christmas and a happy and prosperous New Year in 2007 to All Exiles everywhere.



Standard-Bearer 2006 Gerald Beggs, Canada, and Lady-Busser Heather Henderson. Gerald is the first Colonial Standard-Bearer to Cast our Colours on two separate occasions.



Casting the Colours 2006.

Once again Souters came from afar to celebrate the Common Riding. Emotions ran high at the Bus-sin' Concert as Gerald Beggs was installed as Standard Bearer and Heather busssed our flag with grace and dignity as returning exiles looked on with pride (see photo inside). Royal Burgh Scott Her-miston received a medallion from Alan and Beverley Elliot on behalf of the Edinburgh and Lothian Souters Association. A large audience was entertained by Selkirk High School Band and singers Fay