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BATTALION NEWSLETTER & Orderly Room Gossip December 2010

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LEST WE FORGET

To the families of our "Fallen Comrade" we extend our sincere sympathies and assure them that we are gathered together.

WE WILL REMEMBER THEM

PRESIDENT'S REPORT:

Hi, firstly I would like to thank all who turned up for Anzac Day 2010, though our numbers were small (we are a dying breed) we had a good day. Unfortunately, we were unable to conduct any business due to the amount of noise (from other parties), so it was decided to hold any business over to our December Parade which will be held on Friday 10th December.

Owing to the sudden and untimely passing of our president Trevor Harper, I took over that position. I doubt that anybody could replace such a tireless worker for our association as Trevor who did more than anyone over the past 20 years or so. Trevor cannot be replaced so we will just do our best. There will be a general election at our December meeting so I would urge all those who are able to be present.

Hoping to see you all then,

Yours Sincerely,
Charles Jennings.

President

SECRETARY'S REPORT:

Cenotaph Parade

11 AM on 10th Dec ember. The committee agreed to a two-course lunch following the Cenotaph Parade at the NSW Leagues club 165 Phillip St. The cost will be \$20.00 per person. Please complete the form included with this newsletter so that catering can be arranged.

This luncheon will be better than Anzac Day as we will have the room to ourselves and I hope you all can make it.

I would like to thank Beverley Dawson for producing another informative and well researched Orderly Room Gossip.

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Clyde Parsons

Hon. Secretary