

FOOTSTEPS IN THE SAND OF TIME



In the beginning there were 46 men with a vision, and the courage to back their vision with their money. These were the people who, on August 30th, 1965, signed for the original \$45,000.00 needed to put together the concrete and steel, and the bricks, the mortar, the wood, and all the fittings required to transform the

vision they held into something of beautiful reality. So it was that Metro-politan Branch 594 of the Royal Canadian Legion gained its new building. To the everlasting credit of these visionary and enterprising veterans whose hearts and spirit ensured that the Branch would prosper, should go the tribute and the thanks of all who came after. They are the founding fathers. Under their guidance the Branch grew to the point that an addition was thought necessary. And so eight years later the cornerstone for a grand new addition was laid. The expanded facility as we know it today was under way. Reproduced here are the names and signatures of the 46 Obligors. I am sure the inclusion of this historical item will prove to be of interest to all of our old members as well as the young.

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Not where we stand,
But in what direction we are moving.

I W. von Goethe