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Trooper Potts in
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The Trooper Potts VC Memorial Site



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Arrangements complete for Presentation

The arrangements are complete for the presentation of an address of congratulations by the Corporation next Monday evening to Trooper F W O Potts VC. The interesting ceremony will take place in the Council Chamber. At 7.15 the members of the Corporation will robe in the Committee room and proceed to the Council Chamber where Alderman Martin will submit the address and move that the Common Seal be affixed thereto and the resolution will be seconded by Councillor Major Dr Abram. Trooper Potts VC will then be conducted to the Council Chamber by Lieut-Colonel Harold Henderson MP of the Berkshire Yeomanry and Captain M L Porter of the Kings Royal Rifle Corps, secretary of the Territorial Force Association for the county. The Town Clerk will read the address which the Mayor will present (in a casket) and Trooper Potts will reply. We understand that Mrs Potts and her children will be present and that Mr J Herbert Benyon (Lord Lieutenant and President of the Territorial Force Association) will speak. A concert in Trooper Potts honour will be held at eight o'clock at which a splendid programme will be gone through. Full particulars are advertised.