REMEMBRANCE DAY

AT 11 o'clock on the morning of November 11th, 1918, the armistice ending the First World War was signed. In that war, 60,000 of Canada's youth fell mainly on the battlefields of France and Flanders.

Since that time it has been the yearly custom of all Canadians to pay tribute to the valiant sacrifice of their fellow countrymen.

All through the Second World War, Remembrance Day Services were held on November 11th. And when the war was concluded, the memory of 42,000 more gallant Cana-
dians was saluted on this hallowed occasion. Thus, November 11th has become the official Day of Remembrance dedicated to the memory of more than 100,000 Canadian sailors, soldiers and airmen who, in South Africa, the First and Second World Wars and, more latterly, in Korea, gave their lives that we might live freely and in peace.

The simple dignity of the Remembrance Service affords an opportunity for all grateful Canadians to call to mind not only the high courage and supreme sacrifice of The Fallen, but the precious cause for which they laid down their lives.

Remembrance Day scene at the National War Memorial in Ottawa. Wreaths are laid by the Governor General, the Prime Minister, the President of the Canadian Legion, a bereaved Canadian mother and many others.

Honouring Canada's sailors and soldiers buried at sea.

Sailors and airmen join in commemorative service on the high seas.

BCAF officers salute The Fallen in cemetery at Chouzy, France.

Stately Memorial Chapel in Peace Tower, Ottawa.

Unveiling ceremony by Canadian veterans honouring fallen comrades.

General Sir Arthur Currie taking salute at Mons, November 11, 1918.