

Editor's Notes

On December 31, 1990, Chief Superintendent John Robert Bentham retired after an illustrious career of 41 years and 4 months in the Royal Canadian Mounted Police. As the outgoing Managing Editor of the *RCMP Quarterly*, we (the *Quarterly* staff) wish C/Supt. Bentham all of our best for a long and happy retirement.

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We welcome aboard Chief Superintendent Jim Walker as our new Managing Editor and Director of Public Affairs.

From Peterborough, Ontario, C/Supt. Walker joined the Force on April 1, 1959. His service background is varied including federal work in Toronto and general detachment duties in New Brunswick, where he worked at various locations including Moncton, Petitcodiac, Chatham, Sussex, Bathurst and Tracadie. Posted to Ottawa in 1965, he served as a fingerprint technician and instructor for six years. In 1971, he was selected to attend Carleton University full-time on a Force-sponsored program and graduated in 1974, with an Honours degree in Journalism. During this period, he worked in Liaison Branch (now Public Affairs Directorate) and was permanently posted there upon graduation.

Commissioned as Inspector in 1976, he filled various officer in charge posts including: the Musical Ride, training at the Canadian Police College, ceremonies with Public Affairs Directorate, and head of the 59th General Assembly of Interpol in 1990. He was named Director of Public Affairs on January 7th of this year.



C/Supt. Walker has expressed a keen interest in *the Quarterly* and its service to subscribers. We look forward to working with him on our mutual endeavours.

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The *Quarterly* would also like to welcome aboard Inspector R.P.E.Y. (Yves) Juteau, Officer in Charge, Public Information. Juteau was born at St-Donat, Quebec, and joined the Force October 7, 1969, at Montréal. After completing his training at Depot Division, Regina, Saskatchewan, he was posted to "J" Division, New Brunswick, serving at Sussex and Fredericton. In 1972, Juteau was transferred to Security Service, "C" Division, Montréal, before returning to "J" Division in 1974, where he served at Fredericton and Shediac. Juteau transferred to "A" Division in 1984, serving in Training and Staffing and Personnel functions. Upon receiving his commission, Insp. Juteau was transferred to the Travel Officer's duties. Protective Services Branch. In 1990, he took on the responsibilities of Federal Coordinator of the Interpol 59th General Assembly Task Force immediately preceding his present appointment.

