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Changes

Among the recent transfers of officers to different commands within the Force, is one of more than passing interest to readers of *The Quarterly*—Inspr. R. W. Wonnacott formerly officer in charge of the Identification Branch to take command of Winnipeg Sub-Division.

For almost five years *The Quarterly* has been a section of the Identification Branch and during that time has been under the supervision of Inspector Wonnacott who filled the role of managing editor. The period has been one of progress and prosperity. Numerous flattering comments show that efforts to increase *The Quarterly's* interest to our readers have met with a measure of success; an even more tangible reflection of our advancement is the fact that our circulation has doubled itself. These developments reflect the sound administration of Inspector Wonnacott and the zeal with which he tackled this new field of endeavor was typical of his application to other responsibilities shouldered during his service in the RCMP. In his command at Winnipeg—another "new field" for him, incidentally—Inspector Wonnacott will face problems foreign to one who has been for so long a specialist in the field of identification. On behalf of the Editorial Committee *The Quarterly* takes this opportunity of wishing him well in his new sphere of operations and at the same time acknowledging his able services to this magazine.

At the time of going to press a managing editor to succeed Inspector Wonnacott had not been appointed. Certain it is however, that no effort will be spared by our new administration to provide *Quarterly* readers with a suitable coverage on pertinent happenings within the RCMP.