S/Sgt. A. H. Langille, London Section NCO who retired in December.

On November 19, members of the Sub-Division and their wives had the opportunity to bid farewell to Staff and Mrs. Langille at the RCR Sergeants' Mess, Wolseley Barracks, in London. At an informal dinner on November 25 many of Al's friends from the U.S. Border Agencies and from several points in Ontario joined members in wishing him happiness and success in his new career. On both occasions the Officer Commanding made suitable presentations and complimented Staff on his long and devoted service to the Force.

General On Oct. 22, 1958, construction was started on a standard detachment building at Chatham, Ont. The Officer Commanding London Sub-Division turned the first sod during the ceremony, which was attended by Magistrate I. K. Craig, Q.C., Kent County, Ont., Harold Danforth, Esq., M.P., Kent County, Inspr. H. Ramsbottom, Ontario Provincial Police and Chief Cst. C. E. Bagnall, Chatham. Moving day arrived late in January for the

members of Owen Sound Detachment, when they took possession of the new detachment quarters at Owen Sound. The personnel at Cobourg Detachment made a longer transfer when they moved into the newly constructed detachment quarters at Peterborough, Ont., at the end of January 1959.



Book Reviews

FROM ARREST TO RELEASE, by Marshall Houts. The Ryerson Press, Toronto, Canada and Charles C. Thomas, Springfield, Ill. Pp. 235. \$6.25.

The author makes an analysis of criminal justice in the United States. His personal background along with the various offices he has held obviously gives him the necessary authority to make such a study.

The book covers all aspects and processes of criminal justice. It traces the various steps from the initial arrest, with or without warrant, through post arrest procedures, Court appearances, and so forth, to the actual sentencing or release. The author points out the need for legal changes in some of the various steps to obtain its fullest potential.

The book is written for the non-lawyer reader, i.e. the peace officer, business man, civic leader. What is also of interest to law is the glossary of legal definitions in the back of the book, which is most interesting and should be helpful to anyone engaged in law enforcement.

Unfortunately this is another book that has made its appearance in Canada dealing with the administration of criminal justice in the United States, and has no real connection with Canada other than to serve as a useful reference to better understand the working of the law in the United States.

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CORAL ISLAND, Portrait of an Atoll. Marston Bates and Donald P. Abbott. Published in Canada by S. J. Reginald Saunders and Company Ltd., Toronto. Pp. 254. Illustrated. \$6.50.

To a group of seven scientists, in 1953, was given an opportunity rarely afforded—though often desired by—civilized men, a sojourn on a remote Pacific atoll, in this case, Ifaluk, in the Caroline Islands. Moreover, they went there under favorable auspices, for they were not among that "breed of men who don't fit in", beach-combers or escapists vainly seeking an earthly utopia, but were performing a study for the Pacific Science Board with a grant from the Office of Naval Research of the U.S.A. All expenses were paid for them.

One may deduce that, for their part, the Ifalukians were glad to have them. Their visitors were absorbed in everything that took place on the island, recognized and yielded to the authority of the chiefs, were