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TABLE F

CAPITAL CASES IN WHICH POLICEMEN WERE VICTIMS IN COURSE OF DUTY
JANUARY 1, 1940 TO SEPTEMBER 30, 1967

No.	Victim	Motive	Murder weapon	Year convicted	Recommendation for mercy		Executed or commuted
					Judge	Jury	
511	R. C. M. P.	Escape arrest—murder suspect.	Rifle.	1940	No	Yes	Executed
528	O. P. P.	Avoid questioning about break-ins.	Revolver.	1941	Yes	Yes	Commuted
565†	City detective.	Escape arrest—break-in suspect.	Revolver.	1944	Yes	Yes	Commuted
595	City detective.	Escape arrest—break-in suspect.	Revolver.	1946	No	No	Executed
629††	City constable.	Escape arrest—bank robbery.	Revolver.	1947	No	No	Executed
665	City constable.	Escape arrest—bank robbery.	Revolvers.	1949	No	No	Executed
666	City constable.	Escape arrest—bank robbery.	Revolvers.	1949	No	No	Executed
670	City constable.	Escape arrest—bank robbery.	Revolvers.	1949	No	No	Executed
710	R. C. M. P.	Escape arrest—bank robbery.	Automatic pistol.	1949	No	No	Executed
724	City policeman.	Escape arrest—bank robbery.	Automatic pistol.	1950	No	No	Executed
749(1)	City detective.	Escape arrest—following knife.	Shotgun.	1952	No	No	Executed
749(2)	City detective.	Escape arrest—escaped convict and companion.	Revolver.	1952	No	No	Executed
820(1)	City constable.	Escape arrest—break-in suspects.	Revolver.	1952	No	No	Executed
820(2)	City constable.	Escape arrest—break-in suspects.	Revolver.	1957	No	No	Executed
826	Town constable.	Escape arrest—break-in suspect.	Revolver.	1957	No	No	Commuted
862	O. P. P.	Escape arrest—murder suspect.	Revolver.	1957	Yes	No	Commuted
900†††	Q. P. P.	Revenge.	Rifle.	1959	No	No	Executed
				1962	No	No	New trial
901	City detective.	Escape arrest—thrift suspect.	Automatic pistol.	1962	Yes	Yes	ordered
904	City constable.	Escape arrest—robbery suspect.	Automatic pistol.	1962	No	No	Commuted
914	City constable.	Escape arrest—bank robbery.	Semi automatic rifle.	1963	No	No	Commuted
932	R. C. M. P.	Escape arrest—escaped convict.	Revolver.	1965	Yes	Yes	Commuted
958	R. C. M. P.	No apparent motive.	Rifle.	1967	Yes	Yes	New trial ordered

R. C. M. P.—Royal Canadian Mounted Policeman.

O. P. P.—Ontario Provincial Policeman.

Q. P. P.—Quebec Provincial Policeman.

*Three convictions in respect of two constables.

**Two convictions in respect of one detective.

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†The detective in this case was in night attire, off duty.

††Two policemen murdered in this incident.

†††The policeman in this case was not actually on duty but the incident leading to his death arose out of his employment as a policeman. The accused, upon his new trial, was convicted of non-capital murder and sentenced to life imprisonment.