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The Open Door

Never in the history of the R.C.M.P. has the recruiting door been so wide open. Since 1946 a campaign has been in progress, its aim, to bring the Force up to strength after the lean war years. The response has far exceeded expectations, for many young men signified their wish to serve in Canada's federal police force. But the requirements and standards of the RCMP, the gauge by which potential personnel are measured as to suitability, contravened against a speedy realization of the Force's aspirations. Of those many only one in every 15 have been accepted.

The old days of brawn and the night-stick are gone forever. Today their place has been taken by science, study and training, which merge to fashion a career and profession equal to any in the curriculum of world activities. Young men from all parts of Canada have indicated they appreciate the opportunities open to them in a career as a policeman, the honor attached to serving in a law-enforcing agency. Some are realizing their ambition, having successfully passed the rigid screening instituted by the Force's Personnel Section where mental and physical attributes are weighed and judged.

The Force is still accepting recruits, but naturally the demand grows less and less as time goes on. However the door will remain open as long as the need exists.

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This Issues Cover

Drawn by the Staff Artist the design on the cover of this *Quarterly* pays tribute to the unity of the ten provinces. Ten units working together to build a greater Canada. The *Quarterly* on behalf of the RCMP, and like so many contemporaries, extends the hand of welcome to Newfoundland. A short narrative of facts about the new province appears on page 39.

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