

According to statistics published recently, almost 40,000 persons have lost their lives on the North American continent during the year 1935 as a result of motor car accidents.

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During November, 1935, the Second Annual Conference of Officers Commanding Eastern Divisions of the Force was held in Ottawa, when a lengthy agenda was discussed. A photograph was taken of all Officers present — twenty-six comprising the group. This was doubtless the largest group of Officers of the Force ever to be assembled together. The total service of those present would, it is estimated, total over six hundred years in the Force.

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Published in this issue is an illustrated article by A/Sergt. H. W. Stallworthy, who has recently returned from Northern Ellesmere Island, where he had accompanied the Oxford University Expedition.

Expedition The base for the expedition was established at Etah, Greenland, from where sledge parties made various trips. Sergt. Stallworthy was a member of the party that proceeded to Grant Land. This trip occupied 55 days and covered a distance of approximately 900 miles.

The party reached a point within 8° of the North Pole; therefore Sergt. Stallworthy has the honour of having travelled farther north than any other member of the Force. All participants of the expedition are to be congratulated on the successful outcome of the undertaking.
