#### RECOMMEND NO MORE REGIMENTS AT PRESENT

Units Now in Recruiting Field Must Be Filled First, Says General Logie.

ATTACHED TO FUSILIERS

Lieut. Thomas Leonard Won Hi Commission by Gallantry on Firing Line.

No more battalions will be recommend ed for formation by Gen. Logie, divisional commandant, until the ones already in the field have reached the point of being well filled. This official statement, made at military headquarters last night, dis-

batch of overseas battalions were about to be announced.

Announcement was made last night that Lieut. Thos. D. Leonard is one of the officers that will come back from the front for appointment with the 208th Irish Fusiliers Overseas Battalion. Lieut. Leonard won his commission while at the firing line by being one of a party to capture a German trench. On his return to Toronto on furlough, for he was wounded, he will be given a captaincy in one of the battalion companies, with rank of major. Lieut. Leonard is a graduate of Toronto University and a former member of the C.O.T.C.

Given Presentation.

Lt. Col. Boyd Magee, commander of the 110th Irish Regiment, was presented with a very handsome sterling silver cabinet of silverware last night by the officers of the regiment in view of his approaching marriage. Major E. G. Switzer of the Irish Fusiliers made the presentation on behalf of the officers of the 110th. In expressing his appreciation of the gift, Col. Magee said the proud record already made by the regiment was due to the loyal co-operation of the officers and men.

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of the officers and men.

Earlier in the evening the 110th Regiment and the 208th Fusiliers held a combined parade, 700 strong, of the down-town street. Lieut. A. F. Coventry (Q.O.R.), who was assistant to Major W. Ford How-land, has been recommended for the position of divisional intelligence officer. He

tion of divisional intelligence officer. He was previously a member of the Oxford University Officers' Training Corps. When the war broke out he was a lecturer at Toronto University.

Died in Camp Hospital.

Sergt. Hunt of the 2nd Ploneer Battalion, who had returned from Quebec just before his unit went overseas owing to suffering with an abcess of the lung, died yesterday in the hospital at Exhibition camp.

One hundred and twenty-two volunteers came forward for enlistment in Toronto yesterday, but only 80 were accepted as being up to the military standard. The attested men were credited as follows:

on Monday to confer with the

commanding officers at Exhibition camp.

Grenadlers Parade. Over a hundred recruits turned out to the weekly parade of the 10th Royal Grenadiers last night, which is fifty per cent. more than were present last week. There is still room for many more recruits in this regiment, however, which, since the 123rd Overseas Battalion was organized under its ausnices, has been cruits in this regiment, nowever, which, since the 123rd Overseas Battalion was organized under its auspices, has been munch under strength. The total parade

battle was 508.

Drill was carried on until 9.30 when physical exercises were engage din. The band provided the music for these. There was a large number of spectators in the galleries to watch the evolutions of the men. Before the regiment was dismissed sandwiches and coffee were provided, while the new bugle band paraded twice round the inside of the building, playing, to show the progress it had made since its first appearance before the regiment last week. state was 508.

last week.

No More Applications.

Militia headquarters at Ottawa has had, it is said, over 1200 applications for appointments as paymasters, quartermasters and chaplains of the C.E.F. On this account the following notice has been received at Exhibition camp headquarters:

The number of applications for ap-

quarters:

"The number of applications for appointments as paymasters, quartermasters and chaplains of the Canadian Expeditionary Force is so large as to render it unnecessary that further applications should be made.

"Applications for these appointments are not to be made direct to militia headquarters, nor will such applications be considered. Only recommendations from officers commanding divisions and districts for such appointments are to be sent to militia headquarters, and are the only ones which will be considered."

Ill in Wellesley Hospotal.

Lieut.-Col. H. C. Osborne, D.A.A.G., and Q.M.S. at military headquarters, is ill in Wellesley Hospital.

Lieut.-Col. LeGrand Reed, commander of the 170th Mississauga Battallon, owing to poor health, is in Bermuda for a short stay. Col. Reed, after organizing the recruiting depot, took an advanced course at the school of infantry, and then began the task of organizing an overseas regiment, which is now up to half strength. His health suffered thru the strain.

Lieut.-Col. Jelley's speech, which he

strain.

Lieut.-Col. Jelley's speech, which he delivered last night in connection with the recruiting meeting held by the Epiphany Men's Club for the 204th Overseas Battallon; aroused much enthuslasm and resulted in getting four recruits. There was a fine entertainment, and the house was overcrowded. There were many fine solos and readings. Promoted Lieut.-Col.

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Lieut.-Col. C. Warren Darling has just been gazetted lieutenant-colonel. He succeeded Lieut.-Col. Duncan Donald as commander of the 48th Highlanders. The 48th will resume weekly drills at the armorles sometime during April.

Brig.-Gen. Logie inspected the 97th Battalion (American Legion) at Exhibition camp yesterday. As it was the second inspection within a month or so some members hoped it was a preliminary to an early departure overseas.

The school of instruction (infantry) will be inspected by General Logie at 10 o'clock this morning.

The 92nd Highland Pottelian will o'clock this morning.

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Quick Recruiting.

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The Foresters' Battalion, only authorized a few days ago, is already over strength. Ottawa is its headquarters.

The 170th Battalion (Mississaugas) will open its exhibition of war relics at the old McConkey building on King street tomorrow morning. A 15-inch shell will be one of the feature exhibits.

In the race for recruits for the 204th Battalion, Col. Price, commander, Ward Six now leads, its platoon being 64 men strong. Ward One with 63 east enders had led up to yesterday.

On Wednesday of next week a special musketry course will commence at Victoria College. The course will be attended by 175 lieutenants, N.C.O.'s and men, representing 35 overseas battalions of Toronto, Hamilton and of the counties of this military district. Lieut. H. E. Ferguson, A.M.C., will be medical surveys the strength of the S1st Battalion will be trengthed by the strength of the S1st Battalion will be trengthed at Burwash Hall.

Capt. J. Hyde Bennett of the S1st Battalion will be trengthed. Burwash Hall.

Capt. J. Hyde Bennett of the 81st Battalion will be transferred to the 201st Light Infantry to act as senior major.

Ambulance Association.

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#### Official War Statements

British

The British official statement, issued ast night on the campaign in France The British official statement, issued last night on the campaign in France and Belgium, reads:
"Our troops carried out two successful raids against the enemy trenches about Gommecourt and the Bethune-La Bassee road. One prisoner was captured and three dugouts filled with Germans were bombed and blown in.
"The enemy sprang a small mine to "The enemy sprang a small mine to the north of Arras and two mines northeast of Neuve Chapelle, causing slight damage to our trenches. A grenade attack to the north of Arras was repulsed."

"There has been artillery activity about Fricourt, Gommecourt, Souchez, the Hohenzollern redoubt and Ypres. At ne place our artillery fire caused a big explosion in the enemy lines.'

French.

The following French official statement was issued by the war office last night: "To the north of the Aisne we directed To the north of the Alsne we directed destructive fires on the German works on the plateau of Vauclerc.

"In the Argonne we carried out numerous concentrations of our fire on the enemy's organizations, the roads and the railways of the eastern Argonne and on the Melangourt wood

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"To the west of the Meuse the bombardment persisted in the region of Malancourt and against our front of Bethincourt, Le Mort Homme and Cumieres.

"To the east of the Meuse and in the Woevre the artillery action developed a certain intensity. There was no infantry action during the course of the day.

"In the Vosges we bombarded the enemy cantonments in the environs of Muhlbach." The Belgian official communication reads:

reads:

'On the greater extent of the Belgian front the activity of the artillery of both sides was normal. To the north of Steenstracte, however, the artillery duel was of unusual violence. During the course of the day of March 23 we everywhere effectively counter shelled the enemy batteries. batteries.
The French official communique of

The French official communique of yesterday afternoon said:

"To the west of the River Meuse the bombardment diminished last night. The enemy did not renew his attacks on the little hill of Haucourt (about three-fifths of a mile southwest of Malancourt), part of which we hold.

"To the east of the Meuse the bombardment was continued with violence at several points on our front. at several points on our front.
"In the Woevre there has been no important development to report, with the portant development to report, with the exception of an intermittent cannonad-

ing.
"To the west of Pont-a-Mousson a trench of the surprise attack upon a trench of the enemy in the vicinity of Fey-en-Haye, resulted in our taking several prisoners. "The night passed quietly on the re-

The following Italian official comnunication was issued yesterday: "In the Sugana valley Wednesday night the enemy, supported by artillery, repeatedly attacked but was repulsed with heavy losses, leaving some prisoners and arms and ammunition in our hands. "Also near Ravnilaz, in the Plezzo basin, and on Mrzli there were attempts by the enemy to advance:
"On Mrzli after the enemy been repulsed we counter attacked and broke into his trenches, throwing many bombs.
"At several points on the heights

Q.M.S. G. Spademan, 134th Highlanders; Q.M.S. W. Clewitt, 147th Battalion; Q.M. S. H. Meakin, 157th Battalion; Q.M.S. S. Wall, 129th Battalion; Q.M.S. R. C. Wood, 169th Battalion.

169th Battalion.

Nineteen members of the 75th Battalion and three of the 83rd having passed the required tests have qualified as scouts. They are: Sergt. H. Rowiey. 75th; Corp. R. D. Smith, 75th; Lance-Corp. T. A. Giffen, 75th; Lance-Corp. E. Hughes, 75th; Privates A. Whyte, H. Peberdy, B. Stokes, F. E. Peck, F. Glendinning, J. Hughes, R. Thompson, T. Greenhill. P. Ryan, J. Gorrie, H. G. Birch, J. McCarten, O. Balfour, W. Lernon, E. G. Gray, all of 75th; B. C. Trim, L. A. King, W. Young of 83rd.

HORSE CAUGHT IN TRACKS

George Baird, a Reachfield Township

farmer, returning to his home from Ux-

bridge Wednesday with a team and

sleigh, decided to take a short-cut by

bridge one of the horses got its foot caught between the railway ties. Baird

to a post and was running across the

field to obtain assistance when a Grand Trunk train came along, killing the animal, a valuable one, and smashing

the sleigh.

actions have grown more intense. "Our airmen, having observed the presence of a quantity of rolling stock along the Baca-Adria Railway, bombarded Oppachia Sella, Costan-jevica and Nabresina and returned harmed, despite a hot artillery fire. "Enemy airmen have dropped Asiago and Telve,

The official communication from Eussian general headquarters, issuer yesterday, reads:

"The contest is developing in the Rigaregion. In the Jacobstadt sector we followed up yesterday's success, piercing the enemy's line.

"Below Dvinsk our artillery successfully dispersed Germans massing near schischkovo. South of Dvinsk, as far as Lake Dreswiaty, there has been a violent artillery and rifle duel.

"In the sector of Mintzinny-Lake Eokly and south of Lake Dreswaity the enemy in a counter-attack took part of the trenches we captured the previous night. In the the centre of the sector there has been violent artillery and rifle fire.

"On the Vilieta-Mojeika front, northwest of Postavy and in the region of Lakes Miadziol and Narocz, the fighting continues. Southwest of Lake Narocz we repulsed a counter-attack and again advanced under a violent bombardment.

"On the south bank of Lake Narocz the Germans fired asphyxiating shells. More to the south, as far as the region of Polessic, there has been a lively cannonade at various places.

"Galician front: In the region of the Stripa and southeast of Kosloff (southeast of Lemberg), we repulsed an attack, inflicting heavy losses. Farther south we advanced a little and fortified the ground gained.

"On the Dniester, after a fight, we occupied the Village of Latachka Melevka.

"Black Sea: There is nothing to re-The official communication from Rus-ian general headquarters, issuer yeslevka.
"Black Sea: There is nothing to report.
"Caucasus front: We are harassing

German

Yesterday's German official com-"Eastern theatre: The Russians yes-rday showed the utmost aggressivend there was out the evening and night. They advanced with strong forces against the German positions at the Jacobstadt bridgehead, and on both side of the Mitau-Jacobstadt Railway.

"Four attacks were launched against the German positions north of Widsy. the German positions north of

On the front northwest of Postavy the number of prisoners taken by us has reached fourteen officers and 889 men. "In the sector of Postavy it is be-lieved that the Russians do not intend to make any more general attacks be-cause of the overwhelming losses they have suffered. Between the Lakes of Narocz and Wiszniew the enemy advanced several times with renewed orce.
"The Russians made great sacrifices of human life, and spent much ammuni-tion in these attacks and in other at-

tacks of local character elsewhere. The derman defence remained unshaken and the Russians were unable to gain any advantage at any point." 'Western theatre: The German success at the Avocourt forest (northwest Verdun) has been made complete by the occupation of the French positions at Point d'Appui, on the mountain ridge west of Haucourt. Four hundred and forty prisoners were taken. Otherwise the situation on the west front is un-

### LAUNCH CAMPAIGN FOR

Dominion Government is to Begin Advertising Propaganda in Newspapers.

By a Staff Reporter.

OTTAWA, Ont. March 23.—
"Thrift and production" is to be the cry this spring. The government intends to impress upon the people of WAS KILLED BY TRAIN the Dominion the necessity there exists for this. The departments of finance and agriculture will conduct the campaign, and there will be an the railway tracks. Crossing a small papers of Canada similar to the camadvertising propaganda in the newspaign conducted by the finance de-partment in connection with the reunhitched the other animal and tied it | cent war loan. The strongest possible effort will

be made to induce the people to increase production of all kinds, principally food, and the produce of the garden and the farm. Thrift and economy will also be advocated in order to promote savings to assist in financing future war loans. The campaign will extend over six eight weeks, and it will be begun at once in the west.

N. WEST LANDMARK IS BEING REMOVED

To make way for four modern high-To make way for four modern high-class stores and six apartment houses of the latest design, the old homestead, formerly the residence of John R. Bull, situated at the corner of West St. Clair avenue and St. Clair Gardens, is at pres-ent in the hands of the wreckers. The house had been a landmark in the district for the past twenty-five years and was built on the Bull estate when St. Clair avenue was a cattle path. Dr. J. R. Gibson, whose offices are temporarily in the Bank of Commerce Building, is the owner of the property, and he intends to owner of the property, and he intends to make the block of property the finest in the northwest section of the city.

WESTMINSTER CHAPTER, I.O.D.E.

The Westminster Chapter, I. O.D.E. held their regular monthly meeting on Monday, March 29. After the regular husiness had been transacted, an instructive talk was given by Mrs. W. R. Lang, her subject being the "Wom-en of Europe and the War."

#### ROOUES WARM FRIEND OF CREOLE BATTALIONS

New French War Minister Resents Charge Made Against Colonials.

PARIS, March 23 .- Gen. Pierre Auguste Roques, the new minister of war, nade his first speech in the chamber of deputies today since his entry into the cabinet. He spoke in connection with the medical treatment of French colonial troops from Guadaloupe and the Antilles.

The new minister also came to the defence of France's Creole battalions against a charge made by a previous speaker that the colonials were trying to evade military service. He had served with the Creole soldiers and ad great affection for them, said Gen. Roques with a good deal of warmth. Whatever their rank they were respected by the entire army and he would not allow them to be disparaged.

them, the minister said, he would make a severe example of the persons responsible for it.

The minister's speech was loudly applauded in all parts of the chamber.

AGE LIMIT EXTENSION IN EFFECT IN BRITAIN

Recruiting Officers Allowed Use Discretion in Enlisting Older Men.

LONDON, March 24, 2.05 a.m.-While there has been no official announcement to justify the reports that the military age limit is to be extendthis direction is indicated in instrucions issued to recruiting depots for field artillery, garrison artillery and army veterinary corps. These instruc-ions state that the recruiting officers may 'use their discretion hereafter in enlisting men between the ages of 41 and 45 years."

CATCH-MY-PAL SCHEME.

GODERICH, Ont., March 23.—The catch-my-pal" scheme along recruiting thes has been favorable again today and several eligible men have availed them would not allow them to be disparaged. selves of the opportunity of because any partiality was shown against members of the 161st Hurons here.

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EACH SECTION SHOULD MAKE UP THE DEFICIT

Opinion of Earlscourt Residents Regarding Civic Car Lines.

"Our organization awaits with a considerable amount of eagerness the detailed statement of the receipts and expenditure of our St. Clair avenue civic car line, applied for from Works Commissioner Harris," said Secretary C. H. Ralph of the Earlscourt Business Men's Association last night. "Altho feeling confident that the St. Clair avenue civic ne in itself is self-supporting, we can inderstand that taken in conjunction

with the other civic lines a deficit may be shown. Nevertheless we certainly do not feel that our section should be called upon to help meet the shortage by increased fares. creased fares.

"Every section, should bear its own cost of running expenses," said Mr. Ralph, "and any section which is running at a loss should pay their deficit by increased fares. This is the decided opinion of the business men of Earlscourt," he said.

FOE RUSHES MEN TO VILNA. LONDON, March 23 .- A Central News despatch from Petrograd states that the Germans are rushing rein. forcements to the Vilna front, in the

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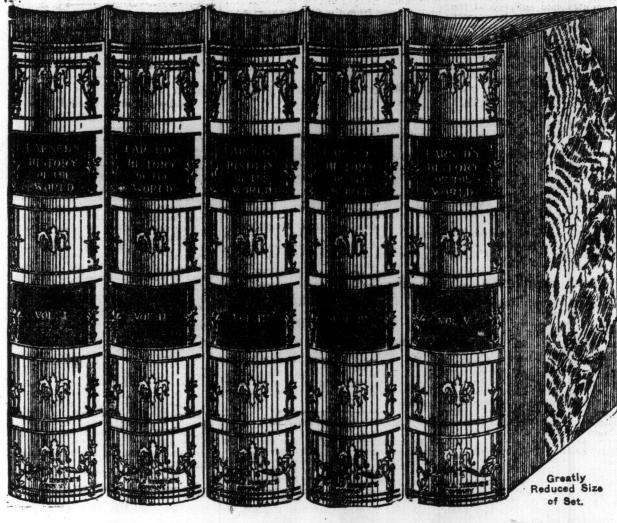
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