FRIDAY MORNING

### **RULES FOR THE** SECOND CONTINGENT FOR SOUTH AFRICA

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certified by the district officer commanding, payment or remuleration. Examination to Be Stiff.

al examiners are directed to be enrolment of officers. will be filled up by officer and signed by in the presence of officer, who will also sign

th will be placed at their dis-ign enroiment, or an allow-will be similariy issued for will be paid in accordance stration of the sections dur-tion will be as follows: The formed at Kingston, under ed

a to be formed at himself Battery, fficer commanding "A" Field Battery, I Canadian Artillery; the section to be d at Quebec, under the officer com-ling "B" Field Battery, Royal Cana-Artillery; the section at Ottawa, un-the officer commanding the Ottawa ade; the sections at other points, under officer commanding the military dis-

Will Repose on Straw Shake-Downs

tations where units of the permane-are quartered, the men and hors-e attached to such units for disciplin-s and accommodation. Blankets an ture will, if possible, be dray ailing which, the men ma on straw purchased for other stations, distric-ng will act on their ow The men will be accommodat drill halls or other buildings, act entered into for their ra-allowance of 60 cents per be issued, which, with their

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will Join in Uniform. then who enroll will join in their which they will demand from the command of the battery to which ag, giving a receipt for the same. apt will be the voucher for strik-miforms thus issued from their

As to the Horses.

the Horses. rses to be furnished from tteries, being insurficient ents of the west sections "E" Batteries, the offi-

mber. All the horses belonging to "A" and "B' itteries which are passed as "ft" for tive service by the veterinary surgeon ill be utilized, irrespective of age. The Staff Officers

The staff of the brigade division will be

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Capt. Williams at Winnipeg Do Not Know What to Do With

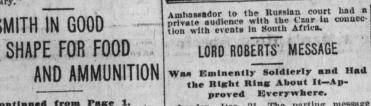
All the Applications. hipeg, Dec. 21.—(Special.)—Capt. Wil-D.O.C., was this morning busily enin picking out from se whom he thinks best fitted to perform military service in South Africa. He had just received a telegram from the Department of Militia at Ottawa, authoriz-

quire, and to make his selections the merits and demerits of the volunteered. The captain present I am engaged in pickl whom I intend to take from my "At present I am engaged in picking the men whom I intend to take from my troops. They are all on fire to go, but a few will have to be left, and I will, of course, be guided in my selection altogether by the capabilities of the men. The most ex-perienced of the troops will be given a cer-tain preference over the newer recruits. The great difficulty in selecting men from the outside is that I have not seen them, and can form my opinion only by what they write as to their previous experience, and from what I know of some of them by reputation. Many of these whose names I have received are old mounted policemen, dragoons or cavairymen of some sort, and are eminently well fitted for service, as they are good shots, good horsemen, and ac-customed to the hardships of war and out-door life on the plains. Applications still continue to pour in, and by one mail I hav: received a whole stack." Here the captain pointed to a plie of let-ters which hand come in this morning's mail, and which amply confirmed the truth of his remarks.

uapt. Nelles is Adjutant.

ked, No, not yet," was the reply, "but ptain Nelies of the Royal Canadian agoons received the appointment of act-adjutant to-day, but it does not ne-res-ily rollow that ne will occupy that posi-

rlly follow that he man and the start of the second permanently." There was a rumor affoat yesterday that aptain Pierce, who is at present sentor facer of the koyal Canadian Dragoons at tanley Barracks, had been assigned to an tanley Barracks, Data the second start of the second second tanley Barracks, bad been assigned to an emarks. not think," continued the captain his remainder will be able to spare in that they will be able to spare in that they will be able to spare in 50 troopers from the mounted police, so that the remainder will have to be supplied from the militia, the dragoons and the volunteers. There will not be the slightest difficulty about this, however, as slightest difficulty about this, however, as a number required. We could select 2000 edical Officer at Work. Surgeon-Major Nattress put in a busy day the barracks yesterday. An order was



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Commandant of the Royal Military College Arrived in

Col. Kitson, Commandant of the Royal volunteer for service, and the Military College, Kingston, acting under ent's instructions, arrived in vesterday afternoon, and will suprintend the organization of the mounted

afantry branch of the second Canadian contingent, which will mobilize in Toronto. He will also make arrangements regarding the appointment of the staff.

World Calls on Col. Kitson. When seen at Stanley Barracks last night, colonel Kitson, who is a tall, soldier'y looking man, with a decided English acsed himself as being only too give any information "I don't

Recruiting Begins Saturday.

"When will recruiting commence?" quer-ied The World. "The work, 1 expect, will begin Saturday

"Can you give the names of those who re likely to be appointed to officer the counted infantry?" Col. Kitson was next

willing to Ing at 9.



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Chance to Retreat.

avy as that of the

When Churchill Was Captured. Bennett Burleigh, The Daily Telegrap ar correspondent, supplies a full acco t the annihilation of the armored in

f the armored (Tall ley, when Wiaston Churchill was cap-tured. The train, it appears, with the ex-ception of the en-gine, tender and two trucks, was badly wrecked by the re-moval of fish-plates, and the 72 men of the Dublin Fusiliers and 45 men of the Durban Light Infan-try to say aothing nt at

Churchill,

Pall Mall Gazette's Story.

stand a very good chance of being selected, and those that can't have offered to go as servauts and otherwise. When the men heard yesterday that volunteers would soon be called for, there was a rush to get names in, and the following offered their services : Sergt. Hopkirk, Corp. Oakes, Corp. Dunlop, Lance Corp. Wilson, and Ptes. Laughlin, Tobin, Dennis, Stewart, Robson, Rogers, Nixon, Murley, Duggan, Connell, Monnette, Shanks, Blue Jackets

All Want to Fight.

-Col. Mead said yesterday that ther

full?" "Full," said his officer, "wha you mean?" "Why, my heart's been all day, sir," repiled Kavanagh with a s and so the "hard case" of his batta sbouted, and joked, walked about ami tempest of builers and stirred the gaili-glorious Lublins to shoot well and true Ambassador to the Russian court had a private audience with the Czar in connec-tion with events in South Africa. LORD ROBERTS' MESSAGE Was Eminently Soldierly and Hat the Right Ring About It-Ap-proved Everywhere. London, Dec. 21.—The parting message which Lord Roberts sent vesterday through The Fall Mail Gazette's correspondent scribes Winston Churchill's conduct on occasion as the following: "The part correspondent of the part



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fore Jugge Ermathiger. mid, the Conservative c clared elected by 17 majo than given out by Return Mr, Macdiarmid gained if ships and lost four in 8 were rejected by the d marked with red pencil Honor allowed.

Heard on the t "If it's scouts they wan e have the finest body orld right here in Toro

ber of people were follo tended to kill him. The trembling from fright, ui look and the police saw out of his head. After he said his name was C that he lived near Tora left there last Monday a the way to Buffalo. On officers found \$242 in sewed in his clothing. H the names of his friend where he lived.



The staff of the brigade division will be formed at Tete du Pont Barnecks, Kiags-ton, by Lieut. Col. E. G. Stone, R.A., com-manding Canadian Artillery, who will tem-porarily assume the command until re-lieved. Major C. C. Van Straubenzie, R.A., will perform the duties of acting brigade major of artillery to Lieut.-Col. Stone, R.A. In the event of "A" and "B" Batteries being unable to furnish the required num-ber of men in the following categories for the first sections of "C," "D" and "E" Batteries, the officers appointed to the command of these batteries will provide for the deficiency by an increase in Sections 2 and 3, to luclude the artificers or trumper-ers required to complete the battery es-tablishment. **Weights to Be Carried.** The total weight to be carried on the

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As to the Clothing. To ensure the proper fitting of clothing. headgear and boots, officers commanding to the chief of staff officer, Ottawa, size to the chief of staff officer, Ottawa, size further enrolied. These size rolls will gene to the clobe says there are rumors that the height of men, the measurement of chest and waist and circumference of head and size of boots, according to the following further close: To boots, according to the following the forces in Ireland.

THEREFORE LET'S BE MERRY-Shakespeare.

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size of boots, according to the honowing instructions: The height is to be in stocking fect; the breast measurement is to be taken by a shirt only, and close under the arms: the waist measurement is to be taken over the trousers and drawn fairly tight. The height, breast and waist measurements are to be carefully made, so as to be as accur-ste as possible, as the garments will be made considerably looser than the measure-nents. For taking head measurement of a

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**Christmas** 

To-morrow being Saturday, we have to close at 7 p.m., and you may forget it until

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