

**TO THOSE WHO GOT THEIR
BLIGHTY IN ST. ROCHS.**

(May be sung to the air "Mother
Machree".)

(The following poem from the inspired pen of Miss Margaret Amaron, has been received with other despatches from our Forces on the Eastern Front. It is evident that the Canadian Engineers, now 'visiting' in the Rock City, continue to maintain with the fair sex, the reputation which they formerly enjoyed with the 'dear girls' of St. Johns.)

There's a call from the East for
the men of our land
There's a place at the front where
the bravest may stand,
They are calling to us for the stal-
wert and true,
And the answer's been given,
Canadians, by you.

Sure you'll fight for your country,
your nation and King,
You'll uphold what is righteous,
and help peace to bring,
You'll uplift the oppressed, and the
tyrant dethroned,
And bring honor to Canada, brave
men of our own.

When you sail from our shores, we
will watch o'er you still,
We will think of you, pray for you,
our part fulfil;
You'll be true to our trust, you'll
be valiant and strong,
To uphold what is right and to
crush what is wrong.

For you'll fight for your country,
your King and your land,
For all that is noble you firmly
will stand;
Your courage and worth have been
put to the test,
And you proved that you're worthy
a place with the best.

When Quebec sent an S. O. S. call
for your aid,
Did we have long to wait; was the
answer delayed?
Did you say you preferred Flan-
ders' Field to St. Roch's?
And that shrapnel was better than
ice, bricks and blocks.

No, you fought for our safety, our
peace and our home,
And we say from our Hearts,
"Thank you boys, 'twas well
done",

What you did in Quebec, you will
yet do again,
For your fight was for justice, and
we're proud of you men.

(Quebec, April 1918.)

TRY THIS ONE.

To those among our Sappers, who find P.T., squad drill and the open air, too powerful a tonic we would draw attention to the following extract from the Tallische Rundschaw, in which attention is drawn to a newly invented drug,—

"To bear hunger, without at the same time suffering from headache or other indisposition, is very difficult for most people. The new drug, however, while not forming a substitute for the minimum daily subsistence, is an excellent preparation for stilling premature hunger, and enables one to hold out until the next meal time."

Perhaps the Canteen might arrange to get a supply.

**THE BAND STILL "GOING
STRONG".**

Once more, the Management of "Knots and Lashings", desires to express their appreciation of the invaluable assistance given by the following members of the Band, in connection with the sale of the Depot newspaper on Saturday last.

- Bandsman E. Matthews
- " A. Erickson
- " J. B. Orr
- " J. J. Orr
- " H. Eberle
- " Wesley.

Last Saturday's edition reached slightly more than 1700 copies, all of which were disposed of. This gratifying result was due, in no small measure, to the efforts of the above Bandsmen.

TO THE O.C. CLASS 38.

We know you're always thoughtful of your comrades and your friends,

We know you do your very best to please;

But please don't let the minor things pass quickly from your mind,

And put Class 38, once more "at ease"!

Those chevrons that were wont to rest upon your manly arm,
The emblems of the rank you held so dear,

Have faded, likewise others, then less fortunate than you,

Have risen upward from their "private" sphere.

"GRAT."

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