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SIGNALLING SCHOOL.
NO. 1 POSTAL CORPS.

MILITARY NEWS AND GOSSIP

OF CORPS, UNITS AND BATTALIONS OF NO. 1
MILITARY DISTRICT; OF LONDON'S MOBILIZA-
TION CAMP AT CARLING HEIGHT, AND OF CAMP
BORDEN, WHERE EIGHT WESTERN ONTARIO
BATTALIONS ARE QUARTERED.

110TH BATTALION
111TH BATTALION
118TH BATTALION
135TH BATTALION
142ND BATTALION
149TH BATTALION
153RD BATTALION
160TH BATTALION
161ST BATTALION
168TH BATTALION
241ST BATTALION
63RD BATTERY
64TH BATTERY

118TH AS A UNIT WILL GO OVERSEAS SIR SAM ASSURES

Lieut.-Col. Lochead Expects
Departure in September.

STRATFORD ENLISTS FIVE

Special Appeal to Girls to
Snub Non-Soldiers—Fair
for 161st Aid.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
BERLIN, Ont., July 30.—Lieut.-Col.
W. M. O. Lochead of the 118th Bat-
talion, who is home for a few days
from Camp Borden, says that he has
the pledged word of Major-Gen. Sam
Hughes that the 118th will go over-
seas as a unit.

The battalion he expects will leave
some time in September.

INGERSOLL YOUNG MAN ENLISTS WITH ENGINEERS

[Special to The Advertiser.]
INGERSOLL, July 30.—D. R. Stephen,
a popular employee of the Morrow
Company, has enlisted with the En-
gineers' Corps, London. Gifts, indicat-
ing the esteem in which he is held,
were presented to him by fellow em-
ployees in plant No. 4. These consist-
ed of a silver locket ring, a pipe and
a liberal quantity of tobacco. An ap-
propriate address was given by the
superintendent, John Lee. He paid a
warm tribute to the patriotic spirit of
Mr. Stephen, his geniality and ability
as a workman. He expressed the hope
that he would return safely from the
war, and assured him that if he so
desired he would find a position
for him with the Morrow Company.

CAMP BORDEN MEN KEEN FOR FARM WORK

[Special to The Advertiser.]
INGERSOLL, July 30.—Many of the
soldiers of this district have returned
from Camp Borden, and are being
placed on the farms nearby.

In all cases the men show an eager-
ness to begin active work on the farms
despite the heat and the rush season.

15 MEMBERS OF C. E. F. FOUND MEDICALLY UNFIT

Will Be Struck Off Battalion Strength
Pending Discharge.

A party of fifteen men at present in
the field hospital have been found unfit
for further military service. They are
being placed under the direct control
of the A. A. G. Lieut.-Col. W. A. Mc-
Crimmon, pending the receipt of the
battalion paymaster's orders, their
battalion paymasters are paying
them up to date, and in future they will
be paid by the district paymaster.

Their names are: Ptes. H. G. Cartier,
J. Newall, P. H. Moore, A. Oldham, F.
C. Dawson, Kiddie, J. Glass, A. Gilson,
J. Ryan, G. Seal, Sergt. W. L. O'Neill,
Ptes. William Lloyd, Frank Bowring,
R. J. Parkes, and Pietro Disipio.

BATTERY WILL VISIT GUELPH ON AUGUST 7

Field Day in Interests of Recruiting
Will Be Held.

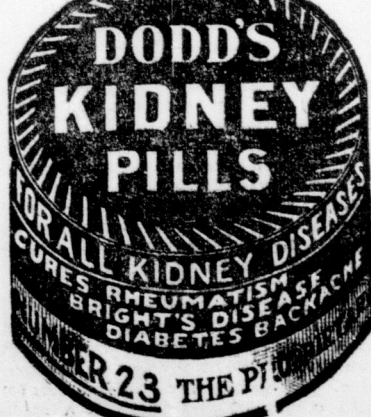
Arrangements are being completed for
the trip of the 64th Battery to Guelph
on August 7.

Major Walker, O. C. of the 64th, states
that the battery will go to Guelph as a
unit for a field day in the interests of
recruiting. Twenty-four horses will be
taken, and the events of the day as so
far arranged includes a musical ride,
an exhibition of physical drill, a concert
by members of the battery and various
athletic events. The men are training
hard for the day.

While a number of the battery men
are away on harvest furlough, these are
principally in Guelph and district, and
it is expected will join the unit for the
day when it arrives.

No further word has been received
with regard to the draft of 100 men
which the 62nd and 64th were asked to
supply some time ago. Practically every
member of both units volunteered for
the draft and are looking forward eagerly
to the order to go.

Ordinary training is proceeding in the
batteries as well as possible with the
number of men not away on harvest fur-
lough.



Western Ontario Men in Big Drive



This photograph of Pte. G. F. Wilkenson, seated, and Ptes. Monahan and
K. Parker from Harrow, Guelph and Sarnia respectively, was sent to The
Advertiser by Pte. R. I. Blandon of this city, who is now in a base hospital in
London, England. Pte. Blandon writes that these Western Ontario boys are
in the big drive and he confidently expects them to come out on top. The tri-
umphant march through many of the heaviest battles of the war, and had up until
the time of writing come through without a scratch.

"I am a constant reader of The Advertiser, and it is one of the best that
we get in the trenches," writes Pte. Blandon, who is with the 12th Battalion.

MAJORITY OF MEN OF 135TH ARE NOW BACK AT BORDEN

Return From Last Leave of
Absence.

142ND BRAVES THE HEAT

Holds Sports While Mercury
Reaches 104 Degrees—
Others Cancel Games.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
CAMP BORDEN, Ont., July 30.—Of
the 418 members of the 135th Battalion
who went on their last leave, 308 re-
turned this afternoon. About 50 re-
turned this morning. Indians from Mor-
aviantown were not able to make train
connections, so there will be few ab-
sentes. This morning the 126th Peel
Battalion, also on its last leave, re-
ported 213 illegal absentes. The new
brigadiers of the brigades from No. 1
district state that their men, while
realizing that conditions might be bet-
ter here, are fine soldiers and are will-
ing to play the game for all they pos-
sess. The proposition of the A. A. G.
regarding a monthly leave of four days,
in keeping with their desire to facilitate
training and leave other matters for
peace times, some dissenters willingly
submitted to decision of their com-
manders.

142nd Game.
Today the most accurate thermometer
in the most favorable spot in the camp
registered 98 degrees in the shade. Yes-
terday it was 103 degrees and although
the district sports were cancelled, the
142nd Battalion held a number of
events. The decision of headquarters
to make efficiency instead of numer-
ical order the reasons for the departure
of battalions for overseas has thrown
new life into the London battalions, so
Brig. Lieut.-Col. Wigle says. His men
were very early departure. On Thurs-
day the 8th Brigade will spend the day
in manoeuvring on the training area.

Pte. Bicks, a Russian in the 142nd
Battalion, was struck down by an auto-
mobile, but not seriously injured. Bicks
was seriously injured in a Toronto
accident Friday night in a similar motor
accident. Bicks was taken to the camp
where the motorist found the person
whom she came to visit, Pte. Penton,
157th, suffering from ivy poisoning.

The general staff intends to review
the battalions schedules for service de-
parture. It starts upon the work to-
morrow. Adjutant Farley of the 180th
Battalion, has been declared medically
unfit. He took his son into the regi-
ment, obtaining for him a noncom-
missioned rank.

VIOLENT STORM OVER CAMP.

A violent storm, which has put wires
out of commission, is breaking over the
camp. The storm is more than local.
Fourteen trains all carrying troops
from different parts of the province,
have been on their leaves, and are
due to arrive before midnight. The
troop trains will be moved with diffi-
culty owing to the storm. The light-
ning system has broken down, and
troops are staggering through the camp
to their lines.

COMBINED FOR SERVICE.

Only the 32nd and 64th Batteries held
a military church service on Sunday.
This was a combined one, held in the
gun park at Broughdale Camp. Bom-
bardier Tascroft of the 32nd, conducted
the service, which began at 9:15.

In the other battalions so many of the
men are on harvesting leave that it
was deemed advisable not to hold a
service and to let the men attend their
own churches.

As usual the Roman Catholic soldiers
from all the camps attended service at
St. Mark's Church.

MADE CAPTAIN.
Lieut. H. A. Culham, A. M. C., has
been granted the rank of captain.

BIG SEND-OFF FOR MIDDLESEX TROOPS LEAVING FOR BORDEN

Men of 135th Battalion Will
Go Overseas Shortly.

HEAT WAS TERRIFIC

Crowd at the Station, How-
ever, Stayed to See Train
Pull Out.

About three hundred of the 135th
Battalion men left London for the last
time on Sunday morning for Camp
Borden. The battalion is scheduled to
depart from Borden for overseas soon.
Saturday all those on leave paid fare-
well visits to their home towns and
left on Sunday for their training quar-
ters, instead of as usual remaining till
Monday.

Londoners gathered in hundreds at
the station to bid them good-bye, but
the usual scenes of the departure of a
battalion were missing. No band or
escort accompanied the troops to the
groups and gathered at the station,
where last farewells were said before
the train pulled in from Stratford.

There was no military guard at the
station and the crowd was able to
stand freely with the men right up
to the moment of departure. Nothing
stirred Londoners more since the de-
parture of the 18th Battalion.

The train, a special, left Stratford
at 9 o'clock in the morning, bringing
with it above two hundred of the bat-
talion from that district. It arrived
in London at 1:50 and the London
boys were all entrained in five minutes.
The train, however, remained for nearly
twenty minutes.

Ice cream cones were popular, as the
temperature ranged around 100 degrees
and the interior of a railroad coach is
not the coolest place in the world.
Undress uniform became the general
order as soon as the cars were entered.
The men have two and a half mile walk
at the neck and sleeves rolled up in a
few seconds. Pull was made of
London. Many of the boys gathered
on the rear platform and all the car
steps were filled.

Many of the men from other bat-
talions gathered at the station and a
few members of the staff and the
presence of a few military police, how-
ever, formed the only official touches
to the scene.

LITTLE STORIES OF CAMP BORDEN

Inspection of the overseas units is
proceeding as fast as possible. Four
of the recently-arrived battalions are
being given the official "once over" to-
day.

Included in Sunday's and Saturday's
visitors to the base were more than
5,000 women. This establishes a new
record.

Objection to the layout of some of the
camp features is being taken. Com-
plaints have been registered that the
new swimming pool in the Bear Creek,
is too far away from the camp. The
men have a two and a half mile walk
to get to the swimming pool.

The location of the railways is also
furnishing grounds for objection. It is
claimed that because the railways did
not want to erect any bridges they cut
off some of the best training areas by
coming in from the west side.

The athletic stadium's location is
having its share of criticism. It is
claimed that a more accessible site
would have been nearer the union sta-
tion.

Because of the number of bush fires
that have developed in the camp and
training areas, special motor convey-
ances have been provided for the "fire-
men" of the duty battalion of the day.
Fire drill has become one of the most
important features of soldiers training
in the camp.

Men who returned from the camp for
the week-end leave have declared that
the paving of the roads through the
camp had aided but little in keeping
down the dust. The excessive heat of
the past month has been such that the
scanty vegetation, even in those sec-
tions where the feet of the soldiers do
not tramp it out, has been killed, leav-
ing the sand to blow in all direc-
tions.

The colonel had with him a number
of the arms used in trench fighting to
illustrate his subject.

THREATENS ARREST OF 199TH RECRUITERS

Toronto Mayor Takes Hand in Quebec-
Ontario Recruiting Muddle.

Major T. L. Church of Toronto has
taken a stand with a vengeance in con-
nection with the recruiting of the 199th
(Irish Rangers) Battalion of Montreal
in that city. No action whatever has
been taken locally, save a general awak-
ening of interest, but the Toronto chief
magistrate threatens to arrest any re-
cruiters who attempt to sign up men
for the 199th in Toronto.

No men have been signed on the fact that
there are still Toronto and district bat-
talions to be brought up to full strength
and that the rights of these units have
prior claim on the city than any unit
from Quebec.

GETS HIS CERTIFICATE.
Lieut. J. A. McCamus, Woodstock,
has been granted a certificate as a
first class machine gun instructor
(Colt), as a result of recent examina-
tions in England.

EXTRA CARS AND TRAINS FOR RETURNING SOLDIERS

Week-End Leave Takers Return to
Borden Today.

Three extra
cars were attached to
P. R. train No. 32, leaving here at
12:30 p.m. today for Camp Borden.
The extra coaches were necessary to
accommodate those returning soldiers
who had been on week-end leave, in
addition to a number of the 135th
(Middlesex) Battalion who failed to
make connections with the Sunday
special.

The C. P. R. special, consisting of
fourteen coaches and a baggage car,
left at 2:45 this afternoon, arriving soon
Chatham, where about 200 of the 186th
(Kent) Battalion boarded the special.

This train carried back about 700 men
from London. A large number being
members of the 142nd and the 151st
(Huron) Battalions.

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August FURNITURE Sale

10 to 50% Reductions On All Furniture Furniture of Character and Quality---Prices Below Your Expectation

The buying of the right sort of furniture is just as much of a problem to this store as it is to you. But there is one great difference—we have studied your wants and then have gone to the makers of furniture, as good as it was in grandmother's day, and had our experts select the best to be had. In other words, we have centralized our efforts in securing the good, practical styles of furniture that you demand rather than just "buying" furniture to sell.

This sale is planned to give you a furniture service that will allow you to select designs that will be good for centuries and furniture that will become a cherished possession of your children's children. You will also find many pieces that are distinctly of the styles of the present moment—the latest creations in fine furniture faithfully carried out to the last detail.

In a word, this sale has been planned for you, every minute consideration has been thought out for the benefit of our customers, and every piece of furniture on the floor will be marked at August sale prices, from 10 to 50 per cent off regular sale prices. Sale begins tomorrow. Furniture may be inspected today.

Dining-Room Furniture

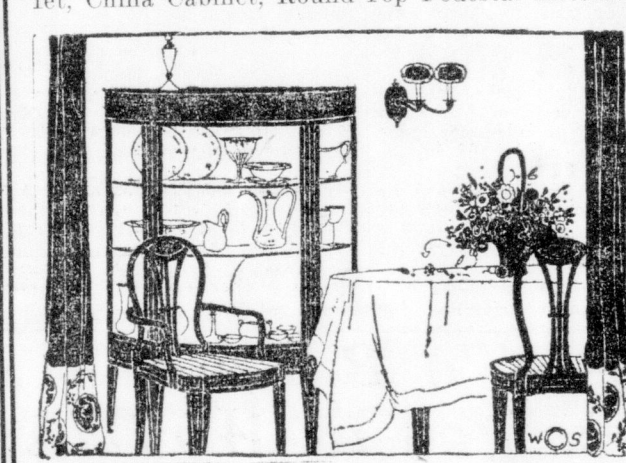
One only Jacobean Dining-room Suite; regular \$175.00. August sale price \$129.50
The Buffet is 54 inches wide and made with low back; China Cabinet is 40 inches wide; Extension Table is 48 inches by 8 feet, and set of Diners.

One only Black Walnut Dining-room Suite consisting of Buf-
fet, China Cabinet, Round-Top Pedestal Extension Table and

set of six Diners upholstered in genuine leather. August sale price \$81.00
Dining-room Suite in fumed oak—Buffet, Extension Table and set of six Diners. August sale price \$43.25
Quarter-cut Oak Dining-room Suite, colonial design—Buffet, Extension Table, China Cabinet and set Dining Chairs. August sale price \$110.00

Buffets

One only Fumed Oak, regular \$50.00.
August sale \$37.50
One only Fumed Oak, regular \$22.00.
August sale \$17.00
One only Fumed Oak, regular \$50.00.
August sale \$35.00



Sale Begins Tuesday

Ten to fifty per cent reductions on all furni-
ture.

China Cabinets

Two only Walnut, regular \$32.00.
August sale price \$25.00

HOUSE DESKS IN FUMED OAK

One only, regular \$40.00. August sale price \$27.00
One only, regular \$30.00. August sale price \$20.00
Two only, regular \$15.00. August sale price \$12.50

Bedroom Furniture

One only Black Walnut Bedroom Suite, A dam design, consisting of Bed, Dresser, Chiffonier and Dressing Table; regular price, \$152.50. August sale price \$119.00
One only Mahogany Suite, regular \$175.00. August sale price \$125.00
One only Mahogany Suite, regular \$200.00. August sale price \$146.50
One only Dresser, Circassian walnut, regular \$55.00. August sale price \$40.00
One only Dresser, mahogany, regular \$24.50. August sale price \$18.50
Six only Oak Dressing Tables, regular \$15.00. August sale price \$11.75
Six only Oak Chiffonier Tables, regular \$25.00. August sale price \$19.50
One only Solid Mahogany Bedroom Suite—Dresser, 54 inches wide; Dressing Table, 56 inches wide; Chiffonier and Bed; regular \$490.00. August sale price \$245.00

\$14.50 Brass Beds, August Sale Price \$9.35

These Brass Beds are made with 2-inch posts, 3/4-inch top rods and 5/8-inch fillers; worth \$14.50. August sale price \$9.35
Brass Beds, 3 feet width only, 2-inch continuous post pillars with 3/4-inch fillers; worth regularly \$22.50. August sale price \$15.75

Parlor and Living-Room Furniture

Two only three-piece Parlor Suites, mahogany-finish frames, upholstered spring seats; regular \$25.00 each. August sale price \$18.00
One only Living-room Suite—Settee, Armchair and Rocker, fumed oak, seats and backs upholstered in genuine leather. August sale price \$32.00
Four only Library Tables, two quarter-cut and two fumed oak; regular \$14.50 each. August sale price \$9.50

THESE AT HALF-PRICE TUESDAY MORNING, AUGUST 1.
Solid Mahogany Table, regular \$9.50. Sale price \$4.75
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Solid Mahogany Table, regular \$8.75. Sale price \$4.40
Solid Mahogany Table, regular \$6.75. Sale price \$3.40
Solid Mahogany Curates, regular \$6.00. Sale price \$3.00
Solid Mahogany Sewing Table, regular \$10.00. Sale price \$5.00



EVERY PIECE OF FURNITURE
INCLUDED IN AUGUST FURNI-
TURE SALE, 10 to 50 per cent off
regular prices.

ATTACHED TO NEW UNIT.

Three men found unfit for overseas
service have been transferred to the
Special Service Company, which is tem-
porarily attached to the 160th Battalion.

BANNING WAR RIBBONS.

Camp orders again contain reference
to the wearing of unauthorized ribbons
by men of the C. E. F. It is stated
that no ribbon has been authorized in
the present war, and commanding officers are warned
to take steps to see that no returned
men in their commands wear such
ribbons.

PARIS HAS RETURNED TO OLD TIME SYSTEM

Clocks Turned Back at 10 o'clock
Sunday Night.

PARIS, July 30.—A special meeting
of the town council was held Friday
night to reconsider the daylight-saving
scheme.

Several largely signed petitions
against the new order of things were
presented, and on motion of Councillors
Walker and Robinson it was decided
to grant the request of the petitioners
and the clocks were turned back to
standard time Sunday night at 10
o'clock.

DECOMPOSED TRUNK OF BOY'S BODY IS FOUND AT WINDSOR

Police Suspect It May Be Earl
Jenkins.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
WINDSOR, July 30.—Headless and
legless, the badly decomposed body of
a boy was discovered floating in De-
troit River opposite the West End
Hotel, Windsor, this afternoon. Be-
cause of its condition, which rendered
identification impossible, the police or-
dered the burial of the body tonight.

The authorities believe the body to be
that of Earl Jenkins, 9-year-old son
of Walter J. Jenkins, of 329 Wellington
avenue, who disappeared on July
18, after threatening to join a band of
gypsies. On the morning of July 19,
Patrolman Vanderlinde found the lad's
clothes on the government dock.

Walter Jenkins tonight was incredu-
lous when informed of the theory held
by the police, and still hopes his boy
may yet return home.

IS SHOT IN THE BACK AT SHOOTING GALLERY

[Special to The Advertiser.]
BRANTFORD, July 30.—A young lad
named Cudmore is in the hospital here
as a result of a rifle wound in the
back. The shooting occurred Saturday
evening in a local shooting gallery. It
is believed to have been the result of
the premature explosion of a 22-calibre
rifle. The attending doctor is waiting
for the inflammation to subside, when
the X-rays will be used to determine
how serious the injury is.

At present it is thought the injury
consists of a muscle wound in the back.

ST. THOMAS SENDS TWO MORE RECRUITS

[Special to The Advertiser.]
ST. THOMAS, July 30.—W. D.
Wright and R. R. Osmond of this city
signed up on Saturday for overseas
service with the engineers at London.

Russell Robb, son of W. J. Robb, of
the Dominion Government Immigration
department, this city, has enlisted with
the No. 1 Canadian Army Medical Corps
in training at London, and has left for
that place to join his corps.

FIVE-YEAR-OLD BOY KILLED BY AN AUTO

Leaves His Father's Side and
Meets Death.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
PARIS, July 30.—A sad fatality oc-
curred Saturday afternoon whereby
William M., the five-year-old son of
Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Denby, lost his life.

The little fellow was going down town
with his father and when close to
Smith's Creek bridge let go his father's
hand and ran out into the road. Just
then an auto driven by Eugene Lavoie
approached and before the child could
get out of the way he was struck and
instantly killed.

The auto was going slowly at the
time, according to eyewitnesses, who
say the driver did all in his power to
avoid the accident.

Dr. Johnston of Burford, coroner, was
notified and after hearing the circum-
stances decided that an inquest was
not necessary.

Besides his parents one brother and
two sisters survive.