

The 11th Ambulance, under C. J. Currie, assisted by C. Warren, E. B. Hardy, H. R. Holme, W. L. McBeth, J. Wood, G. Rice, J. C. Colhoun, P. G. Brown and R. H. Sheard.

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The 13th Cavalry Field Ambulance has for its chief Wallace Scott, who has with him R. S. Pentecost, G. R. Philp, N. J. L. Yellowlees, W. T. McLean, W. Ogden, P. K. Menzies and George Campbell.

Dr. D. B. Bentley, of Sarnia, will be the head of No. 1 Stationary Hospital in the foreign service.

Dr. R. D. Rudolf will be in charge of one of the base hospitals.

### ONTARIO VITAL STATISTICS.

The statement issued by the Provincial Board of Health for the month of September shows the number of communicable diseases and deaths to have been slightly in excess of those of the same month last year, while the deaths are fewer. There has been a large increase in the number of cases of diphtheria and measles. Typhoid fever and scarlet fever cases materially decreased compared with the figures for the corresponding month last year. The statement for the month of August, 1914, is as follows:

Diseases.	1914	
	Cases.	Deaths.
Smallpox .....	6	0
Scarlet Fever .....	71	2
Diphtheria .....	172	10
Measles .....	148	2
Whooping Cough .....	52	5
Typhoid .....	126	10
Tuberculosis .....	124	72
Infantile Paralysis .....	11	0
Cerebro-spinal Meningitis .....	5	5

### MEDICAL PREPARATIONS

#### A PROFESSIONAL GAMBLE.

Any imitation of a medicinal remedy is a gamble not only upon the reputation of the original product established solely through thera-