

obtained by crystallizing the resolutions into law was explained at length by President Todd. His address clarified the situation not a little, for many seemed to be uncertain as to just what the proposed measure really meant.

Many points of view were presented by different representatives, where-by the officers were able to gauge the opinion of the Service at large and to prepare their future plans in accordance with its evident desires.

The resolution was considered in Committee of the Whole, Tuesday, June 6th, and amended in Committee to enlarge its scope to include all those under Sections 37 and 40 of the Civil Service Act; that is to say, persons of professional or technical qualifications or graduates of Canadian universities.

That the minimum in sub-division B of the third division be \$600.00.

That the annual increment in the second division be increased from \$50 to \$100.

A bill founded on the above resolution was then introduced and read a first time.

### EDWARD KITSON, HERO.

Just a little while ago I'd meet him  
on the street,

And joke 'bout how he's make the  
Bosches dance;

But, alas! My gallant friend I never  
more shall greet,

He died to keep us free, in La Belle  
France.

He made no brag about it, when he  
volunteered one day,

Just smiled and said, "It's up to  
me to go";

Then, with brother heroes, he bravely  
marched away,

To fight for freedom 'gainst the  
brutal foe.

Edward Kittson, hero, you have not  
died in vain.

The whole world gains through just  
such men as you,

Who fear not cruel death, grim suf-  
fering, or pain,

When honor calls on them to dare  
and do.

O, we have heroes many, beside my  
noble friend,

For them I gladly pen this eulogy.

Grant them, O Lord, the victory in  
the end,

Because they fight for honor and  
for thee.

—Garrett O'Connor.

Bridgeburg, Niagara River.

### WAR PERSONALS.

Lieut. L. B. Kingston, mentioned  
in despatches, is a son of H. G. Kings-  
ton, chief accountant, Public Works.

Lieut. Charles Heathcote Graham,  
reported seriously ill, is a Public  
Works man.

Signaller W. H. Eades, Toronto,  
killed, had passed the Civil Service  
examination, but enlisted before he  
was given a position.

Maj.-Gen. W. St. P. Hughes has  
been appointed commandant of  
Crowborough Camp.

Lieut. C. E. Corbould (Interior,  
Vancouver), formerly of the 47th  
Battalion, wounded in January last,  
is now appointed an observer in the  
Air Service.

Lieut.-Col. Agar Adamson received  
his D.S.O. from the hands of the  
King at Hyde Park on May 30th.

Corp. F. C. Jamieson, killed in  
action, was a son of W. A. Jamieson,  
of the Railway Commission.

Lieut. Melville Taylor, M.C., is  
home on furlough.

Frank O'Meara, killed in action,  
was a brother of M. O'Meara, of the  
Topographical Surveys.

### MILITARY PAY ONLY.

By an Order-in-Council dated May  
29th, civil servants enrolling for mili-  
tary service will thereafter receive  
no civil pay while drawing army  
pay.