

∴ They are an Infantry Battalion 28030 by N.P.A.M.,
as yet: I have a commission here -

and: Lt. Col. G. M. Shrum,

The Officer Commanding,

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If I cannot get into the Army in some
capacity where my training will be of use, I should
like to get into the Navy - I put in an application
as soon as I was broke out - no doubt it's been
lying on the shelf ever since. But if I cannot
do either, I shall go over to England - Surely there
I could be of some use. In fact, I have already
written to a friend in the Army there, asking him
about it; but it seemed such a terrible thing, to
say I wanted to come over because I couldn't
get anything to do, to help them, in Canada, - I
couldn't bring myself to send it, yet, but decided
to wait a short time longer. I will do
anything: if our contribution is to be munitions and
supplies, & not soldiers. Very well. I'm perfectly willing
and anxious to work in a factory, or on a farm;
but I see no chance of doing either of those things,
& being of great use, & I must do something -