

NEW BATTALION IS AUTHORIZED IN GREY; TO BE CALLED 248TH

Lieut.-Col. W. N. Chisholm
Named to Command.

CAMP IS AGAIN ALIVE

Seventeen Battalions Return
—Some Delay by
Railways.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

CAMP BORDEN, Sept. 12.—Battalions after battalion disembarked here tonight at the conclusion of their first four-day monthly leave, and the camp took on its gay and noisy bustle again after about a week's silence. Seventeen battalions moved out last Wednesday and Thursday, sixteen of which were from Western and Northern Ontario. The general movement to return commenced at 1 o'clock this afternoon, and at 3:30 the first special reached the camp over the T. & E. lines, bringing with it the 15th Hutton and Dufferin Rifles.

The 10th (Perth) Battalion was the first unit from Western Ontario to arrive, disembarking at 7:45 p.m., followed at 8:30 by the 14th (Grey) Battalion. The Greys paraded to their lines, headed by their band and cheering and being cheered as they marched. From then until nearly 11 p.m., trains continued to arrive, and the men disappeared for the night into the long rows of vacant tents which awaited them.

Held Up at Points.

The Grand Trunk and the Canadian Pacific sevens. On several lines trains were sidetracked and held for over an hour while regular traffic was allowed to pass. The soldiers complained bitterly, and the train crews came in for a lot of badinage. Some trains arrived nearly two hours behind their schedule because of these delays.

Bands in Competition.

The Barrie Agricultural Society has arranged with Major-General Logie to allow the bands at Camp Borden to compete in a competition arranged for the fair on Tuesday, September 19. Already twelve entries have been secured, and it is expected that nearly every band in the camp will play, which will include the 133rd Norfolk, 15th Oxford, 16th Perth, 15th Kitchener, 11st Huron, 14th Greys, 156th Kent, 14th Lambton and the 142nd London's Own bands.

Lieut. John Slater, camp bandmaster, has been asked to be judge, and he will also conduct the military tattoo in the evening.

The Masonic order in Barrie is holding a military evening tomorrow for all members of the order now undergoing training in camp, and a special train will carry them there. A banquet will be given in honor of the veterans, and an elaborate program has been arranged for the entertainment of the soldiers.

New Battalion in Grey.

Lieut.-Col. W. N. Chisholm, officer commanding the 31st Grey Regiment of Owen Sound, has been appointed to command the new 248th Battalion. He has been authorized to commence recruiting in Grey County immediately.

Capt. W. G. Thompson, C. A. D. C., has been promoted to the rank of major, and it is understood that all the other officers of this unit stationed here will be promoted with pay to the rank of captain, thus putting them on the same basis as the C. A. M. C. of the C. A. V. C.

Tomorrow night the 10th Perth is drawn against the 15th Oxford Battalion in bayonet contests, and a red-hot struggle is expected before the title is decided.

The Western Ontario battalions will occupy practically the centre of the arena as far as training goes tomorrow. In the morning the 12nd London's Own and the 14th Lambton Battalions will operate at the miniature musketry range, while in the afternoon the 16th Hurons will enter the school of trench warfare, where they will be opposed by the 17th Niagara Battalion. On Thursday the 10th Perth and the 15th Oxford will be the contending forces entrenched, for which they will be prepared by undergoing their musketry inspection tomorrow. The 133rd Norfolk Battalion scouts will be inspected by the district intelligence officer tomorrow also.

IRISH EGG INDUSTRY GROWS.

DUBLIN, Ireland, Sept. 12.—Official returns show that the Irish egg trade is now amounting to an export of some \$400,000 eggs a year, which is a large increase over ante-bellum years. Everything is being done to foster the industry.

FINE SEND-OFF TO THREE CITY GIRLS GOING OVERSEAS

Returned Soldiers Aid in the
Nurses' Farewell.

GOING AS PROBATIONERS

St. John Ambulance Sisters
Off for War Service in
England.

With the sounds of cheering and the skirl of the bag-pipes in their ears, Miss Marjory Whitaker, Miss Lucy Thompson and Miss Florence Hughes of No. 4 Nursing Division, St. John Ambulance Brigade, left London by the C. P. R. last night for Toronto to join 37 other young women from all parts of Canada who have been chosen to represent the St. John Ambulance Association Canadian brigade overseas as probationers in military hospitals.

Long before train-time, throngs of friends of the popular girls, a large representation of the Returned Soldiers' Association, and patriotic citizens in general were gathered at the station to give a right royal send-off.

Amid laughing and joking, the girls were kept in good spirits, without a second to think about the homes and the friends they were leaving behind them.

"Oh," said one fair uniformed nurse of the division from which the three girls have been selected, "just to think they are going and I have to stay at home."

"Don't I just envy them," said another.

And it was a happily-married little woman who remarked: "I would like to have the chance those girls are getting to do my part."

Returned Soldiers' Make Gift.

The members of the Returned Soldiers' Association showed their good comradeship and gave a tangible expression of their good wishes by presenting to each of the girls a generous box of home-bred goods. Next, Mrs. Swindall, lady superintendent, slipped into the hand of each a tiny box containing a silver thimble, the good-bye gift of the sister emergency nurses of No. 4 division.

Friends, too, pressed around eagerly with words of cheer, and so many gifts, that unless the train had come in soon, the trio would have required the arms of an octopus to carry away all that was bestowed upon them.

As the girls mounted the steps, a cry rang out, "What's the matter with St. John Ambulance Association? Three cheers for the association!"

Immediately after the "tiger," the shouting rang out again, "And the girls, three cheers for the nurses!" This time the trio were going through the tunnel on the train hastened to the doors and windows to see what the row was all about. After that, the Highland Pipe band, and the 21st Battalion again serenaded, and hard on the heels of the wild tunes came the familiar strains of "It's a Long Way to Tipperary."

The returned soldiers were now the center of attention.

"I Want To Go Home."

"Oh, my, I don't want to die, I want to go home, never more to roam," one voice struck up, soon to be drowned out by a chorus in several keys.

"You'll make them homesick, Be quiet," warned Mrs. Swindall.

But her remonstrance had no effect, and still the chorus rang on cheerfully. "I want to go home, I don't want to die; I don't want the Germans to get me; to the amusement of listeners."

Then the train gave some puffs and snorts, and the cheering started all over again. With the queries "What has become of the girls?"

As the last coach drew out, they were discovered standing on the back platform smiling and waving good-bye, and getting their last good look at London and London friends for some time.

It was the Pipes' Band that got in the last word, after which the demonstration was over.

Not only Miss Hughes, Miss Whitaker and Miss Thompson offered their time, their strength and what knowledge they possess for overseas war-time service, but, as well, they are paying a large share of their own expenses, one large item of sacrifice of which the general public is not aware. Under the circumstances, the very least that could be done was to give a royal send-off.

Adds Specimens to Wonderful Exhibit

Park Superintendent Showing Rare Butterflies at Public Library.

Following the display of gorgeous tropical butterflies that has been on exhibition in the public library for a month past, R. V. Smith, city superintendent of parks, has now placed on exhibition specimens of the curious and interesting leaf butterflies known to scientists as kallima inachus, and found in Central India. These are one of the marvels of the insect world, and as shown by Mr. Smith they will puzzle most people. In a large flat case is a branch of tree with dried, shrivelled leaves. Among the leaves there are half a dozen specimens of the kallima, and there are few who will not be puzzled to pick out the one from the other. The disguise of these butterflies is, of course, for protective purposes. On the wing they are swift enough to escape their foes, but if they were equally conspicuous when at rest they would soon be the prey of birds or reptiles. Nature has provided them with a protection of color that baffles their enemies. It is the habit of the species to rest on a twig and among dead or dried leaves. Then, with the wings closed, they have the outline and appearance of a dried-up leaf.

Mr. Smith has his main collections of butterflies in England. They are particularly rich in exotic species, exchange with some of the greatest collectors in the world having enabled him to add wonderful rare species. He has now on the way out from England a selection of specimens of the ornithoptera butterflies, and these will be shown at the library at a later date. In addition to the leaf butterflies now on exhibition there are also displayed some beautiful specimens of the species papilio Hector from Indo-China and also specimens from Assam that show the differences in coloring at the rainy season and the dry season in the tropical climate of this Asiatic country.

Another deputation from Ridout street south asked that a breakwater be constructed south of the bridge to protect them against the encroachments of the river. They explained that the work could be done for \$900, at least sufficient for the time being. City Engineer Brazier estimated that the work would cost \$27,000. Controller Moore took the position that the work could be undertaken this year, and that the expenditure of \$900 would only be a temporary thing at best.

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To Inspect Front Street.

The board of works will visit Front street next week, and report on the necessity for a breakwater there. The residents complain of flooding and damage to property, and the board will see what can be done to remedy the situation.

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HARVEST FESTIVAL APPEAL

BY LONDON SALVATIONISTS

Annual Request for Financial Assistance Being Made.

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NORTH END STREET OPENING EXPLAINED TO ITS OBJECTORS

Board of Works Converts the
Opposing Deputation.

BREAKWATERS WANTED

Ridout Street South and Front
Street Residents Ask
For Them.

The residents in the vicinity of Gordon street, in the North End, which the council proposes to open, appeared before the board of works last night to protest against the arrangement. Controller John M. Moore, at some length, explained what had been done, what the cost would be, and how it would be apportioned, with the result that the objections were withdrawn, and the street will now be opened. The cost of the work is estimated at any of the property owners.

Rev. Father Doyle, Dundas street east, asked for a sewer, and City Engineer Brazier reported that the plans would be ready in two weeks, and the work would be started immediately.

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The First Styles of the Season



As an event of the season, none could be of greater interest than the first complete display of fall millinery, as shown by this store. For many years the leadership in fashionable millinery and ladies' ready-to-wear has been indisputably accorded to this store—and justly so, for we have demanded and secured the most skillful and efficient talent in the country. Intimate connections with Paris and New York sources permit us to show the latest creations copied direct from originals, and many of these are shown in this display.

EXHIBITION VISITORS

are most cordially invited to attend this opening display, the arrangement for which is no small task so early—for as the new things arrive they find many waiting to receive them, and are gone before we really get time to get acquainted with them.

In this week's showing which we have collected from the most important manufacturers, are garments which include apparel that is the last word in designing, and this may be correctly characterized as the real autumn season's opening.

The Fall Coatings in Autumn Display

We are showing a beautiful range of fall and winter coatings at prices which today it would be impossible to duplicate, and would advise our out-of-town customers to send for samples early while present stocks are complete.

FANCY COATINGS, \$1.75—For autumn sport coats or motoring, a fine range of all new designs—small grey checks, dark grey with large overcheck, block check in black and white with tan, plaids in grey and blue, cream and light blue check; these positively cannot be duplicated; 54 inches. Special.....\$1.75 yard

TWEED COATINGS, \$2.50—Dark color effects in mixed tweeds and small check designs, in two shades of grey, also small brown checks; these are suitable for general all-round wear for autumn, winter or spring, and do not require lining; exceptional value considering present quotations from the mills; 54 inches.....\$2.50 yard

PLAID COATINGS, \$2.75—New autumn colorings in medium large patterns for motor or walking coats, 54 inches.....\$2.75 yard

CHECK COATINGS, \$2.25—Lovely soft, fluffy coatings in black and white checks, one of the season's most fashionable for young ladies, three-quarter coats or sport styles, which will be very popular this fall. See these, 54 inches.....\$2.25 yard

SAMPLES MAILED ON REQUEST.

New Shoes in Infants' Wear

Section

We have just opened our fall stock in this department and are now showing all the newest footwear in sizes up to 7½ for the little tots.

In this section you will find every need for baby from head to foot and children up to 3 years old, all assembled in one easy little section for your convenient selection.

Child's High-Cut Dressy Shoe, made of best patent leather, high button top of soft white calfskin, flexible soles and spring heels; sizes 2½ to 7. Price.....\$2.25 pair

Little Boys' Tan Lace Shoe, made of box calfskin, large brass eyelets, spring heel and flexible soles. Price.....\$1.65 pair

Baby's Soft-Sole Shoes, in black, tan and white kid; sizes 1 to 3 years. Prices.....50c and 65c pair

SECOND FLOOR.

AFTERNOON LUNCH—3 to 5:30—Cold Roast Beef, Potato Salad, Buttered Rolls and Cup of Tea or Coffee, 25c.

Bulgarian Forces.

The Bulgarian forces of the Korytza-Florina-Vodena front amount to twelve regiments of infantry supported by three Prussian regiments of artillery and engineers, a total of 60,000 men. The line which they occupy begins at Dogradich, on Lake Ochrida, passes the Korytza-Monastir high road, reaches Nacoleth and ends in the mountains at Morhovo. On the other side of the mountains it descends to Balovo. The fortified parts of this line are the Peristeri slopes, looking toward the Florina-Monastir road, and the heights dominating the Erigone Passes toward Morhovo.

On the third front the Bulgarians occupy a line passing above Touman and on to Guevgheli, Doiran and Rupil and inclining toward Demir-Hissar. This line is continued onward on the Telenged and Sarliga mountains, and this part is entrusted to 130,000 men, supported by 12,000 comitadjis. The Bulgarian forces on this front amount to 130,000 men, supported by 12,000 Prussians. Bulgaria cannot increase this number, the remainder of her army being indispensable for operations on the Rumanian front.

Constantine to Lead.

The Greek army, operating on interior lines, and supplied freely from the sea, could take successful action against this entire force, the Greek advocates of the suggestion of handling the campaign over to the care of King Constantine meantime.

King Constantine, although he has suffered during the summer from the colts and fillets foaled in 1914.

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SECOND FLOOR.

Thursday's Candy Special, 21c Box

200 pound boxes of Fresh Chocolates (mixed), nine varieties in each box. Fair week special for Thursday only.....1c box

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HURRY ON CAPTURES

NEWMARKET STAKES

Newmarket, England, Sept. 13.—The Newmarket September stakes, a substitute for the St. Leger Stakes of 6,500 sovereigns, was run here today and won by Hurry On. Clarissimus was second and Atheling finished third. Five horses ran over the St. Leger course, a distance of about one mile, six furlongs and 132 yards. The race was for entire colts and fillies foaled in 1914.

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