

RECRUITING DROPS BELOW AVERAGE

Only Forty-Nine Men Volunteer for Active Service at Depots.

HOLD MIMIC BATTLE

Eighty-Four Engage in Field Exercises at Cedarvale.

Recruiting for overseas men in Toronto yesterday was barely up to the average. During the day 84 volunteers were examined at the depot by the doctors, and of this number 49 were accepted and taken on the strength of the various units. The standing of the battalions is as follows: Mississauga, 872; Canadian Buffs, 904; Toronto Light Infantry, 881; Beavers, 850; Irish-Canadians, 722; Bantams, 615.

Fifty men are needed for the Sportsmen's Battalion. Chauffeurs and horse drivers are wanted at once by the depot in a draft overseas shortly. Two troops for the headquarters staff at Niagara are also asked for.

The weekly parade of the 48th Regiment was held last night. The regiment formed up at the armories, and after a brief drill marched out under command of Lt.-Col. Darling.

WAR SUMMARY

THE DAY'S EVENTS REVIEWED

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1918, which has not yet been warned in Germany. He may have the material left, in his judgment, for one more throw.

The main German effort on the Meuse yesterday took the shape of a heavy local attack on the French trenches on the approach to Fort Douaumont. It was repulsed by infantry and machine gun fire. The Germans suffered heavy losses in this action.

Mining operations again loomed up as the principal activity on the British front yesterday with the blowing up of a large mine at Fricourt by underground operations in the Loos salient. In two minor affairs the British came off best. They raided German trenches at Mametz and main German covering party in No Man's Land on the northern flank of the Ypres salient and drove it back helter-skelter to its trenches. A great deal of artillery bombardments are proceeding at many places, including Thiéval, Monchy, Vimy ridge, between Neville St. Vaast and Souchez, and in the St. Eloi sector. British long-range guns dispersed a large German working party opposite Serre.

Russia reports that on the Caucasus front the military situation is unchanged. It will probably be found that the forward sweep of the Muscovite armies has been retarded by the coming of the spring rainy season in those regions. That spell is followed by a warm and early summer. The chief worthy of the name. This breathing time will be probably utilized to the best advantage in constructing highways to feed the armies with men and supplies. It will soon be possible, if the allied high command so decides, to strike at the heart of the Moslem power. That centre lies in the central plateau of Asia Minor, which is the granary of Turkey. It contains a population of 8,000,000 Turks and it lies west of Sivas. The Russian army has defended the stronghold of their dominion by holding the line at Kerasaund Shubin Karahissar-Karabul Dag, southeast of Sivas. The tradition of the Russian advance has long hung over Turkey.

Stirred up most probably by German agents, the Sultan of Darfur took the field against the British in the Sudan at the head of 3000 men. These were defeated with a loss of 1000 men. The British losses were five killed and 23 wounded. The sultan fled with a small number of followers. It is said that the attitude of this ruler has been truculent for some time towards the Soudanese Government.

Gen. Smuts reports from German East Africa that troops under his command have occupied three localities without resistance. These are Ruwu Lager and Lembeni and Ngulu and they are important strategic positions on the Kabe Railway and a pass between the northern and central Pare mountain groups. In the Konda, Irangi area, where the Germans suffered a severe check on May 9 and 11, there are reports of renewed hostile activity. In Ruanda the German forces are in retreat before the converging Belgian columns.

HAMILTON BATTALIONS TO ARRIVE NEXT WEEK

Niagara Camp Continues to Grow Notwithstanding Rumors of Withdrawal of Troops.

SIXTY-FIVE IN HOSPITAL

Minor Complaints Make Up Majority of Camp Illnesses.

Special to The Toronto World. NIAGARA CAMP, May 26.—Notwithstanding rumors of troops being taken away from here rather than more coming in, it was learned on good authority tonight that two Hamilton battalions have been ordered to Niagara Camp, and will be here next week.

Today a route march was held to Queenston led by Lieut.-Col. Bickford, and the troops returned to camp in splendid shape after 12 or 13 miles tramp. Weather was cool and everything ideal for route march.

Gen. Logie stated today that about 5000 men at least would be kept here for the summer after Camp Sorden is opened about Dominion Day. The general will review all troops in camp at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning, and at 2 there will be music by all bands in camp massed.

Sixty-five in Hospital. Tonight sixty-five men are confined to hospital; one is suspected of having meningitis and has been isolated. Tonhillitis, measles and colds are the other causes of complaints.

Monday boards of examiners will meet at Hamilton and St. Catharines to examine into qualifications of non-coms of 120th and 176th battalions respectively.

Taken On Strength. Lieuts. E. Bolduc and J. M. Jackson are announced a staken on strength of No. 2 C.B.A.S.C. training depot, Lieut. T. G. Appleton, 2nd Battalion, is detailed to the bombing school, Toronto, and Capt. H. A. Semple, C.A.D.C., is detailed for duty on dental department No. 2 district.

Major George Edward Blake Bergy of St. Catharines, who lost an eye at Langemark and could not go with the 81st Battalion on account of this, is to be employed as instructor of duty in M. D. No. 2, with pay and allowance of rank in C. E. F.

Appointments. Appointment of officers to the 15th Field Artillery Brigade, C. E. F., approved provisionally. To be brigaded adjutant with temporary rank of captain, Lieut. Edward Farnham, 98th Battery, C. F. A., 48th Depot Battery, C. E. F. Brigade orderly officer, Lieut. William Pate, 48th Battery, C. F. A., 48th Depot Battery, C. E. F.

Have Youthful Hair

Gray Hair Will No Longer Rob You of Your Youthful Looks If You Try This Simple Home Recipe.

If your hair has begun to turn gray or has faded, hasten its appearance back to its natural color by using this home recipe which is neither expensive nor difficult to prepare. In a pint of water mix these ingredients, to be had at any drug store:

- 1/2 oz. Bay Rum
1 oz. Compound
1 small box of Mlle. Santal's hair cream

Apply once a day until the hair is darkened, then once every two weeks will be sufficient. Be sure the drugstore guarantee will give the same good results.

A Real Flesh Builder For Thin People

Thin men and women—that big hearty, filling dinner you ate last night. What became of all the fat-producing nourishment it contained? You haven't gained in weight one ounce. That food passed through your body like unburned coal through an open grate. The material was there, but your food doesn't work and stick, and the plain truth is you hardly get enough nourishment from your meals to pay for the cost of cooking. This is true of thin folks the world over. Your nutritive organs, your functions of assimilation are probably sadly out of gear and need reconstruction.

Cut out the foolish food, and tummy ailments, and eat with every one of those simple Sargol tablets. In two weeks note the difference. Let the scales be the judge. Five to eight good solid pounds of healthy "extra" fat may be the net result. Sargol is a charge weak, money-burning, making material in your food to every part of your body. Sargol, too, mixes with your food, so you have the blood in an easily assimilated form. This new food element, known as Sargol, is a careful combination of six of the most valuable elements known to chemistry. They come in 10 tablets to a package, are pleasant, harmless and inexpensive, and all you have to do is take one or two with your meals, and you are guaranteed weight increase or money back as found in every large package. If you find a druggist who is unable to supply you, send him the name of the registered letter to the National Laboratories, 74 St. Antoine street, Montreal, and complete Sargol treatment will be sent you postpaid in plain wrapper.

DANCED FOR THE BANTAMS

Five Thousand People in Arena at Bantams' Great Entertainment.

BIG CABARET CLOSURE IN WHIRL OF DANCES

Marked by even greater success than was attained Thursday night, the "New York Cabaret" at the Arena under the auspices of the 216th Bantams Battalion, closed last night in a whirl of dances and entertainment. Approximately five thousand people were present.

The cheers and applause of the audience followed the conclusion of all the special dances, which were given by the New York cabaret dancers. Mlle. Santal again captivated the crowd with oriental dances, and the plain truth is you hardly get enough nourishment from your meals to pay for the cost of cooking. This is true of thin folks the world over. Your nutritive organs, your functions of assimilation are probably sadly out of gear and need reconstruction.

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hope the I.W.W. will have the best luck, and send their sincere wishes.

HEROES COMMEMORATE BATTLE OF FESTUBERT

First Church Parade of Returned Soldiers' Association Sunday.

The Toronto District Returned Soldiers Association will hold its first church parade tomorrow morning at 10.30 to St. John's Church, Port Hope.

All returned men are requested to meet in front of the church at 10.15. The parade will be under the command of Reg. Sergt.-Major Rowe-Whitton, previously of the 20th Battalion, president of the Returned Soldiers' Association. The service is the anniversary of the battle of Festubert.

PUBLIC THOROFARES AS CHILDREN'S PLAYGROUND

"The streets and public thorofares of Eastcourt will be the only playgrounds for the children of the district unless a park site is quickly secured," said Rev. Peter Bryce, pastor of Central Methodist Church, Annet avenue, to The World yesterday.

For the past two years he has been under the command of Reg. Sergt.-Major Rowe-Whitton, previously of the 20th Battalion, president of the Returned Soldiers' Association. The service is the anniversary of the battle of Festubert.

RATEPAYERS MEET TO APPOINT TRUSTEE

Ratepayers of school section No. 23, York Township, met in George Syme School, Scarlett Plains, last night to appoint a trustee in place of W. H. Cross.

Seven candidates were nominated, but only two stood for election. F. Crawford, who was chairman, also acted as returning officer.

When a standing vote was taken Jan. Garshaw, secretary of the township school board, was elected by a majority of four votes over his opponent, Andrews. E. Reynolds upset the election by demanding a vote by ballot, which he won. She was taken to the hospital in an unconscious condition, and is not expected to recover.

SEIZED WITH FIT MAY NOT RECOVER

While working on Royce avenue last evening, Annie Laughton, 27, of 127 Laughton avenue, was seized with an epileptic fit and collapsed, falling into a hole in the sidewalk.

She was taken to the hospital in an unconscious condition, and is not expected to recover.

Wonderful Skin and Wrinkle Removers

The method of removing bad complexion by absorption seems to have come into general use in this country. Ordinary mercurized wax, applied nightly like cold cream and erased-mornings with warm water, gradually removes the coarse, faded or discolored outer film.

No cosmetic or artificial treatment can possibly produce a complexion of such radiant, youthful loveliness. Druggists all have mercurized wax; it is seldom that more than one ounce is necessary. Thousands have also reported success with the famous axolotl wrinkle-removing formula. One ounce of pure powdered axolotl is dissolved in a half-pint of soft water and the solution used as a face wash. The effect is almost magical. The deepest wrinkles and crow's feet, as well as the finest lines, disappear