

## SUPPLY COMPANY BEING FORMED.

Some of Our Former Officers will go to Second Tank Battalion.

The formation of a Canadian Tank Supply Depot and Canadian Tank Supply Company marks another step towards the completion of a Canadian Tank Brigade, which Major-General Mewburn, Minister of Militia and Defence, announced some time ago would soon be a reality.

The men for these two units have been drawn from two sources. There are about 220 men from the Royal North-West Mounted Police on the strength of the new depot, and in addition about

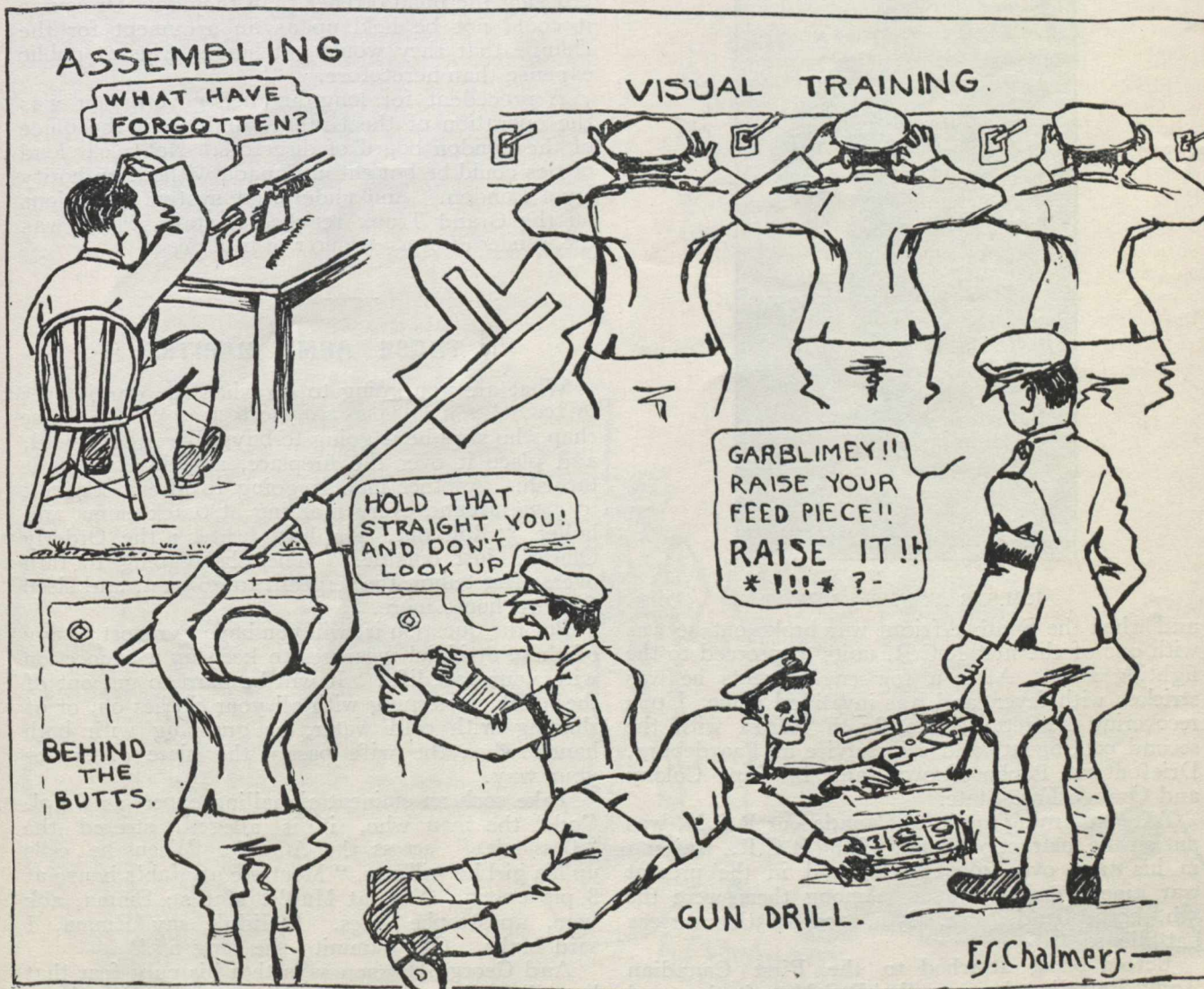
60 men who were transferred from our own battalion.

The men will be divided into two groups. The first group will form the Canadian Tank Supply Company, which will be trained as a Tank unit, and will go to France to act as supply Company when the Canadian Tanks go into action. Major P. H. Smith, an original 19th Battalion Officer, who is in temporary command of the depot, will be O.C. of the new Supply Company.

The remainder of the men will form the nucleus of a re-inforcing depot for the 1st, 2nd, and 3rd Canadian Tank Battalions. The O.C. of this Supply Depot has not yet been appointed.

There are a number of officers, formerly with our Battalion, attached to the depot, but many of these will be given appointments in the 2nd Tank Battalion.

The Adjutant of the Tank Depot is Lieut. C. S. Jones, who came overseas with the 48th Highlanders Battalion in the First Contingent.



MACHINE GUNS.