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REVIEW AT ALDERSHOT AND EXCURSION

Duke of Connaught to Inspect Troops on Saturday

On Friday an opportunity will be given all sections on the railways between Halifax, Truro, Lunenburg and as far west as Yarmouth to visit Camp Aldershot. On that day the military authorities have arranged so that the relatives of the thousands of young men in camp may come and witness their noble boys in all kinds of drill and manoeuvres and see the tented city at Aldershot. This is an opportunity at a very low railway fare for all to visit their boys in camp before their departure overseas.

On Friday after the arrival of the special trains from East and West there will be a grand review and march past of the Highland Brigade, the 97th and others in camp. Visitors will have an opportunity of seeing thousands of soldiers on parade, at drill and other activities of camp life. The panorama of tents, the buildings and equipments and the opportunity of seeing the camp routine of a soldier will be an experience which many will want to see.

The various brass and reed bands including bagpipes, fife and drums of the various battalions will be called into play giving the spectators a series of concerts in martial, popular and symphonic music such as they never may have the privilege of witnessing or hearing again.

Announcement of the visit of the Duke of Connaught on Saturday will be given in Friday's issue.

MILITARY NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Smith and daughter, Margaret, of Halifax, spent the week end at Aldershot.

Mrs. Van Horne, wife of Major Van Horne, is, we regret to say, ill at her home in Yarmouth.

Before many weeks it is expected the Highland Brigade will be sent overseas and other battalions will be placed and re-

Captain Tupper, Chaplain of the 193rd Battalion, who was ill last week was able to deliver a fine address at the open air service of the Y. M. C. A., Main St., Sunday evening.

From N. S. Highlander.

Major E. K. Eaton reported on the 16th of August and entered upon his duties as Brigade Major. Major Eaton served fourteen years with the R. C. R. and went overseas with that regiment, remaining with them in France till transferred to the staff of the 9th Canadian Brigade. While convalescing from the fever he received orders to return to Canada and take over his present work.

Major Eaton's two brothers are now at the front, Colonel D. I. V. Eaton, commanding Brigade of Field Artillery and Major R. B. Eaton, second in command of the 50th.

The badge that is worn by the boys of the 97th is of a design that is of particular interest to Canadians. The design shows the Washington coat of arms on the maple leaf. The Washington coat of arms of course is English in origin and it is noteworthy that it should be now united with the maple leaf as the design of the 97th Battalion that is going to fight side by side with Canadians.

Mrs. Katherine B. Norman of Jacksonville, Florida, is a frequent visitor at Aldershot Camp, having come to see her son, Pte Earl R. Norman, 97th Battn.

LUMBERMEN WANTED FOR OVERSEAS BATTALION.

Nova Scotia lumbermen are wanted for overseas service. Many are already serving in the 224th Forestry Battalion, and now another company is needed. Lieut. S. Downer, of the 219th Battalion, Nova Scotia Highland Brigade, is being transferred from that unit to the 242 Forestry Battalion. He will assist in recruiting the company in Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island. Lieut. Downer plans to visit the various lumbering centres of the Province and will personally interview the lumbermen. There will be 250 men in the company, all officers and non-commissioned officers being from Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island, according to plans outlined by Mr. Downer and Lieut. Col. White, who is to command the battalion.

One description of the Forestry Battalion and the duties assigned to it says, "Included in the men they are after blacksmiths, checkers, and woods and mill foremen, teamsters, rotary sawyers, engineers and chauffeurs. They are particularly after men of the trade. The members of the unit will be able to go forward with a minimum of drill, their work being for the most part some distance behind the lines and with a minimum of military discipline."

The object of having these battalions is to employ trained woodmen to cut down the oak groves and forests of France. These world famous groves, standing for generations and one of the glories of the old land must go to do their share in winning the war. The present Canadian Forestry Battalion is now employed in the great Windsor forest, cutting down the trees and with their mill, a portable structure, converting trees into railway sleepers and board at the rate of anything from 75,000 to 100,000 board feet a day.

These lumbermen's battalions are considered to offer the lumbermen of Nova Scotia an enviable opportunity to do their bit for the country at this time. It is confidently expected that no time will be lost before the company from Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island will be complete.

MAJOR MARGESON IN ONTARIO

Major J. W. Margeson, M.P.P., Lunenburg County, was one of the Speakers at Hamilton, Ontario, to the draft from the C. M. R. Battalion, which left that City a few days ago.

He emphasized the importance of every soldier being given all the practical work possible and stated that in his opinion, "Camp Borden is an excellent place for carrying on this kind of training." He had spent some days there, and while the weather was very hot, and the dust on certain windy days rather disagreeable, yet he declared that the feeling of dissatisfaction among certain of the Regiments there had died away. Major Margeson is visiting the various Military Districts in Canada, giving instruction to the several overseas units in the matter overseas Pay and Records. He obtained practical knowledge of this work while paymaster and Assistant Adjutant in the 25th Battalion.

The Major's health has greatly improved of late and he hopes before long to be again able to return overseas. He is now at Camp Niagara.

Robert Hopkins, the National Superintendent of Bible Schools of the A. C. M. Society will speak in the Christian Church, Port Williams, on Wednesday evening, Aug. 23rd at 7.30 o'clock. All interested in the work are invited. Silver collection.

Mrs. Doane, wife of Major Doane, of Halifax has taken rooms near Aldershot and will reside here during the stay of the Battalion in Camp.

Visit Nova Scotia's Great City of Tents

Aldershot

FRIDAY, Aug. 25th

GRAND REVIEW MARCH PAST

A series of splendid military spectacles.

Hear the famous Bands of the Highland Brigade.

FROM POINTS WEST OF KENTVILLE

Special Train leaves Kingsport 11.33 a. m., Fare 55c; Auburn 11.43 a. m., 75c; Aylesford 11.48 a. m., 65c; Berwick, 12.00 noon, 45c; Waterville, 12.07 p. m., 35c; Cambridge, 12.13 p. m., 30c; Coldbrook 12.19 p. m., 25c, Returning, Special Train leaves Aldershot 6.30 p. m.

FROM POINTS EAST OF KENTVILLE

Travel to Aldershot by Regular Trains, Mail Express No. 95 and "Bluenose Limited" No. 123. Fares from Hantsport 65c, Avonport 50c, Horton Landing 45c, Grand Pre 30c, Wolfville 30c, Port Williams 25c. Return on Special leaving Aldershot 9.00 p. m.

FROM CORNWALLIS VALLEY BRANCH AND PARSBORO

S.S. "Prince Albert" leaves Parrsboro 7.30 a. m. Fare \$1.25. Leave Kingsport 1.15 p. m., 45c, Canning 1.25 p. m., 35c, Hillaton 1.35 p. m., 35c; Sheffield Mills 1.45 p. m., 25c, Centreville, 1.55 p. m., 15c, Mill Village 2.05 p. m., 10c, Arrive Aldershot 2.10 p. m. Returning, train leaves Aldershot 7.15 p. m. S.S. "Prince Albert" sails from Kingsport 8.00 p. m.

TWO LIGHT CRUISERS SUNK BY GERMANS

Enemy Lost Two Submarines.

London, Aug. 20.—The presence in the North Sea of a German squadron of some fifteen warships, including large cruisers is reported by trawlers armed at Ymuiden, Holland, a Reuter despatch from that point says. The squadron was sighted early yesterday morning in the region of White Bank, and was accompanied by two Zeppelins. It was taking a north-westerly course.

Two British light cruisers the Nottingham and Falmouth, were sunk Saturday in the North Sea by German submarines while the vessels were searching for the German high seas fleet, according to an official announcement issued by the admiralty by the British, while another was rammed and possibly sunk according to the statement, which follows:

"Reports from our lookout squadron and other units showed that there was considerable activity on the part of the enemy in the North Sea, Saturday, the 19th.

"The German high sea fleet came out, but learning from their scouts that the British forces were in considerable strength the enemy avoided an engagement, and returned to port.

"In searching for the enemy we lost two cruisers by submarine attacks—H. M. S. Nottingham, Captain C. B. Miller, and H. M. S. Falmouth, Captain John Edwards.

"All the officers of the former were saved, but 38 of the crew are missing. All the officers and men of the Falmouth were saved, but one leading stoker, Norman Frick died of injuries.

"An enemy submarine was destroyed, and another was rammed and possibly sunk.

There is no truth in the German statement that a British destroyer was sunk and a British battleship, damaged."

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Monday and Tuesday Special Pathe Comedy and 2 reel Drama—"The Tomboy"

Wednesday and Thursday Max Figman and Lois Meredith in 5 Act Comedy Drama "MY BEST GIRL"—Another Metro Success.

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F. G. BURGESS, Captain 5th Pioneers Telephone 82-25 CENTREVILLE, N. S.

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C. O. COOK & SON, Waterville, June 25, 1916.

New Music at 5, 10, and 15c Store Aberdeen St. Opposite Post Office

"Along the Rocky Road to Dublin,"

"I was a Dreamer Too."

"Cumberland"

"Is there Still Room for Me Neath the Old Apple Tree."

"All Aboard for 'Chinatown'."

"Good Bye, Good Luck, Good Bless You."

"What a Wonderful Mother You'd be."

And numerous others. Also large stock of Patriotic Songs and Music.