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(For week ending 16th August, 1941)

ARMY1. (a) STRENGTH (Active Army)

Strength of the Canadian Army (Active) as at 2400 hours 9th August, 1941, was as follows: (Figures in brackets are those of previous report).

(CANADA)

Mobile Forces (3rd and 4th Divs. and Ancillary Tps.)	26,619	(27,633)
H.Q. Armd. Corps & 5th Cdn.(Armd.) Division	13,502	(13,384)
District Depots (Staffs & Reinforcements)..	5,820	(5,812)
District Depots (New Units & other personnel	11,037	(11,042)
N.D.H.Q. and District H.Q. Staffs	658	(660)
Detachments H.W.F.	7,997	(8,009)
Veterans Guard of Canada	6,550	(6,579)
Coast Defence and A.A.	14,481	(17,464)
Internment Camps (Staff)	388	(363)
Permanent Hospital Installations	2,095	(1,969)
Troops in Transit	--	(--)
Miscellaneous (incl. unallotted Inf. Bns.)	8,536	(5,444)
Training Centres (Staffs & Reinforcements)	38,980	(37,711)
	<u>136,663</u>	<u>(136,070)</u>

(OVERSEAS)

Troops Overseas	90,627	(91,215)
Canadian Military Headquarters	743	(714)
	<u>228,033</u>	<u>(227,999)</u>

(b) STRENGTH (N.R.M.A. "R" Recruits)

In training	12,414	(12,587)
Employed (C.D. etc. Units)	1,611	(1,483)
	<u>14,025</u>	<u>(14,070)</u>

2. CORPS AND ARMY TROOPS

(a) The formation of one additional Company, Canadian Dental Corps, has been authorized to augment the service to Corps and Army Troops Overseas now being provided by No. 3 Company, C.D.C. The Company will be raised in Canada from Home War Establishments.

(b) Authority has been granted to form No. 3 Despatch Rider Section Overseas instead of in Canada, to provide a unit now required overseas. Personnel already enlisted in Canada will be disposed of by posting to 4th Divisional Signals.

3. SIGNALS(a) Atlantic Command Radio Stations

The new Radio Station at St. John's, Newfoundland, was opened officially on 30th July, 1941, and is now a unit of the Canadian Army Radio System.