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The Base Battalion is now up to within fifty of being full strength, and so that both the men and officers may be given the full benefits of training the Base has been put upon a battalion basis. The officers who are taking the Provisional School of Infantry Course are attached to the Base Battalion while in the camp, and Lieut.-Col. Fee has given each one a platoon to command so that he will receive better training being under the responsibility of taking charge of certain numbers of men. An orderly officer will be selected for each day and he will be required to make the rounds and be in full charge of all the detail work.

The idea of assigning the provisional officers to different platoons is considered a splendid plan. At the end of six weeks when the course finishes and the officers have received their complete instruction and been examined, the Base Battalion will be ready as an overseas unit.

The officers of the Base Battalion are: Lieut.-Col. Fee, O.C.; Lieut. H. B. McConnell, adjutant; Lieut. E. C. Brandon, acting quartermaster.

"A" Company—Capt. Crawford, O.C.; Lieut. A. G. Scott, S.C.; Lieut. H. B. MacGregor, No. 1 platoon; Lieut. L. B. Tapsen, No. 2 platoon; Lieut. G. C. Talbot, No. 3 platoon; Lieut. B. H. Richardson, No. 4 platoon; Lieut. H. M. Wannamaker and Lieut. K. C. Graves supernumeraries.

"B" Company—Capt. T. Trousdale, O.C.; Lieut. H. T. Hill, S.C.; Lieut. B. M. Morris, No. 5 platoon; Lieut. S. J. M. Compton, No. 6 platoon; Lieut. A. Payton, No. 7 platoon; Lieut. R. J. Rogers, No. 8 platoon; Lieut. W. G. W. Robinson, supernumerary.

"C" Company—Capt. Sutcliffe, O.C.; Lieut. G. R. Rogers, S.C.; Lieut. T. L. Eicher, No. 9 platoon; Lieut. J. A. Horton, No. 10 platoon; Lieut. E. Carron, No. 11 platoon; Lieut. C. J. Kane, No. 12 platoon; Lieut. G. A. Gerald, supernumerary.

"D" Company—Lieut. Kennedy, O.C.; Lieut. H. A. L. McDonald, S.C.; Lieut. H. Reymes, No. 13 platoon; Lieut. E. Malbon, No. 14 platoon; Lieut. E. M. Gladney, No. 15 platoon.

Owing to the fact that the Base Battalion is composed of even the rawest recruits the training at present for most of the squads is of the most elementary kind. In a few weeks the training can be made advanced and battalion parades will be possible. The material in the battalion and the officers expect no difficulty in making this battalion a credit to the camp.

The men who came to the city from the 46th Regiment, Lindsay, a few days ago had their red coats changed to the regimental khaki and were drilling with the remainder of the base on Thursday. They are certainly a fine looking bunch and should prove splendid soldiers after a short time drilling.

Lieut. P. L. Barber, 16th Regiment, Lieut. J. C. Burgess, 43rd Regiment, D.C.O.R. are attached to the 38th Battalion for instruction and duty.

Col. Spenceley, 8th C.M.R., was taken to the Kingston General Hospital on Thursday afternoon, owing to an attack of appendicitis.

Twenty-four recruits for the 7th Artillery Brigade arrived in camp on Wednesday and were given their first drilling on Thursday. The 7th Brigade is now almost up to strength with about 425 men. On Thursday afternoon the brigade was given driving drill in the field across the road from the camp. Eleven guns are in use and after the day's work is finished these are lined up in the gun-park in front of the brigade headquarters. The artillery camp is splendidly situated, being at the extreme west end of the camp grounds. It is one of the prettiest places in the camp and the lines of horses between the lines of guns and the row of guns in the foreground make a war-like scene.

The 25th Battery lines are at the west side of the grounds, the 26th being in the centre and the ammunition Column at the west end near the bush. The headquarters staff has its tents at the eastern side and facing the gun-park.

There are fourteen officers attached to the 7th Brigade for instruction and duty, the authorities evidently appreciating the splendid opportunity for instruction offered. The officers of the Brigade from Col. Stewart to the subalterns are highly qualified and efficient, and will prove one of the best to leave Canada for the front. The drafting of fifty men for immediate overseas, demoralized the brigade to a certain extent, but with the recruits coming

in its will not be very long before the work is again being conducted as well as before the draft was chosen.

There were 3,168 men of all ranks in camp on Thursday.

The camp post-office which is being looked after by Sergt. Walker, C. P. C., of the Post Office Inspector's office, Toronto. He is ably assisted by two other members of the Canadian Postal Corps. In former military camps, the post office was an insignificant part of the camp organization. As almost all of the men in camp at Barriefield are training for service overseas, the mail is much heavier than in previous years. All of the friends of the men are keeping up a steady correspondence as in a great many cases the men will not have a chance to see their relatives and friends before they leave for England.

It is estimated that over 4,000 pieces of mail matter arrive in the camp every day, and every piece within at the most an hour's time is delivered to the men if they are not on parade. If on parade the mail is delivered to the orderly tents of the companies and they can call for it there as soon as released from duty.

The camp office is a small building opposite to the office of the A. D. C. S. and T. and from that building all the mail matter both incoming and outgoing is handled. In this building the mail is sorted into different bags from each unit and twice a day the transport call and deliver these bags to their destination. Twice a day also the mail is collected. At every orderly room tent and also in other convenient places, there are collection boxes and on each is the time at which it is collected.

As the Militia Y. M. C. A. supplies writing paper, envelopes and writing utensils free, there is no excuse for every man in camp not writing to his friends, and by the volume of mail matter that comes out of the camp and is delivered in camp every day the men are proving that they appreciate these privileges.

A number of officers of the 39th Belleville Battalion, are taking advantage of the chance for instruction at Barriefield Camp.

Lieut.-Col. W. G. Ketcheson, O. C., 49th Regiment, Belleville, was in camp on Thursday afternoon.

The 38th Battalion was engaged in open order work on the field at the east end of the camp on Thursday afternoon. A number of recruits, who were taken on the strength just before the battalion left Ottawa, have shown that they understand the drills enough and were given the more advanced battalion detail work on Thursday. The officers are highly pleased with the interest being taken by the men in learning the work and the progress being made.

Barriefield Camp is an ideal camp for battalion work, which is being carried on now under conditions entirely different from those in Ottawa.

Lieut. J. Glass, assistant adjutant, is in Ottawa.

Major Thompson, assistant to the G. S. O., is giving lectures to the officers attending the P. S. I. A marquee has been erected near the administration building for the purpose.

There will be two baseball and two soccer games at the camp on Saturday afternoon. In baseball the 25th Battery and Ammunition Column will meet the 38th Battalion and the 26th Battery will play the Base Battalion. In soccer the Base Battalion will contest with the 38th and the 26th and 25th Batteries will have a go.

To-night's athletic events are running high jump and standing broad jump.

Fine athletic grounds are being fitted up near the C.M.R. line. It will be oval. About seventy-five men are busy every day getting the grounds in shape under the direction of Queen's Engineers.

A paper chase will be pulled off on Saturday at 3.30 p.m. for both fast and slow packs.

The 7th Brigade will put on a fine concert at the Y.M.C.A. on Saturday evening. Splendid talent is found in the brigade.

Tete de Post Barracks Notes

The second driving drill for the recruits of "C" Battery was held on Friday morning to Barriefield commons, where the battery was engaged in manoeuvres for the instruction of the new men.

On Monday, June 28th, the class for cadets will open and already preparations are being made. It has been decided that "C" Battery will remain in barracks until after this course.

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A representative of the Whig interviewed several members of the Frontenac Cheese Board, at their meeting on Thursday afternoon, and the consensus of opinion was that while the hay crop would be light, due to the cold weather of last month, the grain crop would be the best in many years.

One member, who recently drove from Kingston to Ottawa, stated that the grain crop in this district would be excellent, but that the cold weather had been a drawback to the hay, and that the crop would be light.

"The rain has put things in fine shape," said one farmer. "In two weeks time you will not know the country around Kingston. Everything is growing fine."

This is indeed most encouraging news, in view of the great campaign this year for increased production.

VERY FEW BOAT RACES

Will Take Place in the Harbor This Season.

The annual motor-boat and sailing-boat races which have each year been carried out by the local Yacht Club are to a certain extent to be eliminated this season owing to the war. Some of the yachtsmen have already gone to the front, while others will be shortly leaving.

Dr. J. J. Harty will confine his energies this year to his old reliable "Mutt Jr." R. S. Waldron, who captured the Col. Staples trophy last season, is determining that Kingston will retain this honor, and a new defender has been purchased. It is likely the Yankees will have to come into Kingston waters to challenge for this trophy.

Kidds at the Front.
Major G. E. Kidd and Dr. C. B. Kidd, both of the Derry, are with No. 5 Stationary Hospital, recruited from Queen's University, and now stationed at Shorncliffe, England. Major Kidd, who is Professor of Anatomy at Queen's, is one of the ten officers attached to this unit. His wife is a nursing sister attached to the same hospital and is now in France. Dr. C. B. Kidd left a house surgery in New York to join the unit and is chief medical sergeant. His sister Miss Jean Kidd is now in Belgium attached to a Red Cross Corps under Dr. Armstrong of Montreal.

Trevor Maguire, Carleton Place, has been awarded the Distinguished Conduct Medal for bravery on the field at the Battle of Ypres.

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