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NEWS ABOUT TROOPS QUARTERED IN CITY

There is a movement on foot to organize a base unit of supply in the city to take care of the large numbers of overseas recruits. The base would be used for surplus soldiers who would be drafted into other units as needed. This does not mean necessarily that the recruits would be drafted into infantry units but as far as possible they would be sent to the unit that they care to choose, whether it be infantry, artillery or mounted rifles.

There are too many artillerymen in the city for the batteries, and even with taking the draft of 300 men away in a few weeks, everyone of the batteries will be over strength. The Drydock Barracks is built to accommodate 537 men, and yet over 700 are sleeping there every night. The men sleep on the floors and in the bunks and although they are all satisfied, there is no reason why more accommodation should not be provided for the increased number.

There was a suggestion that recruiting should be stopped for a while. Every man of military experience knows that this would be the worst possible thing to do. Once the organized machinery of recruiting is stopped, if only a day, the effect is felt for a long time afterwards. For two days it was stopped a few months after the war broke out, and it took over six weeks to bring the result up to normal again.

Every man who offers himself and is accepted must be taken on and put into a unit so that he can be trained for overseas service. The officers of the 32nd, 33rd and 34th and "C" Batteries are working to train every man in the best possible way. The men are quartered in crowded places, and this fact alone has a detrimental effect on the training.

If a base unit of supply was authorized for here, as in Toronto and other centres, all recruits could come into the base, be uniformed, attested after medical examination and given elementary training until a vacancy occurred in an organized unit. Quarters could be arranged for very easily as there are a number of places in the city that the Department has in view.

Something has got to be done and done immediately to relieve the situation. The Militia authorities are working on the case and an announcement will likely be made in the near future to see what arrangement can be made.

The cooking for the 700 men at the Drydock Barracks is a big proposition which is being well handled. Gunner Hogg to date has been in charge but as he is going overseas on a draft, Gunner Moore, who was cook in the 26th Battery, has taken charge of the work. Two men from each of the batteries are his assistants.

Lieut. Am. D.S.I., gave a lecture to the signallers of the batteries on Tuesday.

On Thursday afternoon, the 34th Battery was paraded in front of the Drydock Barracks and Major Mansel called for volunteers for the draft. With the exception of a few recruits, who were not sufficiently trained for the work, every man volunteered. The officers then made the selection, choosing only the very best men, the men who have shown by their application to the work that they would make good fighters and uphold the splendid reputation of the 34th Battery at the front.

Lieut. Webster, 34th Battery, was Barrack Orderly Officer on Tuesday.

Gunner W. G. Hayes, 32nd Battery who had his foot badly scalded, was removed to the General Hospital on Tuesday for treatment.

Capt. Strothers, who brought thirty-nine men for the 32nd Battery from Ottawa, returned on Tuesday afternoon. The men he brought are of a splendid type and will prove a credit to Major McKenzie's battery.

Major S. A. McKenzie, 32nd Battery had his men harnessing and on a ride on Tuesday. In the afternoon he also had them on battery foot-drill.

Lieut. Booth, Ottawa, will be attached to the 32nd Battery.

Eighty-five men in Ottawa, on a rumor that a battery was being formed, signified their intention to enlist. The men are nearly all in the Civil Service and have been on field work during the summer.

Major Sears, O.C., 33rd Battery, secured a number of wheels and axes on Tuesday from "somewhere" and they are being made into dummy guns at "Heathfield."

Eight men prominent in athletic circles arrived on Tuesday from Toronto and were taken on the strength of the 34th Battery and the R.C.H.A.

The 33rd Battery has secured an experienced trumpeter, taking the place of one going overseas on a draft.

Among the N.C.O.'s going with the artillery draft is Sergt. W. Gimblett, son of Capt. W. H. Gimblett, R.C.H.A. He is sergeant in the 33rd Battery.

Major H. R. Wilson, D. A. A. and Q. M. G., has completed his annual inspection of the stores of the 4th Hussars commanded by Major W. Allan Stroud.

The extra bunks that are being built on the floor of the Drydock Barracks occupied by the 33rd Battery are almost completed.

In a letter received by Lieut.-Col. E. C. Arnoldi, supervisor of the artillery training, from his son Sergt. Arnoldi, with the 1st brigade at the front, the statement is made that a great amount of the moving of guns at the front is now being done by tractors.

Nine recruits for the 33rd Battery arrived on Tuesday from Brockville.

The strength of the 33rd Battery is now 236 men.

Lieuts. Maunders and O'Halloran, 32nd Battery, had the men out on section gun-drill and squad and rifle drill on Tuesday afternoon.

The forty-three recruits for the 32nd Battery were examined and in-oculated by Capt. D. E. Bell, Medical Officer, on Tuesday.

Motor-car drivers are in great demand at the front owing to the large number of motor-trucks and cars being put into use for the conveyance of troops from one point to another. A few days ago Major J. Hamilton, A. D. of S. and T., received an order for as many motor-car drivers as could be secured in three days from this division. The organization of the Army Service Corps was put to work, and there are now 200 men throughout the division waiting for the order to mobilize, possibly in the city, until they are ready to be sent overseas, which will be done as soon afterwards as transportation can be arranged.

On Wednesday morning Major Hamilton received a request for two horse-drivers, one cleaner, two motor-car drivers, and one carpenter for work with the Canadian Expeditionary Force. The men must be taken on immediately, as their services are urgently needed.

Unless the mechanical transport drivers who were enlisted last week in the call for 3,000 men, the six men of Wednesday's order will be with the Canadian Expeditionary force.

There are 428 men in "C" Battery, R. C. H. A. Sixteen recruits arrived from Toronto on Tuesday, and were examined on Wednesday morning.

The harnessing and foot-drill examinations of the officers and N. C. O.'s attending the Royal School of Artillery are completed.

Staff-Sergt. Scamm, of the Army Service Corps stays in the Military Hospital, but is progressing as well as can be expected.

B. S. M. I. Temple, who is confined to the General Hospital with pneumonia, is progressing as well as can be expected.

Lieut. McCrae, of the Mechanical Transport School of Toronto, reported to Major J. Hamilton as examiner of the applicants for positions as mechanical transport drivers with the Imperial Army. Lieut. McCrae left for Cobourg, where there are thirty-five applicants. There are about seventy-five in Ottawa, and over a hundred in other parts of the division. All will be examined by Lieut. McCrae before they are mobilized.

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As a result of the motto of the Kingston post office is "post your Christmas parcels early," and by so doing the people will not only be helping themselves but also the post office staff, which is compelled to work so hard in an endeavor to get the heavy mails off.

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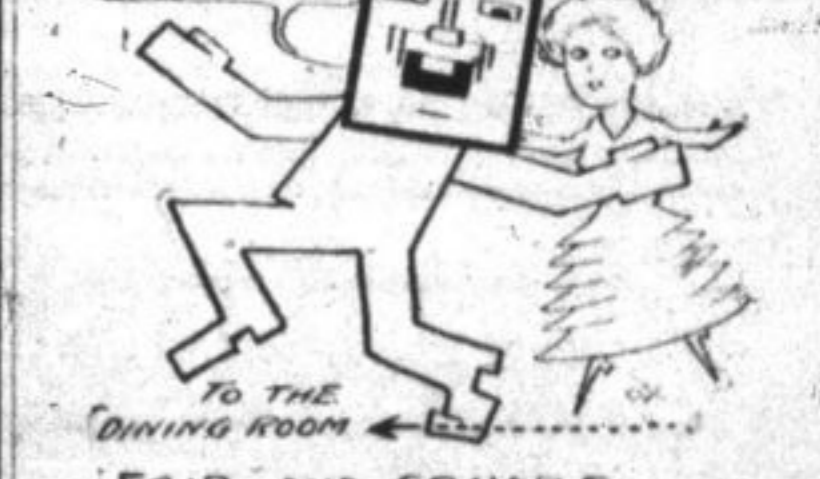
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