

Many Military Matters

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Few people understand what a loss the 9th Kingston Artillery Brigade is to Kingston. This brigade of 700 men has been either recruiting in the city or in the district and received all its training at Barriefield camp or in the garrison. In the first contingents there were a large number of "rovers"—men who were going overseas for the adventure and honor or as well as the discharging of the public duty involved. Most of the men of the 9th Brigade enlisted because they felt it their duty to be in uniform to defend Canada and the British Empire. They have shown this by every part of their work. On the field, in lectures and everywhere it has been a case of mutual understanding between the men and the officers that every person must work hard to make the 9th Kingston Brigade the very best. The batteries during their training here, partly due to "esprit de corps" brought about by the competition of having four batteries on an equal footing and partly to the earnest desire of every man to properly fit himself for the overseas work, gradually made themselves into machines. They are to-day batteries in every sense of the word and though not as much gun-drill as could be desired was given the men know their places and the work. Completely equipped with horses and guns, the brigade when it is reviewed in England will certainly be a credit to Kingston and to Canada.

In the place of four of the batteries of the 9th Brigade there are four new batteries in Kingston ready and waiting to be organized and trained so that they can be sent over in future contingents to take their places along side of those which have gone. The 45th Battery, which has been stationed in the Old Collegiate building and which was made up of Queen's students, graduates and their friends, is being replaced by the 50th Battery. The 32nd Battery which was made up for the most part of men from Ottawa and points east of Kingston is being replaced by the 51st Battery. The 33rd Kingston and Peterborough Battery is replaced by the 52nd Battery and the ammunition column, better known as the 34th Battery, is being replaced

by the 53rd Battery. The 53rd will be recruited in Toronto, as was the 34th Battery.

The officers commanding the new batteries have not yet been appointed but a list has been sent by the Divisional headquarters for formal approval.

The first parade of the 146th Battalion was held on Thursday morning under Major C. H. Gray, and this new Kingston unit certainly created a favorable impression. Although practically everyone is a recruit, nevertheless each has received the rudiments of military drill and marched well. By next week for the carnival will be in the city for the event and battalion parades are planned every day. This will give the citizens an opportunity of seeing a strictly Kingston production in khaki and it will certainly live up to the highest expectations of Lieut.-Col. C. A. Low.

The newly-organized band under Band Sergt. Granger is progressing satisfactorily and playing entertaining martial music as their part of the recruiting stampede. Individually the band is talented and collectively is growing to be a splendid one.

Lieut.-Col. C. A. Low is making every effort in his power to bring the 146th Battalion up to the full strength of 1,100 men now that the half-way mark has been reached. In orders appears this: "All ranks will put forward every endeavor to bring the battalion up to strength. If every man now enlisted brought in one more we would have all the men we need. Determine to bring one man in this week. Postal cards of solicitation free at the canteen."

Col. Low is sending out post-cards on which is his cut and a personal invitation to come to the city for the carnival. It should prove a great inducement to outsiders to come to the city for the week's programme.

The following appears in orders: "Re light and water accounts.—In view of the fact that bills for electric light and water are being received and water incurred by the units quartered in Kingston are very large, it is absolutely necessary that the strictest

economy be preserved. All ranks are instructed to do everything in their power to prevent wastage in every part. Any unnecessary lights will not be left burning, and gas for cooking must only be used when absolutely necessary."

Re electric light globes.—"It has been brought to notice that the breakage of electric light bulbs is very great, and in many cases brought about wantonly. All ranks are warned against doing anything that would injure electric light globes, and against removing them from the fixtures."

Corpl. R. J. Parker, transferred on Wednesday from the 146th Battalion to the 46th (Queen's) Battery.

Sergt. T. Hughes has been appointed Company Sergt-Major of "C" Company, 146th Battalion.

Sergt. W. McFriedrige has been transferred from "A" Company, Q.M.S. to "C" company as Company, Q.M.S.

Pte. J. E. Veley, 14th Regiment, has been transferred to the 146th Battalion for overseas service.

The following promotions are noted in orders of the 146th Battalion: To be sergeants—J. V. Purcell, G. W. Redden, L. K. Cameron, R. W. Harris, G. G. Lashford, G. T. Leonard, A. Murray.

To be corporals.—W. W. Forst, G. A. Lineker, A. E. Gould, A. R. Dafeo, J. C. Dafeo, E. S. Cole.

The following have been taken on the strength of the 146th Battalion: W. E. Powell, L. A. Thompson, F. McTaggart, S. E. Gallagher, A. Switzer, Charles Hefford, H. J. Francis, E. D. Marshall.

Lieut. D. C. Alexander was in the city on Thursday afternoon on a last visit before going overseas with the Army Service Corps of the 3rd Division. Lieut. Alexander said that he was extremely proud of the way the Kingston men had shown up. Corpl. Macgillivray is now a warrant officer and all the boys have been promoted.

In the World of Sport

"Jim" Corkery will run in the Boston Marathon in April if he can make arrangements to do so.

Toronto Mail and Empire: With Heintzman and Gooch available for the Kingston Frontenacs, the Easterners look stronger than they have been in some years.

Percy Windsor, the former Cobalt hockey player, who started out with the Hull A. A. team, has enlisted in Peterboro, and is playing hockey there.

The New York horse racing season may open a little earlier than last year, but the probability is that the first racing there will be about May 20th, when the Canadian season also will open.

Toronto News: It is so customary with the players of the N. H. A. to fast for about ten minutes and then look for relief that the public would be delighted to see just how many of them could go through a whole game.

Gordon Meeking, the O. H. A. star of last year, who was given a trial by Ottawa and released at his own request, is still laid up. He is suffering from muscular rheumatism, and will not play again this year.

Many Toronto fans are of the opinion that the championship of the league will be between Ottawa and Quebec. The latter team has the best line of substitute players in the league, and this is what counts under the rules in vogue in the N. H. A.

Wanderers go to Quebec Saturday night, and a win for the N. H. A. will give them a safe lead in the N. H. A. Ottawa draws a bye, while Torontos tackle Canadiens. The Torontos are going strong and the wise ones are backing them to down the peacemakers.

John Porter, of Caughnawaga, famous Indian lacrosse player, at one time a member of the Nationals, and always a member of the Indian lacrosse team, representing the pick of the tribe, has enlisted at Montreal. He is six feet two inches in height, and weighs 185 pounds.

Word comes from England that "Punch" Broadbent, the great right wing of the champion Ottawas in 1915, is out of the hospital after a long siege, and, together with Leth Graham, the young Ottawa recruit, is now at the front in France.

New York Americans, Brooklyn Nations, Cincinnati Reds and Minneapolis want Frank ("Yip") Owens, the Toronto boy, as a batsman. Frank played for the Baltimore Club of the Federal League last year. "Yip" will likely go to Minneapolis, as he is well-known and well-liked in the American Association.

Eric Billington, McGill footballer, has been wounded seriously in the foot while on active service, a cable message to Dr. J. B. Porter, of McGill, states. Billington is a lieutenant in the Royal Engineers. Recently a report of his death was contradicted. The cable stated Billington was doing well.

President Edward Barrow, of the International League, has withdrawn his opposition to the taking back of players who had jumped his league to join the Federal League. The cable statement will allow these

deserters to come back to their old teams or others in the International League with the former having preference.

Tex Rickard raised the Willard-Moran fight ante to \$60,000 at New York yesterday. Rickard personally made the announcement, saying he had added \$10,500 to his \$49,500 offer for the bout to be staged here March 17th. Moran, Rickard said, has signed on that basis, agreeing to take \$20,000 as his share.

Last week the 16-year-old and only son of the president of the Dominion Football Association disappeared from his home in Montreal as completely as if swallowed by the earth. After four days' searching he was found, a member of the 73rd Highlanders, where, in "C" Company, he is known as Pte. Douglas Craig Campbell. The boy stands 6 feet 3/4 inch in his stockings, and tips the scales over 150 pounds.

Some hockey teams outside the O. H. A. are running riot in making trips to play teams across the line of more than doubtful amateur standing. What a wail they will set up when they find that their own amateur standing may be considered questionable by the Canadian Hockey Association. They are going up against a stone wall with their eyes open.

Jim Corkery, the well-known marathon runner, is the latest addition to the Toronto Sportsmen's Battalion. In signing up with Elwood Hughes, his former manager, who is quartermaster of the regiment, Corkery stated that it was only by enlisting that he could get to Berlin in 1916. Though active recruiting has not commenced the Sportsmen's battalion is already 150 strong.

Toronto Telegram: The alleged amateurs of the American Hockey Association who camp up around the Michigan copper country and south are coming out in the open. Hitherto they have stuck to little things like finding men jobs and covering up the professional end of it with at least a tin veneer. Now an offer to play up there has been made to Ken Randall, a professional, drawing salary from the Torontos of the N.H.A. He refuses to go. It is no wonder Roy Schooley, of Pittsburgh, suggests that the Americans control their own games free from all Canadian scrutiny or interference.

Hamilton Herald: It appears as if the New York boxing commission is making a big mistake in abolishing the age limit. "Kid" McCoy is still being heard from. He wants to fight, and if allowed to, his showing is sure to give the game a black eye. The commission might just as well stage an old age tourney and call Bob Fitzsimmons, John L. Sullivan, Jim Corbett, Peter Maher and Jim Jeffries to arms. If memory serves us right, McCoy tried a "come-back" stunt five years ago in a New York ring and failed miserably. The chap who met him could have put him away any time, had he not been frightened by the old-timer's reputation.

Considerable interest is being shown in the Hamilton Canadian league ball club. It will be definite-

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