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### SOME OTTAWA GLIMPSES

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#### Paying Honorary Colonels.

Ottawa, April 20.-A return brought down in the House of Commons the other day shows just what Brunswick would draw all the mon-Canada is paying out to political col-onels, three fifths of whom, accord-next and the other scaling down acnever get nearer the firing line than the cable despatches in their local newspapers These political colon-els—I call them all colonels for con-venience sake, but they include all ranks right down to lieutegant— draw two pay envelopes, one as sol-diers of the King, the other as member of Parliament, or member of the \$4,015, New Brunswick Legislature Legislative Assembly, as 'the case \$3,650 Prince Edward Island Legis-

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There are on this list of doubly blessed, twenty-three members of gets \$45,125 less than the Parlia-Parliament and thirty-one members of the various provincial legislatures and their services as performers in khaki cost the country just \$285 a day. The aggregate amount they drag down in a year is \$104,000 or per cent., goes to the deliberative as-\$208,000 in two years if the war lasts that long. Some of these parliamentary heroes who believe in playing both ends for the middle have been drawing khaki pay from the time the war started and will doubtless go on drawing it right up to the finoutburst of public opinion.

ing their pay is the most dangerous double pay. The laborer is worthy work they do. They have no inten- of his hire and if he takes double tion of going to the front. Real risks he is worthy of double hire. In soldiers bleed for their country but fact he ought to get all the easy monthese fellows bleed it. Safety first ey. But the transaction doesn't and business as usual—these are work out that way. There are all to-their mottos. It is possible for a gether sixty-seven officer M.P.'s and passive resister of this kind, if he M.P.P.'s of whom twenty-two are or holds the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel have been at the front, while fortyto draw down in a year \$2,650 which five stick around at home, raising reis a neat bit of money these hard giments, recruiting and other mattimes. This form of graft may ters like that. The twenty-two who look small beside shell and fuse con- are braving shot and shell and poitracts running into millions but it is son gas at the front share \$42,705 contemptible enough to deserve some among them while the forty-five stay attention. No doubt the taxpayers at homes grab off the big chunk will remember this petty larceny as amounting to \$62,295 annually. Thus

benificaries of the double pay sys- club chairs, where they discustem include senators, C.P.R. direc- war with the rest of the tors, big manufacturers, real estate over warriors. magnates, town-site millionaires, newspaper proprietors, doctors, lawyers, merchants, chiefs-rich men most of them, but all beggar men and poor men when it comes to dip-

ping into the trough. The rake-off runs anywhere from of a Lieutenant-Colonel supposed to be on active service. In three cases out of five, as I said before, service is interpreted in the poetic sense they also serve who stand and wait for the pay car to come around.

As a matter of fact three out of five is over-stating the proportion as far as Parliament Hill is concerned It's the provinces that bring up the contents of liquors. average. The statistics go to prove It is easy for the man with cash to that members of the legislature are tell about the evils of the credit sys- ANGLIN, S. & CO., Manufacturers of Fine Woodwork, twenty nine per cent, more eager to tem. get to the front than members of Parliament. Of the twenty-three usually departs when his money runs ANGROVE BROS., 126 Clarence St., Automobiles officer M.P.'s, of whom twenty-one out, are Conservatives, only six are or have been to the front, of whom two in office is in favor of civil service. are Liberals. The figures really stand, three Conservatives, two Li- intention of strict enforcement. berals on the fighting line because one of the Conservative colonels went fit by listening to your troubles. to the front but not as a combatant. Counting him in, however, the tally shows that out of twenty-one Conservative officer M.P.'s four sought the battlefields of Europe, that is to say twenty per cent, while out of two Liberal officer M.P's, two made for the hot corner, or one hundred per cent. This is not an invidious statement. It is a fact. When the loyalty cry is being pulled at the next general election it will be advisable to remember that the Liberal M.P.'s who were given a chance to don the khaki and fight for King and country were one

hundred per cent, in earnest, The larger comparison of Parliament with the various provincial legislatures runs this way. Out of twenty-three officer M.P.'s six went overseas, twenty-two per cent? Out of two officer M.P.P.'s New Brunswick sent two overseas-one hundred per cent. Out of four officer M.P. P.'s British Columbia sent three the Danderine and carefully draw it overseas seventy-five per cent. Out of three officer M.P.P.'s Prince Edward Island sent two overseas-sixty seven per cent. Out of seven officer M.P.P.'s Alberta sent four over- doubled the beauty of your hair. seas-fifty-seven per cent. Out of fourteen officer M.P.P.'s, Ontario sent five overseas-thirty-five per cent. Out of four officer M.P.P.'s, Nova Besides beautifying the hair, Dan-Scotia sent one overseas-twenty-five derine dissolves every particle per cent. Out of four officer M.P.P.'s dandruff; cleanses, purifies and in-Saskatchewan sent none overseas- vigorates the scalp, forever stopping no per cent. Manitoba and Quebec itching and falling hair, but what had no officer M.P.P.'s to draw dou- will please you most will be after a ble pay so they are out of the reck- few weeks' use, when you see new scales down this way-New Bruns- but really new hair growing all over wick Legislature 160, British Columbia Legislature 75, Prince Edward Island Legislature 67, Alberta Legislature, 57, Ontario Legislature 35, are to vegetation. It goes right to ment of Canada 22, Saskatchewan, ens them. Its exhilarating, stimu- cians and Electrical Contractors. Add the seven competing legisla- lating and life-producing properties HALL, DAVID. Prompt attention paid to all kinds tures up, divide by seven and you cause the hair to grow long, strong have fifty-one per cent. active hero-land beautiful.

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On form, as having sent one hundred per cent. to the front, New Brunswick would draw all the moning to the record, stay at home and cording to percentage but as a matter of fact the \$104,000 a year handed out to the officer legislators is dislature \$2.720. So that the New Brunswick Legislature which showed ment of Canada, which, with one exception, shows the lowest. In other words the lion's share of the swag. amounting to \$48,775 or forty-seven semblage that can show the greatest number of khaki stay-at-homes. This looks like a raw deal. The only way to explain it is that the Ottawa colonels were near the sugar and had the first chance.

Of course nobody objects to the ish if not interrupted by any special brave M.P.'s and M.P.P.'s who took their commissions seriously and For sixty per cent, of them draw- made for the fighting line drawing next general election and make the \$125,000 will have gone to this punishment fit the crime. Home Guard of parliamentary colon-Analysis of the return that the els who do all their fighting

Of the forty-five officer Legislathe courage to turn down the double katchewan Legislature, one member \$12 a day down to \$3.75, according too proud to take any money they to rank but the favorite figure seems don't fight for but the other forty to be \$7.25 which is the daily screw continue to accept the cash insult. It irks them but they do it. So far the Patriotic Fund has not complainthat direction.

The prohibition bill was given its third reading in the Ontario Legislachange was made in the alcoholic

The wit of the barroom humorist

It is safe to assume that the man Many laws are made without the Your friends will not receive bene-

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The Military College cadets, since they discarded the pill-box cap, have advanced in looks from youths to men, and the girls must no longer treat them as mere laddies.

Again it is proven that "it's an ill wind that blows no one good." Although the fuse scandal investigation is going to hurt some people the lawyers are going to get some fat fees out of it.

Nobody will look down upon the Queen's students who fail to pass their German examinations this TO DEAL WITH ENEMY AT CLOSE spring. Those who do not make a good mark in the Kaiser's language knowledge of the dialect of the fearful Huns, Queen's senate should replace German with the language of some less savage nation.

The Lampman nearly had a fit when he read in the Whig that in this district some days ago a gathering had been held to present a bride and groom with a bible. Surely the which called forth General Petain's world is not going to the devil when order of the day praising so highly such an old-fashioned thing occurs the Verdun army in the year 1916.

rew's grits put their heads together on Bois de Cumieres. and decided that there was "some- "You understand," said the man

cer to continue walking up a church | bayonet and a knife. aisle when the National Anthem is "But when we go forward to take being played and the congregation is the German trenches we discard the standing?" The answer is that the bayonet, and with grenades we atofficer should come to a halt and tack. Each man is supplied with 20, stand at attention, even in a church and you can understand that the at-

If the military authorities con- enemy. tinue to put pool rooms out of "When Boches' attack our mitrailshelter for the shirkers.

Every Bonner sick at heart to think that filade the attackers. he was in prison while other folk, "Before the Boches' are a dozen Every worse than he is, were enjoying all yards from their own trenches our

> forcing soldiers to go to church. Af- that is, bloody for 'Boches.' to go to church when he is not feel- ened by the carnage, ing well. If the Lampman were a commanding officer he would line up his men on a Sunday morning and say to them: "Gentlemen, those who wish to go to church, take two paces be a good thing if a few of their forward; those who do not want to go take two paces to the rear and do what you want so long as you behave yourselves." Then everybody the more they lose the better for us." would be pleased and military church parades would not be such

-THE TOWN WATCHMAN

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QUARTERS.

should be honored for their lack of Each French Soldier Is Supplied With Twenty Of These Bombs Which Account For Half A Dozen

> Paris, April 19.—I met yesterday two soldiers who had taken part in the recent fighting at Verdun. Both were in the battles of April 9th,

the Verdun army. One was near Douaumont from the When Lawyer Nickle did not ap- 4th to the 9th, taking part in the pear in his pew in the Scotch kirk constant attacks and counter-attacks, last Sabbath morning, the St. And- while the other was on the left bank

thing up", for Kingston's member is from Douaumont, "we don't charge seldem out of church on the Sab- with bayonets any more. They are bath. Next day the grit Calvinists only in the way, and cause too great had their suspicions confirmed by a loss among our own men when they word that M. P.'s Nickle and Ben- attack the German lines. The bayonet nett had been to Chicago on a secret is now reserved to receive the enemy when they get too near our trenches or we turn them out of a place like Here is the latest question put to Bois De Garrefour, as we did a few the Lampman: "Is it right for an offi- days ago. Then we go in with a

tack seldom fails, for every grenade can account for half'a dozen of the

bounds, the Lampman would like to leuses do the work, and they hardly know how the recruiting sergeants ever get close enough for us to have are going to round up the idlers a chance to use our bayonets. Our there. Putting these rooms out of first line machine guns are hidden in lines and the first French trenches.

"In some places mitroailleuses are The Lampman does not wonder planted only a yard apart, that Bonner, the western horse thief, There is a line in the first trenches has been trying hard to get out of with us and a third line fires over penitentiary. When he heard of the our heads. The guns are trained war horse deals made by men in to give crossfire and converging fire, high positions, it must have made and yet others on the flanks to en-

the luxuries that their stealing could mitrailleuses are knocking them over like packs of cards. On the 9th of April took place one of the The Lampman does not believe in bloodiest battles we have been in-

ter listening to some of the young "They never reached our lines, but men in khaki coughing in a church wave after wave tried with the tralast Sabbath, he expressed the opin- ditional recklessness of Arabs. Our ion that men should not be paraded guns and riffes cut them down pitito divine worship when suffering se- lessly, and still they came on. It verely from throat and chest ail- turned one sick to see the masses ments. Just because a man has en- fall. I have been through the whole listed it should not deprive him of war, but this Battle of Verdun is the the right to say whether he wishes first time I have actually been sick-

No Mercy On Their Men.

."The German commanders have no mercy on their men. It would generals were whipped into the charges; then they might see the useless-The other soldier, who belonged to the Chausseurs a Pied, described the

contest at Bois de Cumieres. "During the first part of the battle of Verdun," he said, "we in the north but a short time ago got the order to move. Our commandant ERUPTIONS told us we were going to have the honor of taking part. We went first to Avocourt and then to this woods to the east. There we had the job of retaking the little work the 'Boches' had captured the night be-

"Our seventy-fives watered the 'Boches' trenches all morning, and machine guns still were there, and we had to take shelter in the shell holes any place we could find them before we were more than half way to the German trenches.

"A second company came up to our support, but they were glad to join us in our shelters. Another jump landed us eighty yards from the Germans, but half our men had fallen and all the officers among them. We were led by sergeants. One of our buglers was struck by a shell that tore open his abdomen. He still found strength to turn on his side to sound a charge, but we had to fall back. Near me was a sergeant who had been a foundling, brought up at charity schools. He had no home nor no relations, he knew neither his father nor mother, but he was the best man in the company. He was knocked over by a bullet in the chest, and two others with me tried to carry

him back, but he was dying. "He opened his mouth and we knelt to hear his last words. Mon Dieu! he was singing the Marseillaise When we got back to our own lines we found our officers still out there. You know the tradition with the Chausseurs never to abandon the bodies or their officers.

"Well, we did not wait for the order, but went to get our officers. And that time we took the German trenches, we had to, you know, or we Retail Confectioners.

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