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**ALL THE NEWS**  
**OF ALL THE CAMP**  
**DAILY BY OUR SPECIAL REPRESENTATIVE**

Russ H. Barkey

### 154TH HAS GOOD GROUNDS

**ITS PARADE IS IN THE WOODS OUT OF THE SUN.**

**Claimed to be Best at Barriefield—Well Kept and Pleasing in Appearance.**

The officers and men of the 154th Battalion claim to have the best drilling grounds of Barriefield, and it would appear to be true. Behind the battalion lines is the woods that follow through to the water front. Part of the woods is Government property, and the men of the battalion drill here in the shade of the thick trees, making the work more pleasant than of those battalions which do their daily work under the blazing sun.

The 154th Battalion also takes credit in the fact that it has splendid lines and the best appearing camp grounds at Barriefield. Undoubtedly they are a credit to the battalion and are always well kept.

Lieut.-Col. A. G. F. MacDonald learned the secret of a comfort camp through years of experience, and is using that knowledge in his management of the 154th. The results are indeed creditable.

The front of the battalion is marked by a huge mound that has on it the words, "Overseas Battalion—154—Stormont, Dundas and Glengarry." Since it was erected some weeks ago hundreds of photographs have been taken. The rear of the battalion camp, however, is just as well kept, and a walk through is delightful.

#### Officers at Wellington

Major G. I. Campbell, Chief Recruiting Officer, with Capt. T. Dodds, chaplain of the 154th Battalion, and Lieut. Sandford, formerly assistant adjutant of that battalion, conducted a recruiting meeting at Wellington on Wednesday night. Lieut. Sandford. It is now understood, that will be very valuable in addressing recruiting meetings where his experience at the front will be of interest.

Port Colborne is being asked to give the Canadian International Company a fixed assessment of \$40,000 for its plant in that place.

### Camp Notes.

Lieut.-Col. M. K. Adams, commanding the 155th Battalion, and his son, Lieut. E. A. Adams, 14th Battalion, arrived back from Picton on Thursday at noon, making the trip in a motor.

Capt. Porteous, 154th Battalion, is in Ottawa.

The officers, N. C. O.'s and men of the Special Service Battalion sincerely regret that Sergt-Major Beale is to go to Ottawa to take a course as an officer in the mechanical transport.

Lieut. J. H. Potts, adjutant Special Service Battalion, is Deputy Supreme Chief Ranger in the I. O. F., and followed the proceedings of the recent conference with interest.

Sergt. Branch, R. C. H. A., who is instructing the men of the Depot Artillery Brigade, is doing a splendid work, and good progress is being made.

Lieut. R. G. Maason and W. J. Chapman, 156th Battalion, with four members of the battalion have been detailed to attend the School of Cookery, which opens on Monday.

Capt. J. A. Cokers, 154th Battalion, quartermaster, has returned from Ottawa.

At 6 a. m. every Sunday, except the last of each month, Capt. the Rev. W. F. Fitzgerald administers holy communion in the dining room of the Y. W. C. A. tent at Barriefield Camp. This communion is open to all Protestant church members in the camp.

#### Half Cracked Before

Ethel: "Poor Reggie! Since he was rejected for service he's all broken up."

Marie: "Don't bother yourself too much dear; he was half cracked before."

A convocation of Presbyterians opposed to Church Union will be held in Toronto on October 17th, and will last three days.

### CAPT. MUNRO WAS INJURED

**WAS THROWN FROM HIS HORSE ON THURSDAY MORNING**

**Had Knee Injured And Is Now Confined To His Bed—Was Riding To Headquarters.**

What might have resulted in a very serious accident happened to Capt. Munro, Medical Officer of the 154th Battalion on Thursday morning. A member of the ration board held every morning at 5.30 o'clock at the Army Service Corps building near headquarters, he had occasion to be riding his horse to that office when the accident happened.

When on the road in front of the 154th Battalion lines his horse stumbled and started to fall. The animal recovered himself, however, before going down, and started quickly to gallop up the road. In making the quick start the captain was thrown to the ground. He received injuries to his knee that necessitated his being confined to his bed though he is making satisfactory progress now.

#### Changes in Draft List

The following changes in the personnel of the officers going overseas as a draft have been made: Lieut. J. H. Doran, 146th Battalion, vice, Lieut. MacMillan, 240th; Lieut. Cole, 155th, vice, Lieut. Rainboth, 80th Battalion; Lieut. Cools, 240th, vice, Lieut. Jakeman, 138th. It will be remembered that Lieut. Cools was an officer in the 14th Regiment. Lieut. Doran is a Kingstonian.

#### Misfits Cause Trouble

In discussing the probability for more battalions to be authorized for the winter, a medical officer said, "Hope the medically unfit men have sense enough to stay out of the recruiting offices and not cause us more trouble for us as well as for those in other departments."

Capt. O. Kennedy left on Friday with two men for Ottawa to recruit for Queen's Field Ambulance Corps.

### CASE TO BE HEARD MONDAY

**Frederick Stalker, Taxi Driver, to Be Tried.**

The criminal negligence charge against Frederick Stalker, taxi driver, will be heard by Judge Lavelle on Monday next. It will be remembered that a car driven by Stalker ran into a picquet of men from the 155th Battalion several weeks ago. A determination to punish careless drivers resulted in legal action being taken. The case has aroused a great amount of interest. In the event of its being successful more of its kind will be taken to the courts.

C. R. Webster is acting as prosecuting representative for the Militia Department in the matter.

### NO NEW BATTALIONS TILL NEXT MONTH

It is learned on excellent authority that no new battalions are to be authorized until September. In this District there will be Lindsay, Belleville, Kingston and possibly Brockville districts to be allotted battalions for overseas. From this source it is learned that no announcements may be expected for the next four or five weeks at least. The reason may possibly be the revision of the recruiting system which is now being worked out.

### Brig.-Gen. Hemming at Brockville

Wearing the badges of rank of a Brigadier-General for the first time Gen. T. D. R. Hemming, Camp Commandant on Thursday accompanied the 156th Battalion to Brockville. Lieut.-Col. McCammon, Sanitary Officer and Capt. T. A. Kidd, A.D.C., accompanied the General. The trip was made by automobile. Col. G. Hunter Ogilvie, A. G., was commandant of the camp in the absence of Gen. Hemming.

The band of the 155th Battalion is on leave in Belleville.

### THE 146TH BATTALION BAND

**IS THE BEST AT THE VALCAIRTIER TRAINING CAMP.**

Is Very Representative of the Salvation Army of Kingston, and Carries Laurels in Competition With Other Units.

A letter received from Valcartier says that the 146th Battalion has the best band at the eastern camp. It is a purely brass one, and plays English music, thus making it the pride of the camp.

The 146th band was organized on January 10th of this year with seventeen bandsmen, the majority of whom are from the Salvation Army of the city. It has grown steadily until now there are thirty-five musicians, and of these twenty-five are Kingstonians, eight are from Ottawa, and one each from Toronto and Montreal. In all the Salvation Army has contributed eighteen of the thirty-five men, while the 14th Regiment has sent three and three came from the 43rd Ottawa Regiment.

It is indeed creditable to say that in the seven months since organized not one minor or major military crime has ever been recorded against any of its members, and this is one of the reasons why Lieut.-Col. C. A. Low, commanding the battalion, allows the men so many privileges. The bandmaster, Sergeant George Granger, is a Kingstonian, having been for eighteen years with the Salvation Army Band here. He was deputy bandmaster for eight years, and was bandmaster after Bandmaster Christmas enlisted in the 59th Battalion for service overseas. Sergt. Granger was a member of the Canadian S.A. Staff Band, which made quite a reputation by attending Congress in London, England, in 1905.

Many a man with a good sense lacks the required nerve to push it through. Dyspepsia sours a lot of the milk of human kindness.

Only the brave fare well at a church fair.

### R. M. C. KITCHEN

**Completely Renovated and Presents a Very Much Improved Appearance**

One of the greatest transformations made at the Royal Military College this year is that to the kitchen department where Lieut. Kerrison has been carrying out improvements. The kitchen is now the best in appearance and the best equipped between Toronto and Montreal and is a model for military cooking.

In the kitchen, which is in the basement of the main building, new ranges, cooking machinery and other changes have been installed. The whole room has been renovated and is now a picture of white paint and aluminum. There are 140 cadets at the college and all their food is taken care of in this way. The number is an increase over those attending last course but no difficulty is experienced as a result of the excellent management of the culinary department.

#### HELD MUSTER PARADE

**Lieut. K. McKinnon Held A Parade Of the 154th Battalion**

Among the many checks that the Militia Department keeps on every department is that of having an inspector to call muster parades to see that the parade states and pay accounts are correct. Lieut. McKinnon who is in charge of the work for Military District No. 3, held a parade of the 154th Battalion and found everything entirely satisfactory.

Lieut. McKinnon calls parades at irregular intervals and is thus able to keep a close account of the way the accounts, etc., of the various units are being handled.

#### Big Tent of 155th Battalion

The big tent of the 155th Battalion which was blown down in the big wind a few days ago will be ready for erection in a few days. In the storm it was badly ripped and torn and tent-makers of the battalion have been busy repairing the damage. In the meantime the soldiers are getting anxious for more concerts and entertainments.

### COOKERY SCHOOL OPENS

**TEN OFFICERS AND THIRTY N.C.O.'S IN ATTENDANCE.**

**New System For School to be in Use—More Field Work That Will Show Practical Value of Course.**

Ten officers and thirty N.C.O.'s of battalions in various training camps will report to Lieut. V. C. Kerrison at Barriefield Camp on Saturday for a course in the School of Cookery.

The officers will be in attendance for a week, while the N.C.O.'s will take a course of thirty working days, beginning on Monday.

Object of the plans that will be changed will be that of bringing into the course a knowledge of interior economy and its relation to the messing of a company. The school will be conducted as a unit with sections of a company. There will be a duty roster with an orderly sergeant by detail as in a company of a battalion. Lieut. V. C. Kerrison will command the school and Sergt.-Major Rolfe will be regimental sergeant-major. Each day an officer will be detailed to take command of the company.

Another part that will be emphasized will be the out-door work accomplished by the school. On every possible occasion the class will cook their meals in the field, so that those in attendance may gain an insight into what conditions face the active service volunteers.

#### Thrown From Motor Cycle.

While coming down Princess street on Thursday, Lieut. V. C. Kerrison, Royal Military College staff, had the misfortune to be thrown off the motor cycle he was riding and dashed to the pavement. He was fortunately not seriously injured, although his clothes were torn. The cause of the accident was the wet pavement, and one wheel of the motor cycle catching in the groove of the street car rail.

Pictures were taken on Thursday morning of Lieut. E. A. Baker, just returned from the front, and other members of No. 5, F. O. C. E.

#### Death of Rev. James Turner.

Vancouver, B. C., Aug. 18.—Rev. James Turner, aged eighty, a pioneer Methodist missionary of British Columbia, died in San Diego.

### CAPTURE SMELTING INDUSTRY FROM GERMANY

**Great Britain and Australia Have Completed an Important Arrangement.**

London, Aug. 18.—An agreement has been reached between Great Britain and Australia under which Great Britain contracts to purchase 100,000 tons of zinc concentrates and 45,000 tons of spelter annually from Australia during the period of the war and for ten years afterward.

The effect of the agreement will be to insure the transfer of the smelting industry from Germany to British hands. The amount involved in the agreement exceeds £25,000,000, covering more than half of Australia's annual output. The remainder of the output is expected to be taken over by France and Belgium.

#### Died After Eating Fish.

Prince Rupert, B. C., Aug. 18.—Mrs. Sipes and three children, Port Clements, Queen Charlotte Islands, are dead, and Mrs. Sipes' mother is dying, as a result of eating fish which Mrs. Sipes had preserved recently. The whole family were seized with terrible pains, and the mother and children collapsed before aid could be rendered by neighbors, attracted by the grandmother, who is herself on the verge of death.

#### To Build Railways in Russia.

Petrograd, Aug. 18.—An important Russian-American enterprise organized with the principal object of the construction of railways and the exploitation of motive and water power in Russia, has been put on foot, according to the semi-official Russian news agency.

#### Roy Webster, Aged Twenty-One.

117 Arundel avenue, Toronto, a cellist of note, died while bathing at Gravenhurst.

#### Cheese Sales: Campbellford, 656

17c; Stirling, 74c; at 18c; St. Paschal, Que., 55c at 17 1/2c.

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### FROST AND THIRST OPPOSE

**THE ITALIANS IN THEIR FIGHTING ON SUMMITS.**

Both friend and foe continually waging combat with fierce elements—Heavy Guns Carried on Backs of Sturdy Alpsmen.

London, Aug. 18.—Lord Northcliffe sends another despatch about the Italian Army, this time from the Cadore front, on the central portion of the long battle line from the Stelvio Pass to the Isonzo.

"I am writing in brilliant sunshine," he telegraphs, "and yet in several degrees of frost. It is not usually realized that the Italian front is nearly 500 miles long. In the parched wilderness of the Carso plateau the chief enemy of the fighting men is thirst. His chief enemy on the Cadore front is the frost. These two facts should bring home some of the difficulties the Italians have faced for fifteen months.

"Picture to yourself men 9,000 feet up in the clouds, for seven months in the year and surrounded by deep snow, and so close to the Austrians at some points that they can see the enemy's eyes through the holes in observation posts."

Lord Northcliffe, after describing the cables by which guns, food and materials for huts are taken up to the troops on the high mountain peaks, continues:

"The first sensation of transit down these seemingly fragile ropes is much more curious than one's first trip in a submarine or aeroplane, and tries even the strongest nerves.

#### Fighting The Elements.

"Man is not only fighting man on these heights, but both the Italians and the Austrians have been fighting nature in some of its fiercest aspects. The gates and snowstorms are excellent in horror only by the avalanches. Quite lately the melting

### ECZEMA

Pimples form, run water matter which turns to crust, itching becomes painfully intense, and the disease spreads over the body. There are many variations of eczema, but all are cured by Dr. Chase's Ointment.

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Relief from itching is obtained as soon as the ointment is applied, and the sores are healed. You can see with your own eyes just what is being accomplished from day to day by this wonderfully healing, soothing ointment, and this will encourage you to keep up the treatment until cure is complete.

### GREEKS SLAY SENTRIES.

**Canadian Nurse Tells of Peril of Natives at Salonika.**

Montreal, Aug. 18.—How the Greeks murdered Allied sentries when they were posted for duty at Salonika is told by Miss Mary J. Crowe, Montreal, professional nurse, who returned to the city last night from France and Salonika. She has been attached to Scottish Women's Hospital Ship early in the war. Miss Crowe says that when the British first landed and placed their sentries many of the latter were assassinated by the Greeks, no doubt in the pay of the Austrians or Germans. These infamous attacks became so common that in many cases the sentries were doubled. The people, however, had a mortal dread of the British, their fear being increased by the presence of so many warships in the harbor.

#### RENEGADE BRITON NOW GERMAN

**Houston Stewart Chamberlain Has Sworn Allegiance to Kaiser.**

Angsburg, Bavaria, Aug. 18.—Houston Stewart Chamberlain, an author of English birth and son-in-law of Frau Cosima Wagner, has now legally become a German citizen, following his application for naturalization last April. Mr. Chamberlain has been a resident of Bayreuth for many years.

#### Boxed Killed at Front.

Cardiff, Wales, Aug. 18.—The Express says that Benny Thomas, a Welshbantamweight boxer, has been killed in action.