

ARE NOT GETTING HELP INCIDENTS OF THE DAY LOCAL PERMANENT FORCE

COL. GEORGE HUNTER HAS MANY REQUESTS FROM FARMERS.

Says There Is Very Little Chance of Getting Returned Soldiers in This District — Boys Have Changed Their Mind About Farm Work.

In conversation with a Whig representative on Wednesday morning, Mr. Hunter stated that he had no hopes of securing many soldiers for the farmers. At the present time he had no applications from returned soldiers to work on the farm.

Col. Hunter stated further that the farmers of this district were getting very little help. He had received applications from nineteen boys to work on farms, but that up till the present time not one of them had come to his office to be placed.

The boys have evidently changed their minds, said Col. Hunter. Several mothers have written to me saying that their boys have taken up different work. One had taken up work in a drug store, another in a shoe shop, and I was also told that two others were driving delivery rigs.

The colonel has a big list of applications from farmers who are seeking help. On market days his office is filled with farmers wanting help, and he would like all applications for operations to call at his office on these days.

SUFFERED GUNSHOT WOUND. Pte. Thomas J. Wood Has Been Admitted to An Hospital.

Mrs. Ellen Wood, 144 Ontario street, has been notified that Pte. Thomas Joseph Wood, infantry, was wounded and admitted to No. 32 Stationary Hospital. He is suffering from gunshot wounds in the head. Pte. Wood left last September with the Mounted Rifles.

Achievement Through Glasses. Ex-President Roosevelt was awkward and stupid as a boy until he suddenly discovered that he could not see as much as other boys.

At the Golden Lion Grocery Fancy Clover HONEY. In one pound sections, 25 cents each. Fresh California Prunes, nice and juicy.

LOCAL NOTES AND ITEMS OF GENERAL INTEREST.

Happenings In the City and Vicinity — What the Merchants Offer to the Readers of the Whig.

Members of the Kingston Conservative Association presented Major R. De Sutterland of the 233rd Queen's Highland Battalion with a set of food bins.

Two young men with lady friends dropped into Brockville on Monday evening in an auto. The police took the young men in charge for intoxication, each contributed \$15 for the offence.

Relative of soldiers who have been killed or wounded would notify the War or receipt of information, the names will be published at the earliest possible moment, thus notifying all relatives and friends.

AN aged man was found wandering the streets at an early hour on Wednesday morning by Constable Daniel McCreary. It was found that he was an inmate of a local home, and was returned to the institution.

CONCERTS TUESDAY EVENING. Epworth League Event in Princess Street Church.

St. George's Mothers' Meeting. To-morrow, Thursday, at 7.30, a missionary of the Zenana Bible and Medical Mission will give a lantern talk on "The Need of the Women of India."

VALEDICTORY From "The Hat Store." Men of good old Queen's, As you leave for other scenes Don't forget the good old city by the lake.

Special Glove Sale. Made in Canada, "Kaysar" Gloves, real chamousette, worth \$1.00, special at 69c pair.

OFFICERS, N.C.O.'S AND MEN INCLUDED IN BYNG'S MESSAGE.

Many Here Who Have Been Carrying on a Steady Grind of Work Without Public Credit. Just how much the men of the Canadian permanent force appreciate the message of congratulation sent to Ottawa by Gen. Julian Byng on the recent success of the Canadian troops is impossible to gauge.

Without the services of the permanent force, it is freely stated by officers of the expeditionary force, the country would have been almost impossible and the soldiers who remained behind and were denied the opportunity for advancement have trained and sent forward all the officers and men from the different districts of the Dominion.

At the commencement of the war every member of Canada's permanent force volunteered for service and the majority of the noncommissioned men went overseas. These men have now received commissions, and are in many cases high up in the service now, while their less fortunate comrades, whose services were considered more valuable at home, have been left behind in the promotion lists.

When war broke out there were very few trained soldiers in Canada who were capable of carrying out the schemes of the military authorities to raise large armies, and it is stated that the majority of the men not taken forward have been unable to get any leave since the war started and have been steadily working to perfect the great military organization of the Dominion.

A partial list of the permanent staff in No. 2 Military District, which includes those who have been serving since the war, is as follows: Brig-Gen. T. D. R. Hemming, G.O.C.; Col. G. Hunter Ogilvie, A.A.G.; Lieut-Col. G. S. Benoit, C.R.C.E.; Capt. F. A. Palmer, C.R.C.E.; Capt. A. M. O'Neil, senior ordnance officer, who was over with the 21st Battalion; Capt. Charles Turner, paymaster; Sergt-Major J. E. Hartie, W.O., C.M.S.C.; Sergt-Major W. Boss, W.O., G.M.S.C.; Q.M. Sergt. G. Boss, C.M.S.C.; C.S.M. Dryden, R.C.R.; Sergt-Major W. P. Hewgill, W.O.; Sergt-Major J. Pearson, W.O.; Sergt-Major T. Worth, W.O. of the R.C.H.A.; Sergt-Major J. Francis, W.O., and Q.M. Sergt. Billings, Ordnance Corps; Sergt-Major C. Graham, W.O., and many others, including officers, N.C.O.'s and men of all units.

All of these soldiers have repeatedly asked for the privilege of serving overseas, but have been retained in Canada to carry the burden of routine.

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