

# CITY IN GRAVE PERIL: DEFENDERS WERE BEATEN

## BODY GUARDS HOLD TACTICAL EXERCISES OVER THE WEEK-END.

Under Lieut.-Col. Sandford E. Smith the Governor-General's Body Guard held a week-end camp at Stanley Barracks yesterday and Saturday. The regiment paraded on Saturday afternoon at the Armouries, whence they marched 200 strong to the barracks. Saturday evening was taken up with training in the important department of outpost duty, and on Sunday morning a tactical scheme was carried out. The scheme was as follows:

Eastland and Westland were at war. Toronto was capital of Eastland, and Hamilton capital of Westland, the Credit River dividing the two countries. The battle resulted in a defeat of Eastland by Westland troops, who gained a passage across the river, Eastland holding a line just east of it. A small portion of Westland cavalry succeeded in getting in rear of the Eastland forces.

For the purpose of accommodating those of the Body Guard who cannot spend the full week in the camp, which is starting at Cooksville, arrangements are being made to provide such with week-end trips. The camp will continue for a month.

Riding instruction is given at the Armouries on Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday evenings through the kindness of the T. Eaton and Simpson Companies, who lend horses for the purpose. The regiment has manacles for a few recruits.

One hundred and fifty recruits for the 75th Pictou Highlanders, under Capt. Curwen Reed, left for Vancouver yesterday morning.