

TORONTO REGIMENTS GIVE FULL QUOTAS

Highlanders Recruit Over Seven Hundred, 109th 1,300

BANTAMS ARE ENLISTING

Unemployed Will Receive Military Training to Fit Them for Guard Duty — **Serbian** Would Enlist in Canadian Army.

Seven hundred and two men have been recruited so far by the 48th Highlanders for the 92nd Battalion. As the regiment is raising a base detail 201 men are yet wanted. Lieut.-Col. Chisholm is awaiting authorization from Ottawa to put an order through for kilts for the battalion. A factory has the materials ready to weave into tartan and promises 300 kilts in three weeks and 1,000 in seven weeks. Hamilton has raised over 200 men of the double company it is contributing to the battalion.

Bantams Sign On.

Eighty-two bantams have gone from Toronto this month to join the 77th Battalion at Ottawa. Recruits are still being enlisted at 169 Simcoe street.

The Stanley Barracks guard has supplied 42 men to the 83rd and 92nd Battalions since August 1. Lieut. M. P. Godfrey has succeeded Lieut. Col. G. T. Chisholm in command there.

E. M. G. B. Reorganized.

The Eaton Machine Gun Battery which left Niagara for Shorncliffe in June has been divided into two brigades, with Lieut.-Col. W. J. Morrison in command and Capt. W. Holloway as brigade adjutant. Major E. L. Knight is in command of the 1st Brigade and Capt. Eric Osborne adjutant, with Capt. H. Aird, Lieut. J. A. N. Ormsby, Lieut. G. Scroggie and Lieut. E. W. Farrow as officers of No. 1 Battery; and No. 2 Battery, known as the McNaught Battery, under Capt. H. W. Scardfield, Lieut. J. W. Langmuir, Lieut. F. A. Dale and Lieut. G. A. Porterfield.

The 2nd Brigade is commanded by Major P. Murdock, with Capt. J. James as adjutant, and consists of No. 3 Battery, known as the Hughes Battery, under Capt. J. Mess, Lieut. C. O. Osborne, Lieut. L. B. Scardfield, and No. 4 Battery under Capt. T. R. Young and Lieut. C. Bath.

In addition there is No. 1 Train, under Capt. J. Fish, and No. 2 Train, under Capt. C. E. Burden.

Recruit List Grows.

Recruits in Toronto yesterday totaled 1,554, made up of: G. G. B. G., 46; 9th M. H., 153; Q. O. R., 129; R. G., 125; Y. R., 135; 36th Peel, 176; 48th, 702; 109th, 15; 9th Battery, C. F. A., 73.

Arrangements have been made for unemployed members of the Royal Grenadiers to receive training that will fit them for guard duty every Monday, Wednesday and Friday mornings. The men will have their afternoons free to look for work.

Serbian Would Serve.

Lieut.-Col. Cowan, Army Service Corps, has received the following interesting letter from "A **Serbian**" in Chicago: "Respected Sir," this ally writes, "my countrymen from Montenegro who are volunteer soldiers and now in **Canada** inform me that you receive **Serblans** in your army. I am willing to enlist in your army of Great Britain and with pride would I faithfully serve all military duties for the reason that I know Britain is in alliance with my heroine country, Montenegro and Serbia. I herewith beg you to let me know if it is possible for me to come and enlist in your army." **Canada** has assisted Montegrin reservists on their homeward journey but no **Serblans** as such.

Prisoners Would Escape.

Guards returned from Kapuskasing Camp report attempts by one or two interned Austrians were made to escape towards Hearst on the west and Cochrane on the east. In every case the runaways were recaptured. In one instance they got as far from the camp as 20 miles.

109th Parade.

The 109th Regiment had a parade of 510 last night, including 76 cadets.

The men were all equipped with the new brown leggings which are being substituted by Ottawa for puttees, which if improperly adjusted cause varicose veins. Major Dinwick, Commanding Officer, addressed the regiment in Bayside Park, mentioning that 15 officers were at Niagara training school, and that 1,300 men of the regiment had gone to the front since December 24 last. He asked every man on the strength to turn out at parade every Monday night. Following a march up Yonge street, along College and down University avenue, twenty recruits joined the regiment. Sixteen more cadets than last week were on parade. Two hundred are desired and for this number the regiment has uniforms.