

# GEN. LOGIE PLANS TO REMOVE POWER PLANTS FROM DANGER

Power Zone to Be Established at Niagara Falls, Surrounded by High Barbed-Wire Entanglements—Powerful Electric Arc Lights to Discover Intruders—Electric Cars Under Guard.

## NO NEWS OF DETAILS FOR SUMMER CAMP

### Military Summary.

Gen. Logie recommends a plan for the guarding of the power area at Niagara Falls. Mr. P. W. Ellis, chairman of the Queen Victoria Niagara Falls Park Commission, with Superintendent Jackson, are in accord with the plan.

A high barbed-wire fence is to be erected around the power zone for guards to patrol. Electric lights will make detection of intruders easy, and the electric cars are to pass through under guard and without stopping.

No news has come from Ottawa yet as to the summer camp scheme.

134th Battalion to-day mounted guard for the first time.

Brig.-Gen. W. A. Logie is recommending to the authorities a plan for the protection of the power plants at Niagara Falls. To-day Mr. P. W. Ellis, chairman of the Queen Victoria Niagara Falls Park Commission, with Supt. J. H. Jackson, of the Niagara Falls Park, were in conference with Gen. Logie and intimated that they were in full accord with the G.O.C.'s plan. Gen. Logie has recommended the complete closing of the power area zone, and the erecting of a high barbed wire entanglement around the power area. He also recommends erecting electric arc lights in such places, so that intruders can easily be seen, and that the Chippewa cars be allowed to pass through the area without stopping, and under guard all the time.

All employees and individuals employed and authorized by the Parks Commission with business in the power area are to be numbered and passes issued to them with sufficient guards to patrol the area.

The general says that the area will be marked out by the Parks Commission. "It might cause some little inconvenience to the public," said the general, "and slight losses to some concessionaires. These things cannot, however, be considered when the tremendous importance to the public interests of Ontario involved in these plants are thought of."

### Area is Not Yet Defined.

The area to be marked out is not yet defined, but it will be considerable, taking into its zone the tremendous power plants on the Canadian side in the park area of the Niagara Falls Park.

No news from Ottawa has been received at military headquarters and the G.S.O. are anxiously awaiting the all-important communication from the Militia Council at Ottawa giving the details of the summer camps for this district.

For the first time, the 134th Battalion mounted guard dressed in the kiltie uniform, which is the Davidson tartan. It is Kiltie day at the Exhibition camp and the skirl of the pipes was heard as the guards went out to the day's duty.

Seven chaplains are on duty this week addressing recruiting meetings in various parts of this district; some have already fulfilled their duties and others will to-day and to-morrow. Capt. Crawford Brown was in Penetang, Capt. McClurg in Midland, Capt. Peterson at Collingwood, Major G. H. Williams will go to North Bay to-morrow. Capt. Duncan will speak at Milton Sunday, Capt. Oke will speak on Sunday night at Hamilton, Lieut.-Col. J. Wright spoke at Peterboro yesterday.

### Jewish Rabbi Visits Patient.

For the first time in the history of the camp hospital, a Jewish Rabbi was required to visit the Central Hospital to see one of his flock, who was seriously ill. Private Ross, of the American Legion, is seriously ill, and the Rabbi came to visit him. The soldier is slightly improving to-day.

It is not generally known that in every case at the hospital the A.M.C. and the senior chaplain, Major G. H. Williams, keep in touch with every man's religious connection. Whether a Catholic, Protestant, Jew, or any other religion, should the man be taken seriously ill, his priest, pastor, rabbi, or whoever is the proper person to call is immediately notified. To-day Rabbi Jacobs was the first Rabbi called in such a case, merely because this is the first case in which it was serious enough to do so.

Senator J. S. McLennan and Secretary Scammell, of the Dominion Hospitals Commission, are in town to-day and were here yesterday afternoon. They were conferring with Lieut.-Col. F. W. Marlow over the work of caring for returned soldiers. Another party of 138 returned soldiers will soon be in Canada, 32 of them are for this district.

### The First Veterans' Association.

Toronto has the honor of forming the first association of the veterans of the present war. It is the work of members of the 3rd Battalion men returned.

The name of the organization is "The Third Battalion (Toronto Regiment) Veterans' Association." Major W. A. Curry, invalided, now of the 82nd Battalion, is chosen president, pro tem. Honorary presidents, Major-Gen. J. S. Mercer, Brig.-Gen. R. Renzie, Lieut.-Col. W. D. Allan, Patrons—General W. A. Logie, Colonel Sir Henry Pellatt, Col. A. E. Gooderham, Brock, Le Vesconte, Mason, Kingsmill, Reg. Pellatt, Aemilius Jarvis, Major Cameron, and Mayor T. L. Church.

Sergt. J. J. Shanahan is secretary. Qualifications of membership: All who have seen honorable active service in France with the Third Battalion.

It is to be a permanent organization. A reunion will be held within the next two weeks.

### Thursday's List of Recruits.

Yesterday, 63 recruits were accepted out of 102 volunteers. They were distributed as follows:

208th Irish	15
170th Mississauga	7
204th Beavers	6
67th Varsity Battery	6
201st Light Infantry	5

195th Buffs	4
180th Sportsmen's	4
216th Bantams	3
166th Queen's Own	2

### To-morrow's Big Rally.

Energetic preparations are being made by the 204th Battalion for the part they are to play in the monster patriotic demonstration in Riverdale Park on Saturday afternoon. The Beavers were fortunate enough to secure one of the choicest sites in the park for holding an outdoor meeting. As they were early with their application, they got possession of the stand for the toboggan slides on the east side of the park, near Broadview avenue. This stand has already been decorated with flags, streamers, and banners, and will be used for the public speakers.

The battalion will hold a parade from the Richmond street headquarters, accompanied by their brass and bugle band. A fine range of talent and military music has been arranged.

### R.C.H.A. is a Good Bid.

Men who enlist in the Royal Canadian Horse Artillery, Kingston, will be in England in a few days. As there is no other artillery call at present, and as men who enlist in the R.C.H.A. are entitled to the city's insurance, this call is an excellent opportunity. Application is to be made to the Recruiting Depot.

The depot also makes calls for men for special duties: One cook and one butcher for Kapuskasing camp; three men stenographers for the Central Convalescent Home; two grooms for Exhibition camp.

### The Nationalities of 204th.

Once more the English recruit has pulled ahead of the Canadian-born, and this time it is in the 204th Beaver Battalion. The English, with a total of 184 recruits, have a safe lead over the Canadians, who have 155 men. Another interesting fact in this battalion's enlistment is the race between the single and the married men for first place. The following table shows the nationalities:

	Total.	
	Single.	Married.
Canadian	97	58
English	64	120
Scottish	24	20
Irish	13	10
West Indies	1	1
American	3	2
Isle of Man	1	1
French	1	1
Newfoundland	1	1
Welsh	2	1
Channel Isles	1	1
Total	206	225

### Grenadiers 640 Strong.

The 16th Royal Grenadiers paraded at the Armories last night 640 strong, all ranks.

The 110th Irish Rifles, which is at present engaged in the work of raising the 208th Irish Battalion, also paraded last night at its headquarters, St. Lawrence Market. It had 300 of all ranks out.

At the parade of the 9th Mississauga Horse last night Lieut.-Col. Vaux Chadwick made a call for men for the 124th Pals Battalion, which requires a few men to fill up ranks.

### 170th is 660 Strong.

The 170th Mississauga Battalion is now 660 strong. The classified groups in this unit are progressing splendidly. When a man enlists he is given a card which bears his trade or calling. When the man presents himself for drill he is placed in that one of the groups which his card designates. So that it is the usual thing for the man to find friends immediately in the ranks.

By enlisting in the 170th, getting down to work at once, and informing those in charge that he desires to enter the next class for N.C.O.'s, a man has a chance in this unit that he cannot equal elsewhere.

### Hudson Bay Men Enlists.

Burton's Bantam Battalion secured a recruit of the proper spirit yesterday in the person of Charles F. Yates. When the war broke out Mr. Yates was in the employ of the Hudson Bay Company at Fort George, near the north end of Hudson's Bay, after several profitable years of mining in the Gowganda and Cobalt sections. When he heard that a Bantam Battalion was offering to small men an opportunity to serve at the front, Mr. Yates came to Toronto and joined the ranks of the 216th as a private. His first act after joining was to hand to Col. Burton a marked check for \$100 as a contribution to the battalion's fund.

### Separation Allowance at Once.

Recruiting for the 204th Battalion in Ward One received a bad blow owing to a mistake which occurred in an evening paper on Wednesday. In answer to a correspondent who had asked for information concerning the Beavers. The interested person wanted to know when a married man's separation allowance starts, and the reply was that it did not start until he reached concentration camp. That is the unfortunate point which has caused several prospective recruits in the ward to balk, and Lieut. W. P. Prior reports that several men refused to enlist yesterday owing to that statement, while he has been besieged by the wives of others who have enlisted and who have been told that the allowance begins immediately upon enlistment. The latter is the case. According to the latest orders issued to the paymaster of Military Division No. 2, separation allowance will be issued to married men immediately upon enlistment, and in addition they will receive subsistence allowance of 60 cents per day where quarters and rations are not furnished by the army.

### Ward One Still Leads.

Ward One has increased its lead over Ward Six in the ward race for the Beaver Battalion, the house-to-house canvass directed by Lieut. F. W. Prior proving a decided stimulus to recruiting. The parade strength

## MEMBERS OF "D" CO., 1



R. A. Woods, 2 Peel ave.



H. M. McMillan, 113 Shuter st.



F. J. Roberts, 108 Hallam st.



W. Walker, 194 Simcoe st.



A. Brown, 46 Augusta (rear).



B. Long, 94 Hope ave.



M. L. Fitzpatrick, 42 Agnes st.



W. J. Lock, 376 Gilbert ave.

of the battalion, 432, is made up as follows:

Ward One	123
Ward Two	35
Ward Three	34
Ward Four	31
Ward Five	55
Ward Six	116
Ward Seven	38

### Divine Service at the Camp.

Divine service for the troops has been arranged as follows for Sunday:

Roman Catholics at Exhibition camp will parade for divine service at 8.15 a.m. to the Dairy Building. At 9.30 a.m. the 83rd will parade to St. Joseph's; 92nd to St. Paul's; 123rd to St. Francis'; 124th to St. Basil's Church; 126th will attend St. Helen's Church; 127th, 166th, 180th, 198th, St. Patrick's Church; and the 208th St. Michael's Cathedral.

Soldiers of the Jewish persuasion are to attend their respective synagogues at 8.30 a.m. and 12.30 p.m. Officers are requested to see that the soldiers are given the opportunity to attend service.

The Cyclists, Artillery, A.S.C., A.M.C., and other unattached units will attend divine service in the west end of the grand stand at the Y.M.C.A. at 9.30.

The 81st will attend service in their regimental quarters, the 83rd at Jarvis street Baptist; 92nd, St. James' Square, Presbyterian; 95th, Dairy Building; 123rd, regimental quarters; 124th, T. Eaton Memorial Church; 126th, St. Judes' Anglican Church; 127th, regimental quarters; 166th, Bloor street Presbyterian; 169th, Trinity East Church, Anglican; 198th, Elm street Methodist; 201st, Central Presbyterian, and the 216th to St. Phillip's Anglican.

### Irish Headed the Poll.

The steady upward tendency of recruiting for the Irish Fusiliers culminated yesterday in a long lead for the Irish. Though the total of 15 for the day was small compared with some figures of the earlier days: the nearest battalion had just half that number.

The Fusiliers have been particularly fortunate in securing as N. C. O.'s several seasoned old-timers. Three Sergeants Finnegan and Hasset, and Corporal Hales, spent 21 years with the Imperial Army, and both are soldiers of wide experience, both in peace and war. Sergt. Hasset possesses no fewer than seven bars for distinguished service in the South African campaign. He took part in nearly all of the severe engagements of that war, including Belmont, Modder River, Johannesburg, Belfast, Pieter's Hill, Colenso Heights, as well as many minor actions. Sergt. Hasset wears the King's and Queen's South African medals.

Corporal James Hales, a member of Canada's most famous regiment, the Princess Pats, signed up with the Irish Fusiliers yesterday for further active service. Hales was wounded and gassed on May 8th, 1915, and was afterwards invalided home arriving in Toronto on October 25th. Last Friday he was again pronounced fit for active service, and as soon as he could arrange his affairs he immediately joined the Fusiliers.

Corporal Hales is another Imperial Army veteran, having seen 21 years' service with the British Grenadiers, his last rank there being that of company sergeant-major. He has seen service in Ashanti, Egypt, South Africa, France, and Belgium.

### News of 201st Battalion.

Three officers of the 201st had a strenuous time this morning. A friend had kindly promised the loan of a gramophone to the battalion for the purpose of giving concerts in their recruiting office at 13 Queen East on evenings when the armories are open. The gramophone was situated at the western limits of the Davenport road. The battalion motor-car was eventually successful in negotiating the trip, but if any first-hand information is required as to the state of the roads in that locality it will be gladly furnished by the officers in question.