
MOUNTED POLICE FOR WAR WORK

(Special Despatch to The Globe.)

Ottawa, Dec. 22.—The western Provinces have been requested to relieve the Royal Northwest Mounted Police of Provincial duties, so that the force may be in a position to devote its energies to the enforcement of Federal ordinances and to war work. As a consequence, the Provinces are to undertake the organization of Provincial police for the duration of the war.

The change has been rendered necessary owing to the additional boundary patrol work necessitated by the war. For instance, the Mounted Police have reappeared in Manitoba since the war commenced, after fifteen years' absence from the Province. In addition to the work there are many new duties imposed on the force through the provisions of the war measures act.

It has been found difficult to keep the force up to strength, owing to the heavy enlistments. Many members of the force are leaving from time to time as their three-year term of office expires.

Consequently Alberta and Saskatchewan will have to organize Provincial police, as Manitoba did before the war.

TEIPER FOUND GUILTY OF MURDERING MOTHER

(Canadian Press Despatch.)

Buffalo, N.Y., Dec. 22.—John Edward Teiper is guilty in the second degree of the murder of his mother in the Orchard Park road on the night of January 30. That was the verdict of the jury, which reported this afternoon after twenty-nine hours of deliberation. Teiper will probably be sentenced Thursday, December 28. At that time his counsel will make application for a new trial.

The sentence prescribed for second degree murder is a minimum of twenty years' imprisonment.

The family are well known in Hamilton, where they resided for a number of years.
