

THE FORT PRISONERS

NOW NUMBER 223 — MORE ARRIVED TUESDAY EVENING

The Prisoners Will be Furnished With Winter Clothing — Some of the Suspects Kicking Up.

The number of war prisoners at Fort Henry is now the largest since war was declared. A count made on Tuesday evening showed that 223 were in confinement at the old fortification. Some weeks ago there were 204 inside the walls, but this number has been increased during the past few days. The last lot of prisoners to arrive were brought to the city on Tuesday evening from Windsor, where they made an attempt to cross the American border.

In the course of a couple of days, the prisoners will be furnished with winter clothes. A supply consisting of a heavy sweater, socks, caps, underwear and moccasins has arrived at the fort.

At the present time there are no prisoners confined to the hospital at the fort. There are not in serious condition.

During the past few days some of the military police have been experiencing difficulty with a couple of the prisoners. On Tuesday one of the men deliberately threw some dirty water down into the well which is used by the men for washing purposes. He was placed in a cell for doing it, but was only there a few minutes when one of the other prisoners deliberately opened the door where the man was locked up.