

FIRED SALUTE AT "EX."

A royal salute was fired on the lake front at the Exhibition camp at noon to-day in honor of the birthday of Queen Alexandra. Four 12-pound guns from Stanley Barracks discharged 21 shots, and the firing party was under command of Major Merritt. Prisoners of war in Stanley Barracks gazed out of the windows and wondered.

Following inoculation for typhoid fever, the men of the 19th Battalion were excused from drill to-day. The men apparently did not suffer from the dose, but all precautions were taken. They will also be excused to-morrow morning.

One officer from each of the companies of the 19th Battalion went to Hamilton to-day to attend the funeral of the 19-year-old daughter of Col. J. A. MacLaren, commander of that battalion. One platoon of 31 cyclists came in from Montreal. The headquarters of the Artillery Cyclists and Field Ambulance will be situated in stable No. 35. Major-General F. L. Lessard will give an address on "Discipline" to-night.