

MAY CLOSE FORT HENRY AS INTERNMENT CAMP

REASON HAS NOTHING TO DO
WITH CONDITION OF PLACE
OR OF PRISONERS.

(Special Despatch to The Globe.)

Kingston, Feb. 19.—The Militia Department is considering the question of transferring German prisoners interned in Fort Henry to other camps, and closing the fort for internment purposes. The reasons for this move cannot be published, but it is not owing to any complaints made on behalf of the prisoners, although last year the German Government complained that the fort was unsanitary. United States Consular representatives of Germany repudiated this charge, as they found the fort to be in good condition, and the health of the prisoners showed it. At present there are more than 300 Germans in Fort Henry under Major Date. Several have got away since the camp was established in the fall of 1914, but none ever got away from inside the walls.

NEWS OF CANADIANS.

London, Feb. 19.—The following are posted as prisoners: 401,626, Night;

447,320, Everett; 53,547, Bromley; also Lieutenants E. W. White and D. W. Davis, attached to the Flying Corps. Chaplain A. G. Emmett has gone overseas. Chaplain F. J. Moore is posted at Epsom Hospital. Chaplain Benoit to Hastings. Chaplain Vipond to Uxbridge. Chaplain J. O. Murray to Eastbourne.

Germans Would Resume Pacific Ship Service

(Special Press Despatch.)

Amsterdam, Feb. 19.—According to The Telegraaf the Nederland and Rotterdamse Lloyd Companies will shortly reopen their service with eight passenger steamers between Java and San Francisco. Ports of call will be Hong Kong, Nagasaki and Honolulu.

Jewish Philanthropies Start Successful Fund

Ten thousand dollars were subscribed yesterday as a result of the first day's house-to-house canvass by the army of workers for the Federation of Jewish Philanthropies. It is expected that at least \$50,000 will be realized.