

# INTERNMENT CAMP STARTED

Col. S. J. Clarke and Capt. Spence are at the Head. Canvas City of 260.

By the beginning of the week the Internment Camp at Castle Mountain will be in full running order, a canvas city holding 260 persons is covering the flats near Castle Mountain and Col. S. J. Clarke the organizer of the militia at Banff will within another short week duplicate the present camp at a suitable place near the present one.

Each camp will be guarded by 40 members of the 103rd. under the charge of Captain P. M. Spence of Calgary with Color Sergeant Auger as Drill Master and of course Simon John Clarke the Col. of this detachment of the 103rd. In fact it is owing a great deal to Mr. Clarke's figuring that this camp was made for the Park and "Colonel" is his honorary title from now on, and possibly his early experience in the N.W.M. Police would still give him a Southern right to the handle.

Captain Spence is a well known Calgary soldier, and will be in direct control of the Camp all the time.

Twenty Banff citizens have joined with twenty more from Calgary.

These men are signed up the same as the soldiers who have gone to Europe but only for home defence, their term of service is so long as the country is at war, and they receive the regular soldiers pay which is \$1.10 per day.

Their first drill took place at the recreation grounds last Thursday under Drill Sergeant Auger. The regulation clothes and arms were issued, the place taking on quite a military appearance.