

MILITARY OFFICIAL INSPECTS INTERNED ALIENS QUARTERS

**Lieut.-Col. McPherson, of Ottawa,
Visited Aliens and Guards**

Lieutenant Colonel McPherson, of the internment operations staff, Ottawa, stopped off at Brandon yesterday on his visit of inspection of the various alien enemies camps in Canada. He was met by Captain D. W. Coleman of the Prisoners of War staff here, who is now taking over gradually the duties of Lt. Col. Clark in that regard: and shown over the entire quarters, which he minutely inspected, asking many questions regarding the efficiency of the new guard of 99th regt, comfort of prisoners, etc. Lieutenant Colonel McPherson expressed pleasure at the quick manner in which the 800 aliens were, at his request, lined up and the roll call taken and checked off.

Later the Colonel made a motor tour of the city. It is his first visit here and he made many complimentary remarks about the schools, residential quarters and other places; and his comparisons with Ottawa were not at all disparaging to our city.