

# BACK FROM VERNON

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## Officer Commanding Here; Staff Expected Soon.

Col. Ogilvie, D. O. C., Col. Duff Stewart, commanding officer of the 23rd Infantry Brigade, and other officers, arrived from Vernon this morning. It is expected that the staff will reach the coast in a few days.

The only regiment to remain at Vernon for the winter will be the squadrons of the 31st B. C. Horse, which are detailed to guard the internment camp.

In regard to the movement of troops forward from the coast, Col. Ogilvie said that the matter was entirely in the hands of the authorities at Ottawa and that he had no statements to make.