GUARDS' HOSPITAL CLOSED SATURDAY

Emergency Institution No Longer Needed For Soldiers or Civilians

NO NEW CASES REPORTED

Epidemic Amongst Soldiers Ended—Military Funerals of Three Returned Men Held Saturday

It was stated by Major-General E. W. Wilson on Saturday that the Grenadler Guards armory emergency hospital had been closed, this being made possible by the collapse of the influenza epidemic, both amongst the soldiers and civilians. The armory was cleaned and fumigated, preparatory to using it for the military work for which it was built.

""The hospital has done splendid

work during the emergency period," said General Wilson, "and it has undoubtedly saved the lives of many soldiers and civilians through the devoted efforts of the medical officers and nurses who joined in the work there."

That the epidemic is ended so far as the soldiers are concerned is evidenced by the fact that reports sent to General Wilson on Saturday and Sunday showed no new cases and no deaths, with three discharges.

THREE FUNERALS.

Three military funerals took place on Saturday, of returned discharged soldiers who had died of the disease here, while on Friday afternoon a military funeral was accorded the late Pte. Herbert Allan, of the 2nd C.G.R., who died of influenza at Kapuskasing internment camp. He was buried from Jos. Wray's undertaking establishment, and the firing party was furnished by the 4th C. G. R. Interment was made at Mount Royal Cemetery.

On Saturday the funeral of the late Pte. James Robertson, of the 42nd Highlanders, was held. He served overseas, and since his discharge resided at 1064 Wellington street, where he leaves a widow. He was buried under the auspices of the Last Post Fund, the 1st Depot Battalion furnishing the firing party.

At 2.30 on Saturday afternoon a military funeral was held for the late Pte. Douglas Drew, who served overseas with the 24th Battalion. He was invalided home, and lived with his father at 4297 Dorchester street. Interment took place at Mount Royal Cemetery, and the firing party was from the 1st Depot Battalion.

The third military funeral held on Saturday was for the late James Montpetit, who served overseas with the 22nd French-Canadians. He went overseas with the 22nd when it was first organized, and saw a lot of hard fighting, eventually being wounded by shrapnel which destroyed the use of his right arm, and he was invalided home and discharged. Since his return he resided with his mother at 431 Workman street, Ste. Cunegonde. The funeral was held from there at 8.30 Saturday morning, to Cote des Neiges, the firing party being from the 2nd Depot Battalion.