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2 pkgs Corn Flakes	25c	3 cakes Rising Sun	25c
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PLANS FOR DEMOBILIZING CANADA'S OVERSEAS TROOPS

Will be Put Into Operation Immediately on the Declaration of

Peace—Married Men Will Probably be Returned First—

Work of Sorting Out Will be Done in France and England

Before Embarkation—Rate of Return will be About Twenty Thousand Each Month.

Ottawa, Nov. 18—The military side of demobilization of Canada's army overseas has been completed and is ready to be put into operation immediately peace is declared and the higher command of the Allies consents to the withdrawal of troops.

Matter of Precedence

The question of precedence for the returning Canadian troops has been carefully gone into by the special Canadian committee on demobilization which has been working in England and Canada since 1917. At first sight it would appear that the first battalions on active service should be the first to be demobilized, but it has been pointed out that all these old battalions have received new drafts and the proportion of service in say the first division is little different to that of the fourth division. Every battalion in the line has been reinforced to at least five times its original strength.

The possibility of bringing Canada's troops back in units was carefully gone into and it was decided that the practical should be considered with the sentimental. The economic needs of the labor market and the time of the year the men would reach home had to be taken into consideration. Another point made against demobilization by units was that since the heavy fighting territorial regiments have lost considerable of their identity having been reinforced by drafts from other districts. Thus a Montreal unit might be returned for disbandment to that city only to find that a large percentage of its strength, joined by draft after casualties, was from Nova Scotia or British Columbia, and as a result the several hundred men would have to be shipped again for other points, causing delay, confusion, and unnecessary strain on limited railway fair limits.

On the close co-operation between the military side and the economic side of demobilization, it was decided that it would be better to first return men whose trade classification showed there was immediate need for them from an industrial point of view. The question of married and unmarried men was also gone into. Preference is to be given to married men because of their heavier responsibilities. This class, under the scheme was again divided and the order of their return will depend on the length of time they have been away from home. Then comes single men in accordance with their length of service overseas.

The sorting out of men according to occupation and whether married or single has to be done at some stage of demobilization and it has been decided in order to prevent unnecessary cross-travelling in Canada and delay in returning the men to their homes, to do this sorting in France and England before embarkation.

Some Figures

The military scheme of demobilization of necessity comes first. The number of Canadian troops overseas according to the latest figures was 286,304.

An estimate of the number of men to be discharged based on the number recruited by provinces is in round numbers:

Ontario, 121,500.
Quebec, 39,500.
New Brunswick, 12,500.
Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island, 15,500.
Manitoba, 33,500.
Saskatchewan, 18,500.
Alberta, 21,500.
British Columbia, 25,500.

For the purpose of demobilization Canada has been divided into twenty one dispersal areas and men are to be allowed to return to any area selected by them, regardless of the place of previous residence or enlistment. The rate of return to each area will be in accordance with the proportion that the number desiring to return to such area bears to the entire force. The men will return in standardized drafts of 500 all ranks.

It is the intention of the militia department to discharge men immediately on reaching their dispersal area so that they may quickly return to civil life.

20,000 a Month

The rate of return at the beginning will be about 20,000 a month. It was felt that it may not be in the interests of the men themselves nor that of particular areas, to have troops return regardless of their occupation in civil life and the economic needs and re-

quirements of the labor market of the particular area. Consequently the militia department has classified the men into occupational groups. It will be possible in this way for the men to be returned in accordance with the demand of any particular area. The department also hopes to return men with any special trade or profession should a demand for such be made.

All necessary work in connection with documentation and medical boards will be completed before the disembarkation of troops in Canada and the troops will be immediately entrained and transported in a body without delay to the dispersal station. It is anticipated that a draft arriving in the morning can be disbanded if desired before night.

The men will bring back with them certain equipment. All the field guns and machine guns, with what munitions may be decided upon by the Canadian government, will be brought from overseas. The men will retain their uniforms, great coats, steel helmets and other wearing apparel.

In addition to the demobilization of soldiers of Canada's own units there will enter into the problem of demobilization and reconstruction the large number of Canadians discharged from the imperial and Allied forces and also the men who have been engaged overseas in the making of munitions and other war work which will be discontinued when peace is signed. Arrangements have been made for handling these classes.

Soldiers' Wives

The problem of the return to Canada of the wives and families of soldiers who are at present in England, estimated at about 35,000, has been entrusted to the department of immigration. Every effort will be made to return to Canada these families quickly and in such a way as not to retard transport of troops. The desirability of having the soldier's home reestablished before his arrival is fully appreciated.

LOCAL NEWS

More Booze in a Bigger Bowl
St. John Times: Complaint is being made that extract of lemon in especially large bottles is a new branch of mercantile activity in some second rate shops. The ordinary household size has been abandoned it would appear. What a slew of lemon cake St. John is eating these days.

Death at Penniac

Mrs. Edith Maud Johnson wife of Mr. Walter Johnson of Penniac died last night at her home in Penniac from heart failure following a brief illness. She was aged forty years. The deceased is survived by her husband, four sons Walter L., George C., William D. and Kenneth E. also one daughter Miss Annie E. Johnson. The funeral will take place at two o'clock Wednesday afternoon with service at the Methodist Church Penniac, by Rev. Dr. Harrison and Rev. J. B. Daggett. Interment will be made at the Methodist Burying Ground.

Meeting of the Board of Trade

A meeting of the Executive of the Board of trade is to be held at the Board of trade rooms on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. Several important matters are to be brought up one of these is a communication from R. M. Coulter the Deputy Post Master General. Mr. Coulter states that during the months of July and August a weekly half holiday was given on Saturday or some other day to the Mail Carriers. A petition has been received asking that this be continued throughout the year. The communication asked the Board of Trade to consider the matter and advise the Department whether in the opinion of the Board it would cause any serious inconvenience to the public if the request were granted.

Death at Springhill

The death occurred at Springhill this morning of Mrs. Florence Louise Gallagher wife of George Gallagher of that locality. The deceased was 45 years of age and is survived by her husband, four sons, Leslie, overseas, Walter, Kenneth and Donald at home and by four daughters, Mrs. Theodore Hopper of Elgin, Albert county and Florence, May and Ruth at home. Her mother Mrs. Stone and one sister also survive together with two brothers, Walter Stone, manager for the N. B. Telephone Company at Woodstock, and Arthur overseas. The funeral will take place tomorrow at 3.30 o'clock service being held at the house at 3.00 o'clock. Interment will be made at St. Peter's Cemetery, Rev. Canon Cowie conducting the service.

Paris, Nov. 19.—French advance guards yesterday entered the town of St. Louis, opposite, Basle, Switzerland.

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