

600 DOCTORS ILL.**Epidemic in Madrid Getting More Victims—Mortality is Low.**

Madrid, May 30.—The epidemic which is sweeping over Spain, a disease which somewhat resembles grippé, is increasing in severity. There are more than 150,000 cases in Madrid. The mortality, however, continues to be low.

The King arose from a sickbed to-day, but is still unable to attend to matters of State. The fact that more than six hundred doctors are suffering from the effects of the disease hampers an efficacious fight against the epidemic.

CANADIAN PROMOTIONS.**Names of Those Reported to be Prisoners Given in Gazette.**

(Canadian Associated Cable.)

London, May 30.—Lieut. A. B. Fairclough is gazetted Captain, and E. N. Copping, Saskatchewan; R. E. Shelds, R. O. Campney, and L. E. Wilmott, Central Ontario; H. J. Whitford, Manitoba, are gazetted Lieutenants in the Royal Air Force.

Lieut. W. A. Paul, Yeomanry, formerly Canadian, who has been a prisoner since January, has been repatriated.

The following are reported prisoners: Lieut. D. Clelland; 47,612, Waters; 11,870, Inkster; 114,394, Scott; 15,115, Pritchard