

## TORONTO.

Most of the infantry units in the Toronto Military District have been warned to get ready for overseas.

Board of Control voted a \$2 war bonus, dating from April 1, to first-class firemen receiving over \$1,250, and the grade increase to others.

Mrs. Letitia Layland, wife of a soldier, was drowned at Centre Island while attempting to rescue her four-year-old daughter, who was also drowned.

Changes in the school curricula will be deferred until the Ontario Educational Association can consider the revisions, according to Hon. Dr. Cody.

The finest postal facilities in Canada will be established in the new Union Station, Postmaster W. E. Lemon announced at the convention of postal clerks.

Eight members of the Royal Air Force are under arrest charged with theft and conspiracy. One escaped by tying bed-clothes together and sliding out of an upper window.

## THE DOMINION.

There was a net gain of 11,772 in the Canadian Expeditionary Forces during June.

The Ontario Railway and Municipal Board is conducting an inquiry into the natural gas situation at Chatham.

The business section of the town of Graham, Ont., was wiped out by fire, doing damage estimated at \$700,000.

The Food Board has arranged for a supply of farina for feeding young children during the hot summer months.

J. G. Foley, Clerk of the Crown in Chancery for ten years, and in the civil service for thirty-five years, has been superannuated.

The employees of the transportation, motive power, car and passenger departments of the Grand Trunk have been given increases of wages.

Rev. A. C. Eddy and Rev. T. H. Blott, lately of the Hamilton Methodist Conference, have been ordained as deacons in the Anglican Church.

Mrs. Margaret Bean, one of the oldest residents of Kitchener, formerly Mrs. (Rev. Jacob) Wagner, was found dead on the floor Sunday night, though she had been at Sunday school and church in the morning.

## BRITISH AND FOREIGN.

An epidemic of Spanish grippe has invaded Switzerland, and is spreading rapidly, attacking particularly persons under 40 years of age.

Henry Johnson and Robert Robinson, colored soldiers from New York, have been cited for bravery while fighting with their units in a sector of the French front.

Premier Lloyd George, in moving a resolution in the House of Commons congratulating the King and Queen on their silver wedding, paid tribute to the manner in which the King had faced the war and its perils.