

# RECRUITMENT CONTINUES IN THE LAKEHEAD

Recruitment for various Canadian military units progressed in the Twin Cities in the month of June 1917. Major Huntington, recruiting for the 230th Forestry Battalion was pleased to state that a large majority of the men who had enlisted recently all passed their medical exams. Recruitment for this battalion closed in mid June with the last draft of local recruits leaving for Brockville, ON for training.

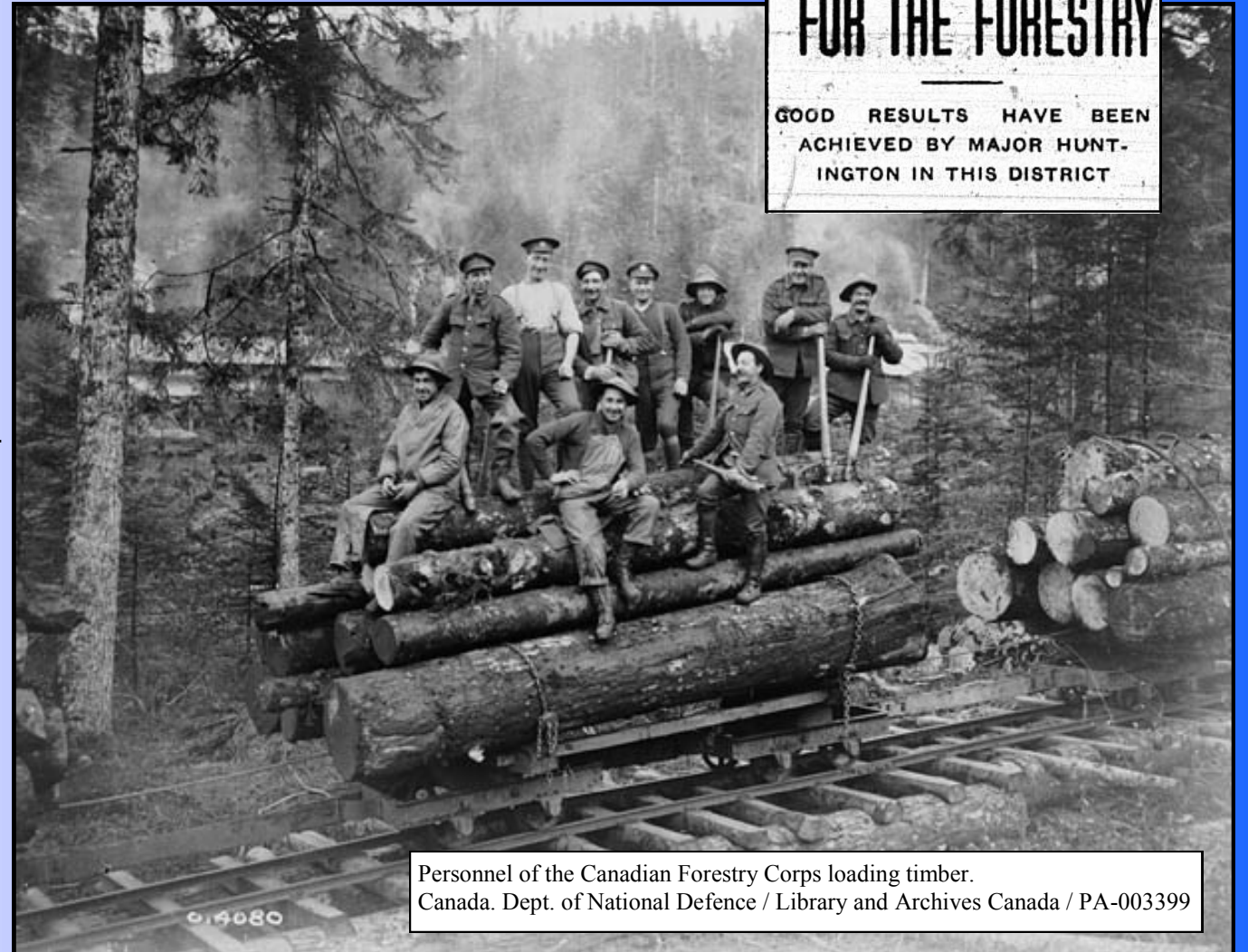
Enlistment also ceased in the Lakehead for the Divisional Signalling Corps. Lieut. Bennett who had been recruiting in Port Arthur and Fort William for some time announced that the all recruits would be mobilized to Ottawa to continue military instruction.

It was also stated by Sergeant Morgan of the No.10 Railway Construction Battalion that while all recruits would be leaving overseas shortly, the battalion was still accepting enlistment applications for experienced railroad men, stenographers, clerks, storekeepers, electricians and mechanics.

In early June, Sergeant John MacLeod of the Inland Water Transport Corps, who had been seeking local recruits since spring, told newspapers that the local recruitment office would soon be closed and anyone wishing to enlist would need to apply to Sergeant Johnson in Winnipeg.

Finally, 37 soldiers previously attached to the 141st Bull Moose Battalion who did not leave with the battalion overseas due to sickness learned that they would be taken over by the 96th Lake Superior Regiment CDF.

**MANY RECRUITS  
FOR THE FORESTRY**  
GOOD RESULTS HAVE BEEN  
ACHIEVED BY MAJOR HUN-  
TINGTON IN THIS DISTRICT



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