

"THE MISSISSAUGA"



THE 170th CANADIAN
OVERSEAS BATTALION
BORDEN CAMP, CANADA

A. M. Reg. No. 57,231

"I'm thinking of YOU everyday"

A Soldier's Letter

I haven't had time to sit down and write,
And thought perhaps you might pine;
So I send you this card just to say I'm alright,
And getting along "real fine."

When the Empire's Call for more men to fight
For her Honour—in me caused a thrill;
I felt I must, or else I should "bust,"

So I'm at Camp Borden hard at drill
The work it is stiff, we're "at it" all day,
And sometimes half of the night;
But we're hardening to it and getting quite fit,
And thank goodness for "Dust" we're alright.

My duty calls me as you very well know,
To the Front where the fightin' is done;
And when our bunch get a grip on the foe
There's no letting go till they've won.
So cheer up, my dear friend, tho' parted we are,
And though I'm not far away,
My loved ones are ever FIRST in my thoughts,
I'm thinking of YOU everyday.

POST CARD



FIELD POST



~~Overheard~~
I think that the
on the other side
is true to hope in
that part of the country
you may hear an occasional
grumble amongst the boys
but when it comes down
to the real thing they
are all right. Yours
Bob

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