



CANADIAN CORPS REUNION
SOUVENIR PROGRAMME

WHY THE CANADIAN CORPS IS AGAIN TAKING LEADERSHIP

The Canadian Corps Association was born on Flanders Fields—mothered by Service to others and raised amid scenes that instilled intense abhorrence of War and all that goes with it.

The Canadian Corps Association is opposed to War—every man wants Peace and the joys of “home fires”—yet as realists, the Canadian Corps Association will again sternly defend our homes with might and main, if need arises.

Today Canada needs men of dependable qualities—an army, if you will, of loyal citizens—men who love Canada as a great Dominion—as bearers of the Torch of Freedom, as BUSINESS MEN who have unfaltering faith in the future of Canada.

In Toronto in 1934 the Canadian Corps Association met in Reunion. After careful thought the officers acceded to the insistent demand from the rank and file that

the Canadian Corps Association step forward to give leadership to Canadian thought.

They point out quietly, that Canada is a home land worth the best that any man can give it. It is a wonderful place in which to live.

We have freedom of action, freedom of speech. We, the people, make Canada what Canada is.

The Canadian Corps Association feels that Canada needs men who will stand up for civil and religious liberty—a group of loyal peace-loving citizens—business men who are convinced that preparedness against quick “coups d’etat” by aggressors or dictators is an urgent need of Canada today.

The Canadian Corps Association sincerely believes that the best possible protective measure Canada can take is to inculcate in its citizens an intense faith in Canada, an enduring love for their homes, and their inalienable rights as Canadian citizens.

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P R O G R A M M E



- 1. Friday, July 29th, 8 p.m.** French Village opened by the Mayor of Bully Grenay and handed over to Mayor Day of Toronto. Mayor Day hands the village over to the troops.
- 2. Friday, 10 p.m.** Torchlight Parade to the Maple Leaf Baseball Stadium. Old war-time tunes sing-song in Stadium. **10.30 p.m.** Baseball game between Montreal and Ontario.
- 3. Saturday, 11 a.m.** Parade of Colour Party to the Cenotaph and official opening ceremonies by the Rt. Hon. William Lyon Mackenzie King, C.M.G., P.C., M.A., LL.B., LL.D., Prime Minister of Canada.
- 4. Saturday, 2:30 p.m.** Canadian Corps March Past. The Hon. Major Ian Mackenzie, P.C., M.A., LL.B., M.P., Minister of National Defense, will take the salute. Parade “falls in” at Fleet Street lighthouse and marches along Fleet Street and up Yonge Street, along Queen to University. Dress—medals, berets and arm bands.
- 5. Saturday, 7 p.m.** Unit dinners to be held in Toronto. There will be a remote control radio hook-up from the Canadian Corps dinner in the Royal York Hotel to all dinners. Reading of the resolutions.
- 6. Sunday, 10 a.m.** Ceremony at Prospect Cemetery. Service at the Cross of Sacrifice in memory of the twenty-one hundred men who have been buried there since 1918. **11 a.m.** R. C. Military Mass at Varsity Stadium. **2:30 p.m.** Drumhead Service in Riverdale Park against a background replica of Vimy Ridge Memorial. **8:30 p.m.** Canadian Corps Reunion Revue—“Twenty Years After”—to be held in the Coliseum Building, embracing all the best war-time artistes of the Canadian Corps.
- 7. Monday, 9:30 a.m.** Drill competition in front of the Canadian National Exhibition grandstand. Teams of twenty-five men will participate. **10:15 a.m.** Unveiling of unit plaques in Coronation Park. **11 a.m.** Soccer game at Stanley Park. Imperials versus Canadians. **2:30 p.m.** Parade of Canadian Corps by towns. **8:30 p.m.** Boxing in front of Canadian National Exhibition grandstand. **10:30 p.m.** Community Sing Song and Closing Ceremonies at Riverdale Park.

GOD SAVE THE KING

**BIRD'S EYE MAP OF THE
BRITISH FRONT. SECTION 1**

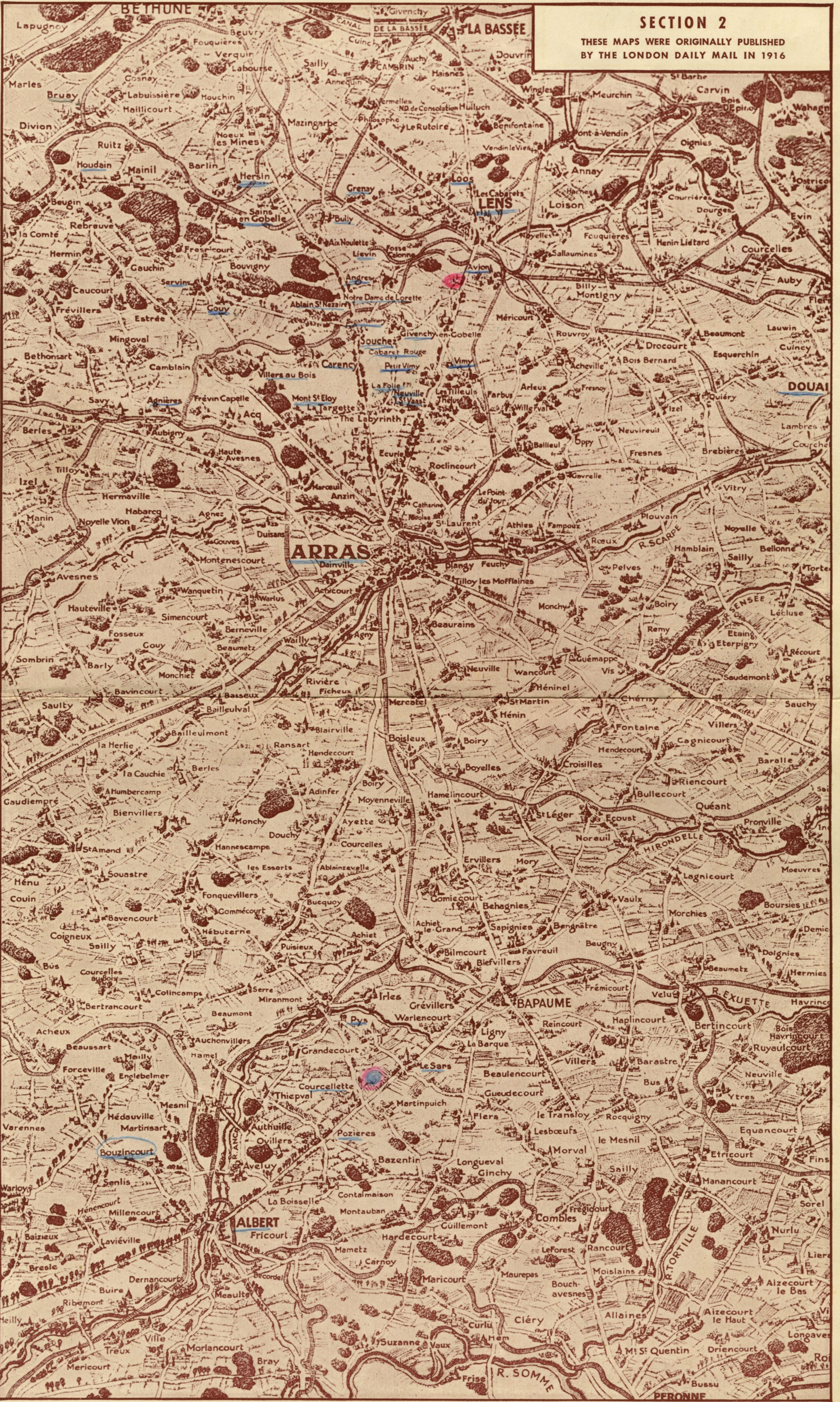


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LA BASSEE

SECTION 2

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sincerely hope that the Corps' reunion
will be an outstanding success.

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