ATHER MORE THAN 50 YEARS AGO, A YOUNG MAN RECENTLY OUT FROM ENGLAND JOINED THE SECOND CANADIAN MOUNTED RIFLES AT VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA. TRAINED AT THE IMPERIAL DEFENCE COLLEGE AS A PROFESSIONAL SOLDIER, HE WAS SOON TO TEST THEORY AGAINST PRACTICE ON THE BATTLEFIELDS OF FRANCE AND BELGIUM. THERE HE WAS EXPOSED TO SOME