

141ST IS SOON TO LEAVE FOR OVERSEAS

**Goes as Unit if Over Strength
of 700—The Final
Inspection**

Again, speculation concerning the departure of the 141st Bull Moose Battalion was a prominent topic of conversation in the Lakehead in February 1917. While it was known that the battalion's would be going overseas sometime soon, it was still unknown how imminent it would be. Also unknown was the fate of the battalion once they did arrive in Europe. Would the battalion remain as a whole detachment or would it be broken up into drafts to reinforce other battalions already in the midst of battle? Thankfully, this discussion would be put to rest in April with official mobilization orders being provided to the battalion.

**141ST NOT LIKELY TO GO TO
FRONT AS UNIT, SAYS COLONEL**



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