

YOUNG BOYS-like twins Ronald Gordon (left) and Roger Allen Johnston of Sechelt, B.C.—sign up for seven years but have the option of asking for release at the end of five years. (Photo by LILLEY)

Soldier Apprentices Find Army Camp Like Boys' School

KINGSTON, Ont. @-Canada's Johnston of Sechelt, B.C., left first 16-year-old soldier appren-school to join the apprentice tices are changing the face of squadron.

the army. The 64 apprentices quartered the fact they are being paid in this area-41 at the Royal while receiving military, trade Canadian School of Signals at and academic training. They re-Vimy and 23 at the Royal Cana- ceive half the pay of a private dian Electrical and Mechanical for the first year and then go on Engineers' School at Barriefield full allowance according to rank -are finding that life in an "SOFT GLOVE" VARIETY army camp can be much like that in any boys' school. Enlistment requirements call for a minimum grade eight education and many of the boys, like identical twins Ronald Gordon and Roger Allen

Gamma Globulin To be Tried on Polio Victims

OTTAWA (CP) - Arrangement have been completed for a test the end of five years. During the here met to discuss the matter. in Canada of gamma globulin, a first year of training, academic "We feel that we should be substance being experimented studies - mathematics, physics allowed to make such deliveries. with in the United States as protection against paralytic pol- and 19 weeks in the second year, to 11 p.m., if a person is having ment announced today.

preliminary reports of studies in the U.S. are "encouraging," and tice will receive 30 days' leave delivered-if the law allowed." that in limited experiments the with full pay and allowances. occurrence of paralysis among those who suffered from polio 8 a.m. and take eight 45-minute was less in those who re- training periods during the day. ceived gamma globulin than in After supper there is a superthose who did not. vised study period and then the

Final evaluation of the use- boys are on their own until 10 fulness of the product, however, p.m. when they are required to will require further clinical ob- be in bed. servation and study.

Production in Canada will be handled by the Connaught Medi- Most cal Research Laboratories, Toronto. Special equipment is being obtained from the U.S. time to permit the preparation of an initial quantity for the early summer. A federal grant of \$67,000 has been allotted to buy the equipment.

to United Nations Headquarters Gamma globulin is obtained here buy U.N. postage stamps from human blood plasma, with either for letters or collections, a pint of blood required to pro- says Reidar Tvedt, U.N.'s top viue a single dose of gamma postal official. globulin. The amount available .. By the end of 1952 some 11,000,this year will be small. 000 U.N. postage stamps of all

A conference of provincial denominations had been purpublic health and research ex- chased. Total gross revenue since perts was held here recently last Oct. 24, when U.N. stamps under the chairmanship of Dr. went on sale, is \$895,520, he re-G. D. Cameron, federal deputy ported. minister of health. This group recommended that clinical trial of gamma globulin be carried out in certain areas as indicated by the number of polio cases which develop.

A standing committee consisting of representatives of provincial public health and research institutions and medical schools is being formed. Its main function will be to keep in touch with the polio situation and to assure the most effective distribution of gamma globulin.

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General Eisenhower Among Thousands Stricken by Flu Epidemic in 16 States

NEW YORK (AP)-The wide- particularly serious.

on the decline in at least 16 creasing somewhat in Kentucky, disease itself is relatively mild. states, with only three states re-

porting a sizable increase. Elsewhere, respiratory infections are running near norma for the winter period.

The survey indicated the outbreaks have been more distressing than dangerous. In most cases the illness lasts only three to five days. Few deaths have

resulted directly. The four states hardest hit by must be stepped up in Russia. infection a week ago - Texas. A Soviet spokesman stressed in an object lesson from the recent Arkansas, Tennessee and Minne- Moscow that "secret enemies" of announcement that nine doctors, sota-all reported conditions the Russian people must be at least five of whom are Jewslightly improved.

Several notables have been Nikolai Mikhailov, one of the ting the death of top Soviet stricken mildly. President and younger men promoted to Soviet political and military leaders. America.

setts director of communicable diseases, said most of the flu this year is A-prime type and not

Biggest change for the boys is Taximen Seek Permission To Buy Liquor

VICTORIA (Taxi firms in Squadron Commander Major Victoria may seek permission liquidation of classes cannot be R. N. Bindoff says treatment of from the provincial government achieved by ending the class war, allowing them to make deliveries but only by intensifying it." the youthful soldiers will be of the "soft glove" variety, with a of liquor and beer to private gradual enforcement of discip- homes.

And that's where the big expressly provides that taxis are message throughout Russia and change in army life occurs. Griz- not allowed to transport liquor. its satellites. zled sergeants are becoming They are, however, permitted to patient teachers. All officers and purchase any other kind of non-commissioned officers have article from a retail outlet and been specially selected for the deliver it, charging the regular taxi fare for the trip.

The soldier apprentice is sign- J. W. Dobbie, taxi co-owner ed for seven years but has the here, said Thursday representaoption of asking for release at tives of several cab companies

a and English—take up 25 weeks Now that the liquor store is open iomyelitis, the health depart- There will be eight weeks of a party and doesn't have any trade training during the first liquor in the house, he could The health department said year and 15 during the second. | phone a taxi office and ask that Each year the soldier appren- a bottle be brought for him and

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spread outbreak of mild flue 'This year's flu is getting more Dr. R. O. Soxvic, North Dakota grippe and other respiratory in- attention because it is hitting all health officer, estimated 8,000 fections appears to be waning in parts of the country about the 10,000 cases have appeared in most sections of the United same time, whereas it usually that state with incidence still A country-wide survey today ever a period of weeks," he said the flu outbreak is the heaviest

Alabama and North Dakota. jumps from one area to another showing a slight gain. He said Infections appeared to be in- in "many years" but that the

the Soviet Union. But he drew

ish have been accused of plot-

evitably lead to the collapse of

coexistence and peaceful co-

'Secret Enemies' of Russian People Must be Eliminated

LONDON (Reuters) - Stalin | Mikhailov made no direct refhas ruled that "class warfare" erence to the position of Jews in

eliminated.

Mrs. Eisenhower have colds and leadership at the Soviet Com- And he strongly hinted that sniffles. Other victims include munist party congress last Oct- further purge is to come. singer Lily Pons and Neva Jane ober, quoted Stalin's directive in Reviewing international affairs Langley, newly-crowned Miss a speech to a Moscow meeting Mikhailov reiterated the pre commemorating the death in viously-expressed Soviet view Dr. Roy Feenster, Massachu- 1924 of Vladimir Lenin, founder that a new world war would "inof the Soviet state.

Mikhailov said Stalin had ex- the whole world capitalist sysploded the theory that the class tem. war would peter out as the Com- But, while attacking U.S. "war munist regime became stronger plans," he nevertheless reaffirmand Soviet society became more ed that Russia believes in the and more classless.

Persons holding such views operation of the two worlds. "can have nothing to do with our party," Mikhailov quoted Stalin as saying.

"They are traitors or fools who must be ousted like vermin. The

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