

## Will Class One Provide The One Hundred Thousand Men?

It will be greatly to the advantage of Canada if the entire quota of 100,000 men to be raised under the Military Service Act can be secured from the first class; that is, from the men between the ages of 20 and 34 who were unmarried or widowers without children on July 6th, 1917.

This is almost self-evident for the following reasons:  
It is admitted that, between the ages of 20 and 34, the average man is at the height of his physical strength and is most adaptable to the change of conditions from civilian life; the military service of unmarried men and widowers without children would occasion less distress than that of most others, since they are largely without dependents. Also, it would entail less financial burden for Canada, through separation allowances, etc.

Authorities estimate that, after all proper exemptions have been allowed, Canada should be able to produce from the first class 100,000 men fit for service, so the drain upon the man power of the country will not be severe.

Members of Class One will be well advised to present themselves for examination immediately to the Medical Board in their district. Upon examination as to their physical fitness, they will be placed in one of the following categories:

- Category A—if fit for service in overseas fighting units.
- Category B—if fit for service overseas in Army Medical Corps, Forestry Battalion, etc.
- Category C—if fit for service in Canada only.
- Category E—if unfit for military service of any nature.

If not placed in Category A, the applicant will know that he is not liable for immediate service, but will go to the Post Office and send in a claim for exemption with his Medical Certificate attached, when he will receive in due course a certificate of exemption until those in his medical category are summoned for service. Where a man, who is placed in category A, feels that exemption should be allowed, an application to the registrar of the district, and the applicant will be informed by mail as to the time and place for the consideration of his application by the Exemption Board.

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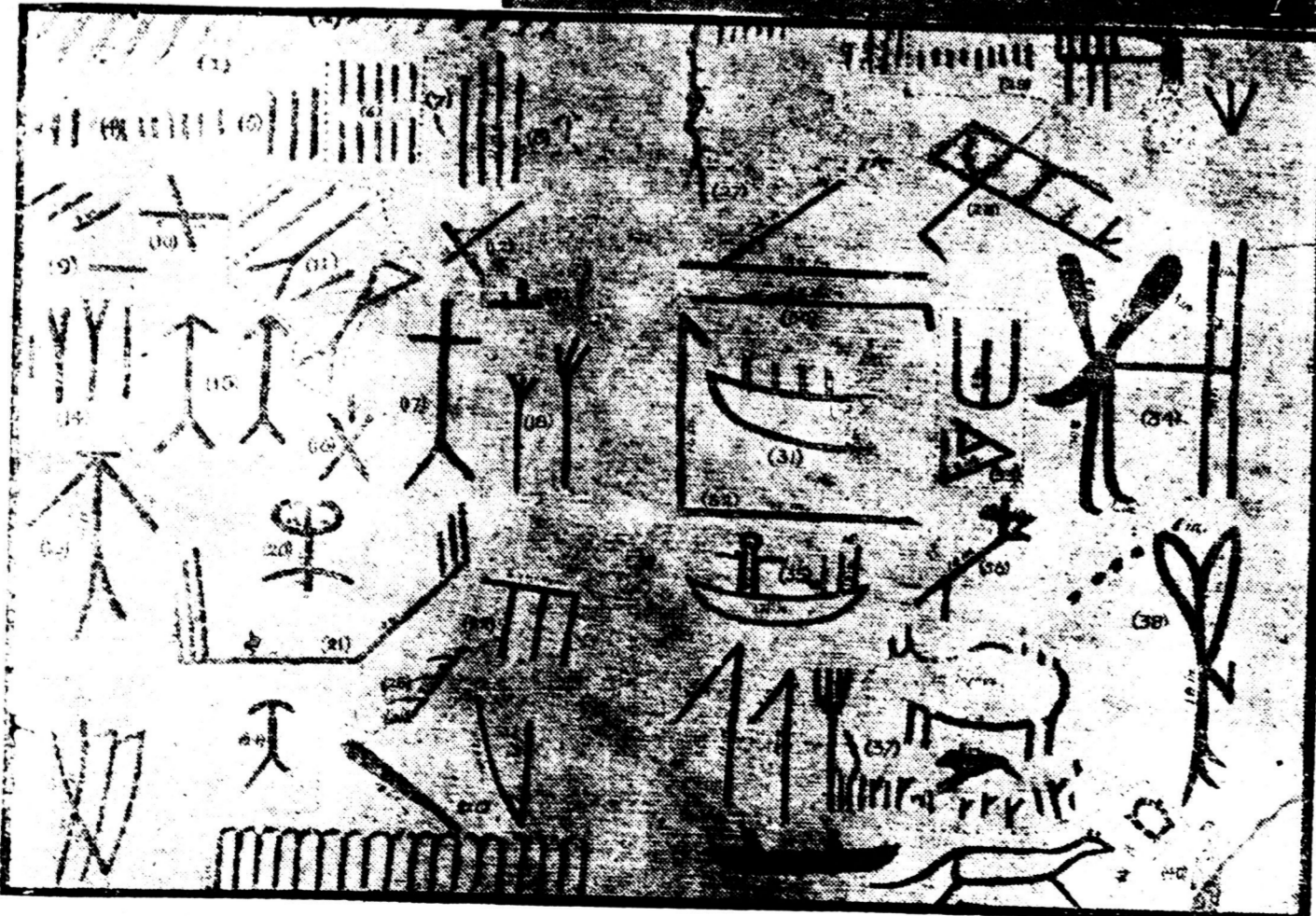
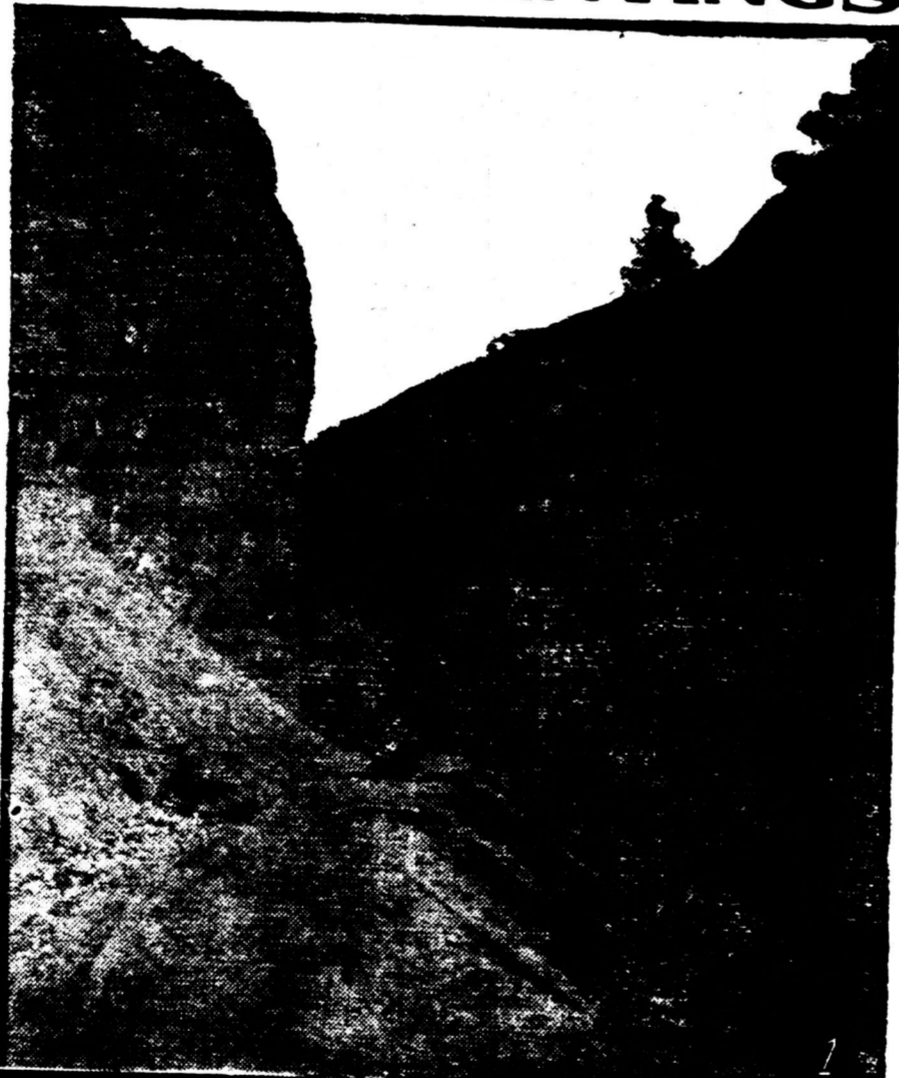
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## CURIOUS INDIAN ROCK PAINTINGS

MANY a mystery remains to be solved concerning the Indian in his earliest stages of tribal existence. Especially is this so regarding the rock paintings, or the crude art known as petroglyphy, some fine specimens of which are to be seen on the Banff-Windermere Road, south of Golden, B.C., on the C. P. R.

It is thought that these aboriginal picture drawings succeeded an earlier sign language, though picture writing is of a very ancient date, as from it came the graphic systems of Egypt, Assyria, and China. On the American continent, the Aztecs, were picture writers and rock painters. The art, if it may be so termed, is related to that of the Indian picture signs drawn on the tent or tepee, or upon tree bark or animal skins.

Some of the rock drawings still traceable on this continent can be interpreted, but many others await translation, as do the signs of the primitive language of the past. Schoolcraft, the Indian authority, speaks of the pictographic work of the Ojibways, which he specially studied. The entire system is a symbolic one, as no doubt was the case with the Windermere examples here illustrated. Figurative signs were made to interpret their magic medicines or features of their nature religion, while hunting and war songs are also included in the list of pictures. The Hurons, Hurons and Algonquins have left evidences of their petroglyphy as important events were recorded on stone, bark and skin. The



(1) On the Banff-Windermere Road.  
(2) Drawings of Indian rock paintings on a cliff on Lake Missanoga.

ancient painter, with nothing but his fingers and paint pots, was held in as high esteem as the medicine man. The second illustration here shown deals with the splendid specimens found on the great Missanoga Rock, on the lake of that name, ten miles north of Kalendar station of the C. P. R., in Ontario. These come out

very clear when wet, the dull red hematite then showing a remarkable clearness. Many objects may be here studied, such as a man on horseback, a canoe with a man standing in it, a canoe and a dog and a tree, suggesting a hunting scene. It is thought they may form records of olden battles fought between the Algonquians

or Hurons of the north and the Iroquois of the south. One would like the curtain of time to be rolled back long enough to see the bronzed artist of long ago at work, and to learn from him something of the significance of his gallery of rock paintings that now baffle his successor, the pale face.

### Important Freight Concessions on Stock

Mr. Geo. L. Woltz, local representative of the Ontario Department of Agriculture is co-operating with the Honorable Martin Burrell in carrying out the plan recently announced, by which important freight concessions apply on carload shipments of cattle and sheep and also on stockers and feeder cattle to country points.

Ontario breeders will be particularly interested in the Free Freight Policy included in the Minister's announcement. Under this policy female cattle under two years of age and ewes three years or younger may be shipped from any Canadian Stock Yards to local points without the payment by the purchaser of freight charges on the same. By arrangement with the Railway Companies twenty-five per cent of these charges will be rebated by the railroads and the remaining seventy-five per cent will be collected by the railway companies direct from the Dominion Live Stock Branch. The shipper will be required to make a bona fide farmer and that the stock so returned is for his own use or that of his neighbors and is for breeding purposes only. Representatives of the Dominion Live Stock Branch, who are now employed in connection with other work at the different Stock Yards, will be prepared to render assistance to shippers in assembling their consignments if so desired.

Farmers who are in a position to handle additional cattle for feeding purposes this winter or for finishing on grass next summer will receive a rebate of twenty-five per cent of freight charges paid on any carload shipment which they may purchase on Eastern Stock Yards. This rebate is being granted by the railroad companies following regulations made by Mr. Burrell regarding the need of making the fullest use of Ontario's abundant supplies of feed in increasing the beef supply of the country.

Owing to scarcity of feed in many parts of Western Canada this Fall there has been a heavy run of stocker and feeder cattle in the Winnipeg Yards during the past few weeks. In view of the fact that feed conditions in eastern Canada are so satisfactory and the demand for feeding is so general the Dominion Department of Agriculture has agreed to pay 50 p.c. of the freight rate paid on carload shipments of feeding cattle from the Winnipeg Stock Yards consigned to country points in Eastern Canada. This concession will be applicable to both drovers and farmers alike. Shippers consigning to Eastern Stock Yards from the Winnipeg Yards will not be entitled to this reduction, however.

The District Representative will be glad to furnish any further information desired and assist farmers in arranging for co-operative shipments, if desired.

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