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INVALID SOLDIERS REJOIN AS CONSTABLES.

Private Frank Merritt, Machine Gun Corps, and Frederick Bennett, Royal Sussex Regiment, both invalided out of the army, were sworn in as police-constables. They belonged to the Constabulary before the war, and advantage was taken of their re-joining for highly commendatory remarks by the Bench. The Chairman said he had read through letters from the officers with intense interest and greatest pleasure, for nothing could be higher than the character given to both for their courage and fidelity. It was delightfully encouraging to find such splendid specimens of their old West Sussex Police, and one was proud that they belonged to Sussex. The Bench heartily wished them success in the retirement which he was sure they well deserved. Mr. Percy Godman, who is Chairman of the West Sussex Standing Joint Committee, said that both men had exemplary characters, and though he was sorry they had been obliged to come home, he was glad indeed to think that they were equally ready to do their duty here.