

Civil Service Casualties.

After diligent inquiry, the Director of Experimental Farms is of the opinion that Capt. R. B. Donaldson, of Nappan, N.S., reported killed, is alive and at the front. The report of his death probably started from the reported death of another man of the same name, but it was credited by the Department of Agriculture, from which *The Civilian* obtained its information.

The revised roll of employees of the Department of the Interior now on military service reveals thirteen casualties not previously reported in this column. Of these, three are of men killed in action.

Those who have paid the supreme sacrifice are LIEUT. ARTHUR S. McLEAN, of the 33rd Battalion, formerly Dominion Lands Agent at Grande Prairie; C. H. MASON, of the 1st Pioneers, who was assistant engineer of the Hydro Survey in British Columbia, and belonged to Vancouver, and F. TEARE, of the Topographical Surveys, Calgary, who went overseas with the 50th Battalion.

The wounded men are LANCE-CORP. ROBERT CRUICKSHANK, D.C.M., who is referred to at length under the heading of "Decorations"; LIEUT. GEO. H. TAYLOR, of the Immigration staff, Winnipeg, with the 34th Fort Garry Horse; CAPT. CHAS. W. ROBINSON, 10th Battalion, sub-agent of Dominion Lands at Munson; DAVID NELSON, sergeant-major of the 30th Battalion, a Vancouver Immigration man; J. J. HARRON, of the 63rd Battalion, who comes from Entrance, Alta.; CAPT. W. A. BLUE and N. R. McPHAIL, of the 1st Brigade, C.F.A.; LIEUT. FLOYD K. BEACH, of the 211th, an Irrigation man from Calgary; LANCE-CORP. G. W. CLARK, from Banff, who went over with the Engineers, and LANCE-CORP. DONALD IVAN GREEN, of the Do-

minion Lands Office at Red Deer, who was in "C" Squadron of the 12th Mounted Rifles.

JOSEPH MULVANER, a Public Works man of Vancouver, missing since August 21st, is now listed as killed in action. He was a recruit of the 11th Irish Fusiliers to the 62nd Battalion, and was wounded in August, 1916, and in April, 1917.

A. BLAIR BOOK, railway mail clerk, Winnipeg district, is wounded. He was connected with the 90th Rifles and volunteered with the 32nd Battalion of "Little Black Devils."

JAMES WARNER, a Public Works man of Haileybury, formerly with No. 1 Tunnelling Company, is wounded.

CORP. W. H. SMITH, of Regina post office, wounded, was referred to at length in the last "Postal Journal."

E. J. GALLANT, a railway mail clerk of the Prince Edward Island district, who went overseas a gunner in a Heavy Artillery unit, has been gassed.

N. AUDOIRE, of the Canadian Emigration staff in London, Eng., was wounded in the Ypres offensive last month and is in hospital in Leith, Scotland.

SERGT. JOHN S. LIVINGSTONE, railway mail clerk, Calgary district, who went over with the 34th Battalion, has been severely wounded in the arm and leg.

DEPARTMENT DIVIDED.

An Order-in-Council has been passed creating the new Department of Immigration and Colonization. The Immigration Branch is separated from the Department of the Interior and the Colonization Branch has yet to be created. W. D. Scott, superintendent of immigration, is likely to be the new deputy minister.