

# THE CIVILIAN

Devoted to the interests of the Civil Service  
of Canada.

Subscription \$1.00 a year;

Single copies 5 cents.

Advertising rates are graded according to position  
and space, and will be furnished upon appli-  
cation.

Subscriptions, MSS intended for publication, and  
all other communications should be addressed  
to:

THE CIVILIAN, P. O. Box 484, Ottawa.

Ottawa, Oct. 1, 1915.

## THE NATIONAL DUTY.

"For those who have fallen we shall not cease to mourn, for the cause to which they consecrated their lives we shall not cease to strive until it triumphs; we are supremely confident it will assuredly triumph, and for that great purpose we are inspired by unflinching determination to do our part."

—Sir Robert L. Borden, London, Eng.

"If anyone here has the mentality to say that this war is not our business, and that Canada is not vitally concerned, I can only say that it is not my mentality. It is a war of absolutism against liberty. If you have liberty at heart, how can any of you say it is not our business?"

—Sir Wilfrid Laurier, St. Lin, P.Q.

"For those who cannot go to the front remains the task of developing and conserving our resources, of providing for the dependents of those who are fighting for us, of caring for the widow and orphans of him who has given his life for his country. And it is for all of us to greatly resolve, by every means that in us lies, to pursue to the end this bitter conflict, that public law, national liberty and common humanity may not perish from the earth."

—Hon. W. T. White, Montreal, P.Q.

## OUR BOYS

Previously reported:

Dead . . . . .	22
Wounded . . . . .	43
Prisoners . . . . .	4

### DEAD.

A. J. ALLARD.  
A. BAKER.  
C. A. COE.  
M. CREIGHTON.  
W. H. DIDSBURY.  
S. M. KING.  
E. ST. C. SALT.  
J. B. F. RACETTE.

### WOUNDED.

R. LACROIX.  
J. F. BLURTON.  
ORVILLE A. HUSTON.

Under the voluntary system a man may shirk his responsibility but he may not escape the reproach of doing so. If he may not go "Overseas," he may train in a local battalion or he may take a hand in one or other of the many life-saving and relief organizations existing or developing. If you are living the same old life of the vaudeville, the billiard-room or the grand-stand, you are a non-producer, a eunuch in the British war-workshop. Lady Maxwell, wife of a former colonel of the Black Watch Regiment, made a rousing appeal at the beginning of the war and it is still applicable. Here it is:

"Every man in Germany, every man in France, all—save the old and the halt and the ill—have risen to their country's call and gone forth to prove their manhood," she declared. "Will Englishmen alone 'sit by the fire and spin'?"