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from overseas known as "The Sons of the Empire", and one of its aims is "that all aliens, enemy, neutral, and friendly, be either naturalized (and thus come within the scope of the Military Service Act), or be conscripted for work of national importance at the rate of pay now received by Canadian soldiers."

The writer devoutly hopes that this aim may be realized, and that other officers and men returning from overseas will not be insulted by the sight of sleek, over-fed foreigners enjoying a security which they are too cowardly to fight for.

III. The alien of friendly nationality is a somewhat difficult customer to deal with, as his attitude towards the war varies so much. The natives of old France, Northern Italy, and other of the Allied countries need no urging along the path of duty, but the numerous Greeks and other Southern Europeans domiciled in Canada are displaying no zeal in the prosecution of this war, and should be treated as outlined in the previous paragraph.

The determination of the future of Canada depends very largely upon the present action of the Government, the women of Canada, and the loyal male civilians who are unable through age or physical disability to fight her battles, towards the aliens within her gates. In common gratitude to the 46,000 men who laid down their lives prior to the commencement of the Allied offensive last August, to those who have since done so, to the men of the Canadian Corps of the British Expeditionary Force now fighting or who have fought, there can be only one answer,-

"Canada was British, is British, and will be British as long as the British Empire remains as it is today, the Champion of the Weak against the Strong and the Ally of Christ against the Powers of Evil, be they represented by Germany or by any other Power that seeks to enslave men."

J. H. E.

MORE DETAILS, PLEASE.

Last Saturday afternoon there was a court of inquiry in room 30 orderly room, to inquire into the illegal presence of a dead mouse in O. R. S. Samuel's tobacco can.

President: Sgt. Williams Witness: Cpl. MacPherson Witness: Spr. Bayard.

It is not fair to our readers to have this bald statement of fact. Give us the report of the Court.

THE TRUE BLUE BOYS IN KHAKI

And the True Blue Boys in Blue.

By Lyn, B. Coy.

From every city, every town,
From villages large and small,
The boys have rallied to the Flag
In answer to the call,
There's thin men, and fat men,
Tall ones, short ones too,
Some are dressed in Khaki
And some in Navy Blue.

Chorus

So here's to the boys in Khaki,
And the boys in Navy Blue,
Ready to do their duty
And defend both me and you,
And when you pass them on the
street

Don't be too proud, just stop and greet,

The True Blue Boys in Khaki And the True Blue Boys in Blue.

Some have left their mothers, Their sweethearts and their wives, And in this fight for freedom, Some will give their lives, There's young men and old men, And there's a place for you, Either wearing Khaki, Or wearing Navy Blue.

(Chorus)

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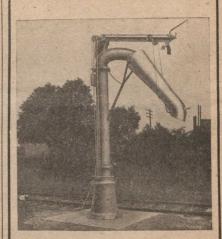
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