

March  
Twenty-fourth  
1923.

Mrs. Mary Brinkman,  
927 Nicholson Street,  
Victoria, B. C.

Dear Mrs. Brinkman:-

I am in receipt of your letter of March 15th in which you ask me to help you get a Mother's Pension. I shall do what I can but I am so far away from Vancouver that I am afraid my influence will not be nearly so great as that of men on the spot.

I remember your husband very well indeed when he was a member of the Old Fifth Regiment and also when he was an officer of the B.C. Electric Railway Company and I was not aware that you had lost him and I offer you my sincerest sympathy. I know that he was a good citizen of Victoria and a good citizen of Canada. I also know that your sons were accepted for service in the late war and I was under the impression that your husband had also served.

I am writing to General Odium in Vancouver to take up your case with the Department and I most sincerely hope results favourable to you will follow.

As requested I am returning herewith the letter from the Mothers' Assistance Department.

Yours faithfully,