the Canadian Patriotic Fund with the concurrence of the Government representative, may extend such assistance for the month of April, 1920.

RULES AND REGULATIONS GOVERNING CLAIMS FOR ASSISTANCE.

- 1. Those entitled to assistance from this Appropriation shall be necessitous cases among the ex-members of the Forces, arising from unavailability of employment, or enforced inadequate employment during the winter of 1919-20.
- 2. No assistance shall be given unless the applicant submits a certificate issued by the duly authorized Information and Service Branch Representative of the Department of Soldiers Civil Re-Establishment, to the effect that employment is not available for him, provided that the Government in each district shall name such representative.

That the actual necessity for assistance shall be enquired into in each individual case by Officers of the Canadian Patriotic Fund, who shall determine (see schedule of assistance Page No. 8) the amount from time to time, of assistance, if any, to be given, and the duration of the same.

Issuing of Allowance.

In the first instance assistance shall not be for a period exceeding two weeks, provided however that thereafter further assistance may be given on the presentation weekly of a card from the said representative of the Department of Soldiers Civil Re-Establishment that there is no employment available for the applicant.

Definition of a Necessitous Case.

Wherever the term "necessity" or "necessitous case" is referred to herein, it shall be deemed to include and mean the case of an ex-member of the Forces who is unable to secure such employment as will yield sufficient remuneration to provide for himself and his dependents or for whom such employment cannot

