

## Editorial Efforts

### AN APPEAL

IN accepting the editorship of the *Canadian Hospital News*, I did so with a feeling that it will be impossible for me to keep this page on par with the articles written by so able a journalist as Capt. O. C. J. Withrow, the late editor. That his sole aim was the advancement and upbuilding of this journal, there is not a doubt. I regret very much his decision to retire, and I take this opportunity of wishing him every success in whatever walk of life the future may have in store for him.

I now want to appeal to every individual in the area represented by the *News* to give their whole-hearted support in order to carry on the work; those who are not in a position to contribute material assistance, I ask them to give me their moral support. Mistakes will occur, my English may not always be the best; do not criticise deficiencies too severely, think only of the fact that it is my earnest desire to make this journal worthy of its name, representing a branch of one of the best organisations in the world—the Canadian Army.

### Dominion Day

By the time this appears in print, the sports committee will have the programme completed in connection with the coming Dominion Day celebration. The committee have spared neither time nor energy to make the occasion worthy of the anniversary it is intended to celebrate. On that day Canada will be fifty years old. Confederation of the Provinces came into effect on July 1st, 1867. Since that time she has been known as the Dominion of Canada.

Although Canada is five years over the "military age limit," she has shown to the Allies, that as a fighting unit she is second to none in the world. Canada is also a Land of Sports, and it is the intention of the committee to make the occasion a day of real Canadian enjoyment. On that day we are going to forget the horrors and privations of war, and do honour to the good old Dominion in a manner worthy of Canadians.

THE EDITOR.