

MORE MEN NEEDED.

The urgent need for patriotic fighting Canadians to join, or reinforce, their brothers at the front still continues. The fact that we have been receiving better war news lately does not mean that the war is about over and it is not worth while to enlist. It just means that the Allies have now got on a parity with the Teutons in the matter of men and munitions, but the process of overpowering the enemy has not more than begun. British statesmen are very hopeful, but they counsel patience and give warning that victory will not be secured without further heavy sacrifice.

Throughout the British Empire the call of duty is still sounding clear and shrill. Victory is not yet assured, and, until it is, every man who can enlist should at once get into training and be ready to supply the fresh reinforcements that may be vitally necessary in winning the last stages of the conflict.

The 207th Ottawa-Carleton Battalion has a considerable number of civil servants among its officers and men. It will gladly welcome as many more as will join it out at camp on the bank of the Ottawa. Many men in the Civil Service take an active part in athletics, they are intelligent men and a desirable class of recruits.

The number of men who have already gone from the Civil Service, the honors which they have won, and the recognition of their bravery and achievements in official despatches should be an inspiration to others to enlist and emulate their heroic deeds.

It is not beneath any man's dignity to enlist as a private to fight in a righteous cause and in defence of his country. Some qualified officers are now going as privates rather than delay longer in Canada. Many good men, including one Member of Parliament, are in the uniforms of privates, and if every Canadian does his duty there will be thousands

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