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Montreal, P.Q.,  
221 St. Urbain St.,  
March 4/24.

Major-General Currie,

Sir:

Please excuse the liberty I take in trying to write to you, but owing to my husband been a returned ex-soldier I know you will acknowledge my scribble, Sir, as he is one of the original 13th Batt. and is not able to work, also got no pension at all. I thought I would write to you as you may know of some one who would have some cast-off clothing or shoes, also I might be able to get some light work to do. I am not long out of hospital myself, as I had a tubercular kidney removed, and it has not left me very strong. So you will understand, sir, with nothing coming in the house how hard it is for us to live. We have sold about all our furniture to live so far and now as work is very hard to find for either men or women, it is worse. I feel that if you can help us in any way, you will, owing to my husband being a soldier, as you know what they went through in France. Now he is left with no health, it is very hard on us. He needs good shoes to keep his feet dry and things to keep him warm, which we can't get, owing to not having means. The last work he did was in France. Now he is not able to work. Please, sir, if you can advise us what to do I will be glad, as it will help us.

Thanking you,

I remain,

(Mrs.) Florence Jones.