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GOVERNMENT TO INCREASE PENSIONS TO SOLDIERS

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Ottawa June 24—The special committee of Commons to deal with pensions, of which Hon. N. W. Rowell is Chairman and Mr. W. F. Nickle vice Chairman, presented their recommendations to parliament this morning.

They provide for the following increases in pensions to soldiers and dependents of soldiers, the same to be given parliamentary sanction under the provisions of the bill to be introduced without delay:

(a) That a bonus for one year of twenty per cent be added to the pensions of privates and corporals (militia) and ratings below petty officer (naval) who now receive \$600 per annum for total disability.

(b) That a bonus for one year of approximately thirteen percent be added to the pension of Sergeants etc. (militia) and chief petty officers, etc. (naval) who now receive \$637.50 per annum for total disability so as to make the amount of their pensions including bonus equal to that of a private or corporal or ratings below petty officers.

(c) That a bonus for one year of twenty per cent be added to the pensions of widows and parents of privates and corporals (militia) and ratings below petty officers (naval) who now receive \$480 per annum.

(d) That a bonus for one year of approximately thirteen percent be added to the pensions of widows and parents of sergeants, etc. (militia) and chief petty officers etc. (naval) who now receive \$510 per annum so as to make the amount of their pensions including bonus equal to that of the widow or parents of a private or corporal or a rating below petty officers.

(e) That the additional pension for a married member of the forces who is totally disabled be increased from \$96 per annum, as it is at present, to \$180 per annum.

(f) That the additional pension for the first child of a widow or the first brother or sister of a deceased member of the forces be increased from \$144 per annum, as it is at present, to \$180 per annum.

(g) That the pension for the first orphan children, orphan brother or sister of a deceased member of the forces be increased from \$288 per annum as it is at present to \$360 per annum, and

(h) That the addition to pension for these who are helpless and in need of attendants be increased from \$300 per annum as it is at present to \$450 per annum.

The increases proposed in sub-sections (a), (b), and (c), above set forth will apply proportionately to cases of disability of a less extent than total disability.

Total Expenditure

The additional expenditure for the present year on the basis of the existing number of pensioners will be approximately \$3,380,000 made up as follows:

(1)—Twenty percent bonus for one year to privates and corporals, (militia) and ratings below petty officers (naval) and a thirteen percent bonus to sergeants, etc. (militia) and chief petty officers, etc. (naval) approximately \$1,300,000.

(2)—Twenty percent bonus to widows and dependent parents of privates and corporals (militia) and ratings below petty officers (naval), and a thirteen percent bonus to widows and dependent parents of sergeants (militia) and chief petty officers, etc., (naval) approximately \$1,500,000.

(3)—Increased pension for a married member of the forces from \$96 to \$180 per annum, during one year approximately \$275,000.

(4)—Increased pensions for the first child of widows from \$144 to \$180 per annum, during one year approximately \$275,000.

(5)—Increased pension for the first orphan child from \$288 to \$360 per annum, during one year, approximately \$300,000.

Generous Treatment

Canada since the beginning of the war, has dealt more generously than any of the allied countries, to those of her citizens who have suffered disabilities or the dependents of those who have been killed during service, and under the proposed scale, Canada's pensions will continue to exceed those paid by other countries.

At the outbreak of the war, British, Belgian, French, Italian and other allied reservists were recalled to their

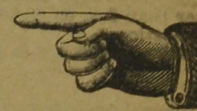
country's and other reserved forces overseas, in considerable numbers.

Owing to the lower scale of separation allowance prevailing in these countries and applicable to their families, assistance was given them by the Canadian patriotic fund. The number of widows of British and allied reservists, who are domiciled in Canada will not exceed 450 and the committee have agreed to recommend the awarding of a supplementary pension, which when added to the amount received by widows and their children of reservists from their respective governments, will equal the amount of pension payable to the widows and children of members of the Canadian forces. This supplementary pension will be paid only while such widows and children continue to reside in Canada.

The Committee also considered the representations made by the great war veterans' and other bodies that Canadians suffering disability who are now receiving a British pension and where, at the outbreak of the war, also domiciled and resident in Canada and agreed to recommend the awarding of a supplementary pension to the imperial pensioners, which will make their pension equal the amount

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of pension payable to similarly disabled members of the Canadian forces

Supplementary Pensions

According to figures submitted about 2,000 supplementary pensions would be granted under these recommendations. The expenditure for these supplementary pensions will not exceed in the aggregate \$500,000 per annum.

The total number of disability pensioners, as of the 31st of March, 1919 was 44,726 (not including widows and children) for which the government then carried a yearly liability of \$7,476,167.96. The total number of dependents pensioners as of the same date was 16,888 (not including children) for whom the government then carried a yearly liability of \$9,636,939.50 or a total of 61,614 pensioners of all classes and a total yearly liability of \$17,113,107.46.

It is anticipated that an additional 36,000 pensions for disabilities will be awarded during the fiscal year April 1, 1919 to March 31, 1920, with a yearly liability of \$5,400,000 under the present rates or \$6,500,000 under the proper rates, including the bonus.

The total yearly liability at the present rates of pension will be approxi-

mately \$25,000,000. Adding to this the cost of the proposed bonus payments and increases in pension for married members of the forces and for children, namely \$3,380,000 for those on pension at March 31, 1919, and \$1,500,000 for those to come on pension during the fiscal year 1919. The supplementary pensions for all reservists namely \$500,000 the total liability for this year will probably be approximately \$30,000,000.

The estimated total possible liability for pensions under the provisions of the proposed bill submitted, will not exceed \$39,000,000.

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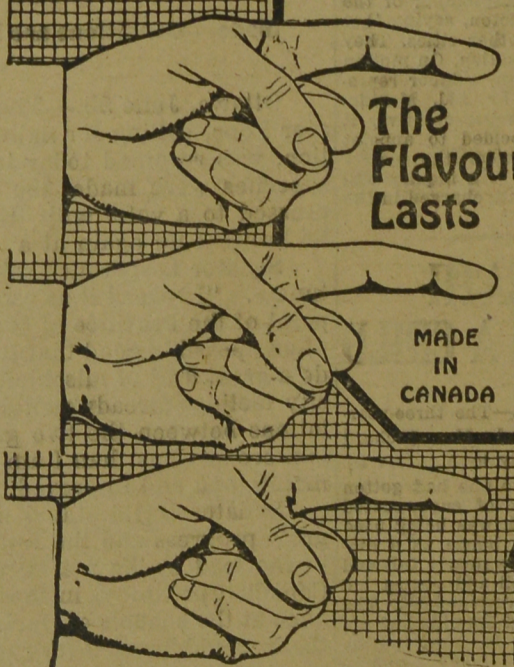


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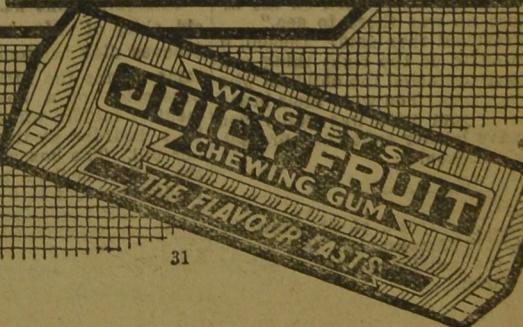
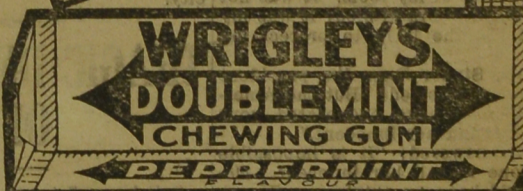


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