

C O P Y.

War Office,

London, S.W.

0137/4925.(H.S.3.)

9th September 1918.

Sir,

I am directed to request that you will forward by the 1st December 1918, the names of Warrant Officers, Non-commissioned Officers and men recommended for the Meritorious Service Medal without annuity or gratuity.

2. The number of recommendations should not exceed twenty(20) and should be recorded on Army Form W.3121.

3. Award should be confined to highly meritorious Services rendered other than in a theatre of war, as the recognition of the services of soldiers who have not served overseas is the main object of the present awards.

4. No troops who are under training for overseas are to be included in the above recommendations.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

(Sgd) M. D. GRAHAM, Colonel.  
for Lieutenant-General.  
Military Secretary.

Administrative Headquarters, Dominion of Canada.  
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Dominion of New Zealand..  
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