

Conscription

Read pages 42 - 43 to answer the following questions:

1. Who was Canada's Prime Minister during WWI? _____

2. What was the government's promise?

3. What is conscription?

4. Why did Canada introduce this?

* All men between the ages of 19 and 45 were conscripted.

5. Who specifically strongly opposed conscription? _____

6. Which three general groups opposed conscription and why?

7. Would you support the government of Canada if they joined a war today and imposed conscription? Give three reasons why or why not.