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## MESSAGE TO YOUNG MEN.

"After a long life I shall remind you that already many problems rise before you; problems of race division, problems of creed differences, problems of economic conflict, problems of national duty and national aspiration. Let me tell you that for the solution of these problems you have a safe guide, an unfailing light, if you remember that faith is better than doubt, and love is better than hate.

"Banish doubt and hate from your life. Let your souls be ever open to the strong promptings of faith and the gentle influence of brotherly love. Be adamant against the haughty; be gentle and kind to the weak. Let your aim and your purpose, in good report or in ill, in victory or in defeat, be so to live, so to strive, so to serve as to your part to raise the standard of life to higher and better spheres."—Sir Wilfrid Laurier at London, Ont.

## THE BONNE ENTENTE.

Judging by the lengthy reports appearing in Toronto newspapers, the recent visit to Ontario of a large party of prominent citizens of Quebec known as the "Bonne Entente Committee," has been a pronounced success. The object of the bonne entente is the promotion of racial harmony and inter-provincial good will, and judging by the enthusiasm extended to the visitors by the people of Toronto and Hamilton and the sentiments expressed in addresses delivered at banquets given in their honor, there will be much closer and friendlier intercourse between the people of Ontario and Quebec in the future than has been the case in the past. The list of speakers at the Toronto banquet included Sir Lomer Gouin, Premier of Quebec, Hon. W. H. Hearst, Premier of Ontario; Sir Geo. Garneau, Mr. N. W. Rowell, M.P.P., Mr. Huntley Drummond and Major General Lessard. All of the speakers struck a lofty note and made a strong plea for the promotion of that spirit of national oneness and good will so essential to the future prosperity and greatness of the Dominion. The Toronto banquet, seems to have been a genuine love-feast and if the speakers meant what they said the "Bonne Entente" movement is sure to have far-reaching results in promoting harmony and good feeling among the people of the two great races which inhabit this Dominion.

Sir Lomer Gouin, whose speech is described by one paper as "a masterpiece," struck the keynote when he said: "A better time could not be chosen for promoting the brotherhood of English and French speaking peoples, when there is a closer union of hearts and minds than ever before between the two great mother nations across the sea. This is the time to both preach and practice unity in Canada. Providence, nature, and history alike proclaim our brotherhood."

The following from the Toronto Globe, prompted by the bonne entente gathering in Toronto should be the sentiments of all patriotic Canadians at the present time:

"It is in the midst of a terrible conflict, at a time when our country is following the fortunes of her own soldiers at the front, that thoughtful men turn to the consideration of inter-provincial relations and amenities in the Dominion. Differences of race and tongue and creed appear so paltry, so stale and unprofitable, when viewed in the light of flashing guns and bursting shells out there in France and Flanders, where the earth shakes with the tread of armed nations who have given up everything that Europe and the civilized world may be saved from the crowning curse of German domination. At such a time there can be but one voice in this Canada of ours. It may speak with many tongues and pray at various shrines, but the voice of Canada must be the voice of a united people. The appeal that our soldiers make to the imagination of Europe as they hold the line against the foe and immortalize their country in military annals is that of a young nation from the New World rallying to the defence of the 'altars of its fathers.' What matters their differences of race and tongue and creed? Europe knows them only as Canadians, as soldiers of destiny, who march with their faces to the dawn. There, on the battle front with its high emprise and countless hazards that test their sincerity of purpose and their firm faith in the cause that claims them, the true spirit of Canada shines forth. No petty prejudices, no sectarian differences, no racial intolerance disturbs the harmony of this young Canada as it stands to arms and bars the road to Calais."

## THE BOARD OF TRADE.

The annual address of President Jas. S. Neill, delivered to the Board of Trade on Wednesday evening, dealt in a practical way with many matters of importance to this community. Mr. Neill, as a successful business man of long experience, knows that success is only achieved by hard work. He knows also that a live Board of Trade can do much to advance the interests of this community, and his appeal therefore to members to take a more active interest in the work of the Board should not go unheeded. Mr. Neill's failure to see a "personnel" from which future officers and executive can be chosen may possibly be due to the fact that today we have automobiles and other modern inventions which demand and receive attention from young business men, who seem to be willing to let the "old guard" look after Board of Trade and other matters that require united effort. This is of course not as it should be. Many big problems will need to be grappled with earnestly when the war is over, and a lot of strenuous team work by young and old will be necessary if Fredericton is to occupy a larger spot on the map.

That was a pretty scaly trick the Provincial Government played on the Fredericton Tourist Association last year, when it buncoed it out of the sum of five hundred dollars, being one half of the annual grant. The money was voted by the Legislature, and the understanding was that the Fredericton association should be paid \$1,000, which amount it has received each year for nearly twenty years. When members of the association asked for the grant they found the government, as usual, "hard up," and they had to be content with half a loaf. When they tried to collect the balance they were told that the vote had elapsed and to pay it over then would be establishing a bad precedent. The spectacle of this government of hold-ups and scandals fighting shy of a bad precedent would make a horse laugh. The fact of the matter is the Government squandered so much money on patriotic potatoes that it was obliged to curtail at the expense of the Tourist Association.

New York Evening Post: It need not be a very large leak which allows Thos. W. Lawson to percolate into public view.

Through Our Sieve

Plenty of time yet for an old-fashioned winter.

There seems to be plenty of money available for lawsuits even in war time.

Pretty tough, havin' our ice crop ruined by too much rain.

It's a safe bet that Ambassador Gerard had no loved ones on the Lusitania.

What the stock market needs most these days, is a safety clutch.

Yuh can't scare a feller these days by tellin' him the hens are layin' fer him.

Most of the soft jobs which become vacant these days seem to be shaped only for lawyers.

This is the time of year when the fellow who knows how to make hens lay has his inning.

The Indians who have found out how to get "soused" on hop beer have at least struck a blow at the high cost of boozing.

A man is not really beginning to develop until he stops complaining at the way the world serves him and begins to wonder how he can serve the world.

Mrs. Darling says that a person can live on 36 cents a day, and Charlie Schwab says it can be done for \$15,000 a year; but perhaps the lady's estimate allows for a different make of limousine from that favored by the steel king.

## MARYSVILLE NOTES

Happy Birthday Party at the Residence of Mr. S. I. Hallett.

Marysville, Jan. 10.—Monday evening last being the birthday of Mr. S. I. Hallett, the teachers, officers and choir of the Main Street Baptist Church met at his home and a most enjoyable evening was spent. Mrs. Hallett, being an extremely thoughtful lady, proceeded to separate the choir, which took a room by themselves, also the teachers and officers. The latter, with Superintendent S. I. Hallett, made out plans to be adopted for the good of the Sunday school in the present year. After a very pleasant and helpful talk, Mr. Hallett was presented with a handsome signet ring as a small token of appreciation of his work as superintendent. Mr. G. A. Tapley made the presentation in a very pleasing manner. Mr. Hallett very feelingly replied in a few well chosen words. After the presentation luncheon was served and at last the magnificent birthday cake was cut. We read about Elijah's fire that con-

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## ALLIES REPLY TO U. S. NOTE VERY ABLE DOCUMENT

Following is a summary of the Allies' reply to President Wilson's peace note delivered at Washington on Wednesday:

Their (the Allies') objects in the war will not be made known in detail, with all the equitable compensations and indemnities for damages suffered, until the hour of negotiations. But the civilized world knows that they imply, in all necessity, and in the first instance, the restoration of Belgium, of Serbia and of Montenegro, and the indemnities which are due them.

The evacuation of the invaded territories of France, of Russia and of Roumania, with just reparation.

The reorganization of Europe, guaranteed by a stable regime and founded as much upon respect of nationalities and full security and liberty of economic development which all nations, great or small, possess, as upon territorial conventions and international agreements suitable to guarantee territorial and maritime frontiers against unjustified attacks.

The restitution of provinces or territories wrested in the past from the Allies by force, or against the will of their populations.

The liberation of Italians, of Slavs, of Roumanians and of Tcheco Slovaks from foreign domination.

The enfranchisement of populations subject to the bloody tyranny of the Turks.

The expulsion from Europe of the Ottoman Empire which has proved itself so radically alien to western civilization.

The intentions of His Majesty the Emperor of Russia regarding Poland have been clearly indicated in the proclamation which he has just addressed to his armies.

It goes without saying that if the Allies wish to liberate Europe from the brutal covetousness of Prussian militarism, it never has been their design, as has been alleged, to encompass the extermination of the German peoples and their political disappearance. That which they desire, above all, is to ensure a peace upon the principles of liberty and justice, upon the inviolable fidelity to international obligation with which the government of the United States has never ceased to be inspired.

United in the pursuit of this supreme object, the Allies are determined, individually and collectively, to act with all their power, and to consent to all sacrifices to bring to a victorious close a conflict upon which they are convinced not only their own safety and prosperity depends, but also the future of civilization itself.

## PERSONAL

Mr. H. S. Campbell is on a business trip to Boston.

Mrs. Kathleen Holden has returned from Newport, R.I., where she has been undergoing a training course for a nurse.

summed the offering and licked up the water around the altar. Well, the members of the choir, after being gorgeously helped, consumed what was left and licked up the dish. The happy gathering broke up at a late hour, all wishing Mr. and Mrs. Hallett many happy birthdays.

Miss Vella Tapley is confined to her home, threatened with congestion.

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