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### LIFT WHERE YOU ARE

J. Eachern Smith, Manager

There is an evident impatience among our people now that we are actually "at war". The long war of nerves preceding the outbreak of hostilities was hard to bear and now that we are "in it" we all feel we should be doing something. It may seem strange to suggest but it is true nevertheless that right now we can best serve our country by doing our immediate job as well as possible. As new avenues of endeavour open, and new opportunities present themselves we should be ready to take up new duties and responsibilities but right now good advice is to "lift where you are".

While we know men are dying in defence of liberty it perhaps sounds selfish to even talk of living normally. Yet if we do not do so the effect on our chances of victory might be disastrous. The ordinary life and business routine of our country must be continued. If we should sit down to bemoan our fate or get panicky the business of production in our country would soon be at a standstill. We would become so discouraged and disorganized that we would be little help to our allies and be easy prey to an enemy. By continuing to live as close to normal as possible, losing no opportunity to render service whenever the opportunity presents itself we will build up a morale and strength for resistance which in the long view will make all the easier and quicker the triumphal ending of the war.

We all can help, but we must remain calm and with reasoned determination resolve to "lift where we are" in whatever calling or vocation of life we may be engaged. It will take the best that is in us all to stand firm for the triumph of freedom over tyranny.

RED CROSS ORGANIZES

With very evident enthusiasm a large and representative meeting of women of Richmond Hill and district last Friday formed a Red Cross organization for service in the present crisis. The prompt response to the Reeve's call to an organization meeting is characteristic of the splendid spirit everywhere evident in Canada—the spirit of a people ready and anxious to do their duty.

During the last Great War the Richmond Hill Red Cross did noble service. There were then two organizations, a ladies and girls branch and while we haven't at hand the figures for the senior organization Liberal files show that the girls branch alone raised \$1306 in addition to 37,665 articles made and sent to Canadian Red Cross Headquarters. It is noteworthy that Mrs. P. C. Hill who this week was unanimously chosen to head the new organization was treasurer of the Girls' branch which was or-

ganized here June 7th, 1915.

The Red Cross rendered most valuable assistance in our last war effort and there will be a big job for the organization in the present conflict. Richmond Hill and district by its prompt organization has shown that the people of this community stand ready to do their part and that they do not intend to waste any time in getting started. To the newly organized Red Cross and to every other organization which aims to help in the great and sacred cause of prosecuting the war this newspaper unreservedly pledges its whole-hearted and earnest co-operation and support.

# TO OUR AMERICAN FRIENDS

We have a few words to say to American visitors who are holidaying in our countryside and to our American readers.

We Canadians have an even greater horror of war than you have, for we have suffered more from it. We are no more anxious to send our sons to die on foreign battlefields than you are yours. Settling international disputes with guns and bloodshed is the craziest folly to which flesh is heir.

No nation goes to war willingly. A people must be convinced that self-interest so demands before it will sacrifice its sons to Mars. Even in lands controlled by dictators it is necessary to convince the citizenry that their

right to existence is imperilled.

Canada has again had to make a bitter choice. A new and unscrupulous Napoleon has arisen in Europe who aims' to dominate the world by force, and whose success, if continued, threatens to stamp out human freedom everywhere. Adolph Hitler, mad Fuehrer of rejuvenated Germany, is not satisfied with having greatly extended the borders of the Reich beyond those of 1914. He visions Germany as political and economic master of Europe and ultimately of the world. He refuses to arbitrate differences with other nations around a conference table. There is no settlement except upon his terms, and his pledges have repeatedly proven worthless. He breaks the most solemn promises when it suits his pleasure. He abandons Japan, partner in the Tokio-Berlin-Rome axis, ostensibly built to fight communism, and makes a pact of friendship with Soviet Russia. He does not hesitate to put to death close political intimates who helped him rise to power, or to give orders for the assassination of Austrian Chancellor Dolfuss. He has boldly proclaimed himself and his regime a foe to God and religion, and has exterminated all freedom of thought, speech and movement not only in conquered territory but in the Reich. Never in all human history has there been a greater enemy of mankind.

Britain and France, the two great democracies of Europe, have planted themselves across his path. In fighting to save Polish independence they are preserving not only the freedom of their own, but of all democratic peoples. Canada and the other British dominions are standing alongside the 'motherland. Sooner or later we believe

the American people will be there too.

Self-interest will compel it. British and French democracy may differ in details but they are essentially the same as that enjoyed by the American people. Government is of, for and by the people, which your greatest American president, Abraham Lincoln, said must never perish, not from the United States, but "from the earth".

Canadians and Americans have much the same way of living. That is at stake. We make no claim on grounds of kinship in language and origin. We do suggest, however, that you give earnest consideration to your own self-interest and your duty to those who are fighting for human liberty. Are you fair to yourselves in remaining as mere spectators of the conflict, no matter how loudly you cheer for the democracies? Does it not matter enough to you who wins for you to do your bit? Are you willing that your own and your country's safety should be bought by the sacrifices of other peoples?

Just suppose German might should triumph in Europe. Suppose Britain to be at the mercy of Germany. Would not Canada, richest prize of the British Commonwealth of Nations, be demanded as a price of peace? Would you not then have German soldiers goose-stepping at your very border? And how long before the German Reich would be attacking the United States to rescue the "oppressed Germans" in your country? And where would you find allies with France and Britain beaten and the British and French fleets in possession of Germany? The time to defeat Hitler is now. Your help would greatly shorten the war.

Freedom is yours as well as ours. It was purchased for you as ours was for us by the blood of others. We' understand why you should desire to isolate yourselves from the struggle. We believe, however, that you will ultimately see that it is your fight as well as ours. In your own interest you will take your stand with the other democracies. Dictators who menace the peace of the world and the freedom of its people must be destroyed.-Midland Free Press.

# Canada's Political Leaders Pledge Every Support to the Cause of Democracy in War CITIES SERVICE GARAGE, Richmond Hill.

experienced statesman of the calibre this grave crisis. of Mr. King. His calm and seasoned statesmanship will be a tower of strength to Canada in this crisis. of this House that the sense of im-Hon. Dr. Manion leader of the Con- Three years ago the government inservative Party. Dr. Manion in his dicated its belief in the necessity for address to Parliament demonstrated preparedness by asking parliament beyond any doubt that he could rise substantially to increase the amounts lerism was "international gangstertention of devoting every effort free nations would be engaged, and which ice, honor and liberty," Dr. Manion from party consideration to the im- might spread to all parts of the said, "We have no selfish motives. mediate task of carrying on this world, had absorbed more of my "Confident in the right of our war.

regret that space does not permit becoming again involved in war. the publication of the full text of both addresses.

King said:

dom come from? I ask honorable are British subjects and part of the members of this House to reflect British Empire. We have long said upon that before they utter a word when Great Britain is at war, we against full participation of this country in the great conflict which is now raging in Europe. Where should see that there was no prodid we get our constitutional rights | fiteering, no political patronage or and liberties? Where did we get favoritism. He wanted generous our freedom as an inheritance from treatment for the dependents of those men in England and France those who enlisted for service. who never hesitated to lay down their lives when freedom was threat- | Canada while Britain is engaged in ened with extinction.

pleased to hear my honorable friend, Canada will call for full co-operaat an early moment in his remarks, tion with Britain and France in this make a plea for toleration and mod- terrible conflict," he declared. eration. Never is such a plea more necessary than at a time like the! present. It is necessary in this House of Commons; it is necessary in this parliament; it is even more necessary in different parts of the country. I hope that throughout | fense is an offensive" in the Eurothis country our citizens will be as tolerant as they can of differences of view and belief that are honestly expressed.

Europe has been plunged into war because of a hateful and tyrannical regime which cherishes and is seeking to perpetuate policies that would rob mankind of everything that is away across the ocean," Dr. Manion dear to the human heart and the said. human soul. That regime has at the head of every one of its citi- those physically unfit. zens unless he is prepared to do its 1. bidding.

would come when, after spending a captious criticism or partisanship, root pulper; 1 fanning mill; 1 set lifetime in a supreme effort to pro- Dr. Manion used words very similar double harness; 1 set single harness; mote and to preserve peace and good- to those used by Sir Wilfrid Laurier, 1 hay rack; 20 tons hay. will in industrial relations as well who was leader of the Liberal oppo- On the said lands there is said to as in international relations, it should sition at the emergency war session be erected a dwelling house with fall to my lot to be the one to lead of 1914. this Dominion of Canada into a great | Referring to the government's | The lands will be sold subject to war; but that responsibility I assume policy of co-operation, Dr. Manion a Reserve Bid; with a sense of being true to the said that "with that expression of TERMS OF SALE OF LAND: Twenvery blood that is in my veins, and desire for the effective assistance ty-five per cent of the purchase I assume it in the defence and in and authority of Parliament, I may money to be paid down at the time the preservation of freedom - the say at once that the Prime Minister of sale and the balance to be secured freedom of my fellow countrymen has the assent and support of the by a mortgage with interest at four here, the freedom of those whose party I have the honor to lead. lives are unprotected in other com- "It is our duty to let the world, TERMS OF SALE OF CHATTELS: munities, the freedom of mankind it- friends and foes alike, know that we Cash.

Manion) has said that there will be liberty." no political manoeuvring at this time, no captious criticism. I am quite sure that no one in this House has man people as such, but for their I that kind, no one is thinking about guided him and his followers. Hit- August, 1939.

Once Britain declared war in Ger- | any manoeuvring which is going to many it was a foregone conclusion defeat us in the face of a situation that Canada would participate with such as that which now confronts E. W. GRAINGER, Barber, Richmond Hill. ly supported Rt. Hon. Mackenzie fact that he would be the first to King and his government in their drop all political strife. May I thank policy as submitted to the represent- him at once for being one of the to assemble, to come forward and In this time of crisis Canada is assure me that he was at the side RICHMOND TAILORS, Richmond Hill. fortunate in having at the helm an of the government in helping to meet

I need not tell honorable member having as Leader of the Opposition | which was realized all of a sudden. | above party strife in the country's required for the defence services of ism," he declared. "This is a war interest. We are fortunate in hav- our country. I frankly confess that for human liberty. We are fighting ing in Canada political leaders who from that day to this the possibility for Christianity in all its branches." have now publicly signified their in- of a war in which Germany or other "We are fighting a war for justtime and thought than all else com- cause, certain that justice will pre-It is with pleasure that we repro- bined. Particularly have I been con- vail, we should pledge ourselves here duce extracts of the speeches of both | cerned with the position of our coun- | to-day to do our duty by Canada and these political leaders, with the only try in the event of Great Britain the Empire."

DR. MANION The debate on the Speech from "Where did our liberties and free- bound to participate in this war. We are at war."

He insisted that the Government

"There can be no neutrality for a war of life or death. Therefore, "May I say that I was greatly in my opinion, the united voice of

> WOULD FIGHT OVERSEAS Repeating his argument of the last session of Parliament that Canada should be strongly defended against declared his belief that "our best depean theatre of war.

He insisted Canada itself was in danger of attack, and this was particularly so if by any chance the democracies of Europe should lose in the war.

In the event of defeat of England and France, the war would be "at our very gates instead of 3,000 miles | 3 Jersey heifers, 2 yrs., with horns,

Speaking as a veteran of the last brought under its iron heel its own war, in which he had a distinguishpeople. For the most part the peo- ed career, Dr. Manion warned against ple of Germany today are slaves, errors which caused expense and inenslaved by a government, so-called, efficiency in that conflict, particua dictatorship which holds a rifle larly with respect to enlistment of

SUPPORT IS PROMISED

I never dreamed that the day ment's war efforts and refrain from slings car ropes; 1 set sleighs; 1

are to-day unitedly behind the Moth- For further particulars and condi-The leader of the opposition (Mr. | er Country in this war for human | tions of sale, apply to

> WAR IS WITH HITLERISM Canada has no enmity for the Ger-

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the Motherland in this gigantic us. My honorable friend need not W. LAUDER GLASS, Meat Market, Richmond Hill. struggle to uphold democracy. There- have told me that he had no thought N. D. HICKS, Grocery and Service Station, Langstaff. fore it was no surprise that Can- of that kind in his mind. I know KERR BROTHERS, Bakery and Grocery, Richmond Hill. ada's parliament almost unanimous- him too well not to appreciate the ALEX KERR, Butcher, Richmond Hill. LITTLE BROTHERS, Ford Sales & Service, Richmond Hill.

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THORNHILL HARDWARE, Thornhill. Canada was equally fortunate in pending calamity was not something VAUGHAN GARAGE and SERVICE STATION, Thornhill. VICTORIA SQUARE GENERAL STORE, P. Willows, Prop. JOE WEBBER, General Store, Elgin Mills. JAMES YOUNG, B.A. Service Station, Richmond Hill.

In a talk before a group of drug store managers an official of a large drug manufacturing company said In outlining Canada's position Mr. the Throne was opened by Hon. Dr. "We point out that the most valu-Manion, who plainly stated: "We are able advertising is good old reliable local newspaper advertising - and the more the better."

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