

Our coastal waters are ceaselessly patrolled by vessels of the Canadian navy and planes of the Canadian air force. In all the centers of industry, men and women are laboring to make huge stores of weapons and munitions. From fields and mines and forests workers are extracting the essential supplies of war.

It is particularly fitting that the celebration of our seventy-fifth national anniversary should coincide with a year in Canada. Our national pride has blossomed with the knowledge of Canada's army guarding the heart of the Empire, protecting the world's greatest island of free men and prepared for action in any place, at any time. We have all been profoundly stirred by the exploits of Canadian soldiers in every theater of war: Guadalcanal, Iwo Jima, Okinawa, and now Normandy. We have seen the valor and heroism of our men and women in their important work. We have seen the work of our navy, our air force, our Canadian machine gunners and anti-aircraft gunners. We have seen the work of our women in every branch of the war effort. We have seen the work of our men and women in every branch of the war effort. We have seen the work of our men and women in every branch of the war effort. We have seen the work of our men and women in every branch of the war effort.

May I please to recall the record. The first contingent of the Canadian army landed in Britain on September 15, 1942. But for the collapse of France, the 1940-41 campaign would have come to grips with the enemy in the summer of 1940. All through that dark summer they stood waiting for the expected invasion. They were joined during that time by the second division, and at Christmas of 1940 the Canadian army was formed. In 1941, a third infantry division, an armoured division, an army tank brigade, and a Canadian air force were added to the original force and reinforcements were added in their numbers.

This year we have seen and witnessed have crossed the sea, and overseas. The Canadian corps has been a highly trained, well-equipped fighting force. It has fought in the most difficult and dangerous campaigns of the war. It has fought in the most difficult and dangerous campaigns of the war. It has fought in the most difficult and dangerous campaigns of the war.

There they stand, and there they have stood through the whole of the critical period of the last fifteen months. At the very point where they could be the first to be broken into a counter-attack against an invader. It is a great honor that can be rendered to the people of this country, to have the military duty that is performed by our troops in all the allies.

There has been no glimmer of doubt that there has been no great building. The Canadian people have not been in the least bit shaken. The Canadian people have not been in the least bit shaken. The Canadian people have not been in the least bit shaken. The Canadian people have not been in the least bit shaken. The Canadian people have not been in the least bit shaken.