

HOW THE PEOPLE OF NORTH SIMCOE GAVE TO THE PATRIOTIC FUNDS.

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THROUGH the Canadian Patriotic Fund, Canadians said to the soldiers "Go to the front, and we will care for your wives and kiddies." Through the Canadian Red Cross Society, Canadians assured the families left at home that the husbands, sons and brothers on the firing line would be given the best possible care and receive the best possible comforts. With these assurances to be lived up to, campaigning and organising for these funds is an activity in which every stay-at-home can engage with earnestness, enthusiasm and satisfaction. The reward is knowing that you are doing a "bit" for the nation. There is a place for each one, not that there are not many in the field, but that the field is so wide. At present the Canadian Patriotic Fund is asking for seven and a half millions for the ensuing year, while the Canadian Red Cross Society should have nearly, if not an equal amount. It looks like a huge contract to provide the money, but it will be forthcoming. From end to end of the Dominion the response will be such as will emphasize a