

are helping to teach lessons of peace and good-will to the children of Briton and Boer.

One of New Brunswick's sons, Dr. George R. Parkin, has by his spirit and eloquence aroused a stronger feeling in all parts of the Empire for a closer federation. Now he is visiting the different portions of the English-speaking world, making arrangements to carry out the plans of that great South African Englishman, Cecil Rhodes, for the higher education, at Oxford University, of the Anglo-Saxon youth from every part of the world.



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The illustration opposite the opening page of this book is one which will cause the blood of every Canadian to move more swiftly as he gazes upon it. The aged and beloved Queen Victoria, but a few weeks before her death, is seated in her carriage before Windsor Castle. Drawn up before her for inspection and to receive her grateful thanks, are the Royal Canadian Volunteers, just returned from service in South Africa, and with looks of respectful veneration gazing upon

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