federal union of Newfoundland with Canada.

The people of Canada have learned with great pleasure of the betrothal of Her Royal Highness the Princess Elizabeth to Lieutenant Phillip Mountbatten. As Her Royal Highness and Lieutenant Mountbatten continue to face the future with its duties and responsibilities,

it:will be:the:wish of:all that health, happiness, and Devine guidance may gladden their path through life. Amid the uncertainties and perils of these troubled times, I pray that the guidance of Almighty God may be vouchsafed to our country and all the nations.