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HANDWRITING CONTEST

As many of you have shown by your letters to me that you are splendid writers I am letting you have a chance to compete in name. Write the following questions out, together with the answers, on a piece of white paper using one side only, attach three coupons and send in to me not later than Wednesday, October 13th.

Both boys and girls may compete in this contest but must not be older than 15 years of age last birthday. To the boy or girl who sends me in the most neatly written sentences, together with the correct answers I shall send a prize of a **BEAUTIFUL WATCH** or a **NICE STORY BOOK** whichever they may desire.

WHERE IS PETROGRAD?
WHO IS THE KING OF BULGARIA?
WHO IS KING GEORGE'S ELDEST SON?

UNCLE DICK,
THE STANDARD,
ST. JOHN, N. B.

and fiery Hun. And the same, I want to say tonight that national honor is not really a quality that belongs to a nation that ignores its uplifting call, and because of the refusal to hear the call, I see in vision bright the doom of the Prussian Empire, through all the material successes that have surrounded today, and amid all their successes, there is the hand-writing on the wall: 'The Kaiser's grave is made.'

Righteousness and honor are the truly kingly robes of rulers. Why is our honor as an Empire involved in this war? Because we were bound by honor to defend the independence, the liberty, of a very small nation, whose greatest crime was that she wanted to live at peace with all nations, and to defend this solemn treaty with others to defend that small nation and maintain her integrity. We could not stand idly by and watch this favored nation

through terror to triumph. We certainly have a right to feel that this is a quality that belongs to a people we respect. We shall need prudence in our call, daring in action, courage in defeat, moderation in victory, in all things that we do. We shall need the question: Can we rise to the sublime heights? Are we prepared to make sacrifice? No, young men, not a sacrifice, are we prepared to embrace death? We are prepared to present ourselves in many generations, an opportunity that presents itself once in many generations, an opportunity that fills the souls of men with a glow and a glory that is not to be quenched in a water of blood and death, for the emancipation of the world from the domination of accursed militarism. I honor to you tonight that I have met you and I want you young fellows to take your part in the making of a world. I see signs of its coming, the glories of the grand coming, the glories of the grand coming, the

The other great Russian ruler was of course Catherine and this woman, too, although herself a German, yet succeeded to the throne by espousing the principles and platform of the pro-Russian party.

Would Not Merge

"All down through the past centuries it has ever been impossible for those statesmen in Russia, who had the best interests of that sorrowful land at heart, to merge these two opposing policies—the pro-German and the pro-Russian. Never would they mix, never would they mingle, and down to the end of time all the sorrows and all the woes that for ages have resulted from this foreign policy in Russia must have continued had not some such bandit attempt as the present upon the part of Germany fanned the flames of Russian patriotism to which heat and courage in the North-West Asia has become united as never before in all its long history and has determined that henceforth Russia must be for the Russians and that the Germans must be packed out of the country, bag and baggage.

"Notwithstanding all the ability of Germany's greatest military leader, General von Hindenburg, assisted by the splendid dash and courage of Mackensen, and supported by such immense supplies of all necessary materials of modern warfare; notwithstanding the fact that with all this preponderance of fighting power they had all the advantage of superior railroads and faster transport, the events of the past weeks have demonstrated the utter inability of these massed forces, consisting of the very flower of the German army, to crush the

The annual rally of the Loinsdale street Baptist Sunday school was observed yesterday afternoon by a specially prepared programme. The superintendent of the school, John Collins, presided. The exercises consisted of recitations, choruses and songs. The soloists were John Wood, Harry Morley and Albert Dennison. An address was given by the pastor, St. John's, in which he congratulated the boys and girls graduated from the primary department to the main school and one little girl from this class read a valedictory, referring to the teachers who had taught her in the primary department.


The school is large and in a prosperous condition.

In the morning the pastor delivered a sermon on the subject "What we owe to the Sunday school and where we may expect from it."

FIREMEN NOTICE.

Members of the St. John Fire Department are requested to meet at No. 1 Hook and Ladder Station, King Street East, this, Monday evening, at eight o'clock.

By order,
GEORGE BLAKE,
Chief of St. John Fire Dept.



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