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EMPIRE DAY.

In a few more days the Dominion will be called upon to observe the third Empire Day since the beginning of the great war, the war in which the British Empire is found locked in a life or death struggle with the most powerful military nation in the world.

In view of the fearful sacrifices which have already been made and realizing that before

militant Germany is crushed, untold sacrifice will still further be called for, it is very apparent that this forthcoming Empire Day should be observed with the gravest solemnity, and in the most sober spirit of national devotion. To think of any other than a united empire at the present time, when thousands of Britain's sons, rallying from the four winds of the heavens, have already laid down their lives in the fight for civilization, freedom, and a lasting peace, is inconceivable.

It is for this reason that we again approach our Empire Day with the deepest sorrow for the fallen, sympathy for the wounded and solace for the suffering bereaved, but when these days of tremendous sacrifice and sore tribulation have passed and when our dead have been mourned for and our heroes honored we shall again be called upon to observe another Empire Day, with a bitter and lawless Germany, brought under subjection and restraint, and the menace of a great world slavery forever removed.

Meanwhile let us, whether young or old, pupil or professor ring out the watch words of the Empire movement — responsibility, duty, sympathy, and self sacrifice — to every subject of our gracious King George, throughout his vast and loyal dominion, and in the words of the late, Earl Kitchener, let us as a United Nation "Carry On."

BETWEEN OURSELVES.

We regret that owing to pressure on our space caused by inclusion of the special articles dealing with Empire Day and Arbor Day, the article written by Miss M. Jennison on the Junior High School, has had to be held over, we trust, however, that same will be included in our next issue.

Several of our subscribers have written to us recently with regard to the date in the month upon which the REVIEW has always been published, and stating that before they receive their copies many of the current articles are hardly practicable. We have given the matter our careful attention,