

the nitrogen from the air and, when turned into the ground, nitrogenized it. After experimenting with the ordinary beet, they produced a beet containing much more sugar and almost equal in proportion to that in our cane sugar.

Their philosophers and scientific men had done more in researching the Bible than any other nation, but, perhaps, their religion had become one more of knowledge than righteousness, and it was a case of "knowledge puffeth up," which fact may have been partly the cause of their blundering into the present war.

Britain, on her part, might have stood aside, and even at the eleventh hour she did her best to maintain peace honorably, which being found impossible, the sacrifice was made and her army placed in the field to aid the weaker

nations in their righteous war against the strong.

As to the German religion, it seems as if their "Prophet, Priest and King" was Billy the Kaiser. It seems disastrous for a nation when one man, its ruler, endeavours to place himself before everything else in his country.

The fact that more real and lasting good, more real religion in its truest sense, more willingness to serve and sacrifice, than has been shown hitherto, may come out of this war, is, perhaps, the brightest spot in the whole aspect of the future.

A hearty vote of thanks was tendered to Professor Macnaughton for his kindness in coming out to Macdonald to address the students. The meeting closed with the singing of the college songs, "O Canada" and "God Save the King."
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