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CANADA AND THE WAR

War Record of the Mackenzie King Administration.

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Canada's contribution made possible through foresight

Needs of allied powers basis of Canada's war effort

The land - the sea - the air - industrial activity

Canada's position wholly different from that of 1914

The charge of "unpreparedness"

Outstanding features of government's war record

Earliest measures of cooperation - at sea, on land
and in the air

The British Commonwealth joint air training plan

Agreement concluded in minimum of time

Air Training Plan may prove decisive factor in
winning war

Development of plan proceeding rapidly

An army division already overseas- another shortly
to cross

Army co-operation Air Squadron also proceeding overseas.

The navy performing silent and effective service

The home front - the furnishing of supplies

Railways, Airways, National Broadcasting essential
factors ~~functioning~~ in war economy.

Industry transformed to serve wartime needs