

## Knights of Columbus Welcome

The courtesy graciously extended to the Knights of Columbus Catholic Army Huts Association to join in perfect harmony with the other representative organizations of our young Dominion and swell the grand chorus of heartiest welcome to our returned boys, is, indeed, a most signal distinction. It is the harbinger of that newer life that makes for permanent peace so intensely prayed for by a God-fearing people.

The glorious deeds of the flower of Canadian manhood, on land and sea, have demonstrated for all time that "Our Boys" were prepared either to live or to die chivalrously. Ever mindful of the sublime destiny to which we are called you have taught us new lessons in heroic struggle and grand achievements. Your genuine patriotism draws us to higher ideals. From such treasuries the youth of Canada will seek sweet inspiration and be lifted up "as the tide lifts up the stranded boat upon the beach."

While our modest effort to bring a touch of home and spiritual comfort to the boys overseas has not lessened, we are likewise endeavoring to provide tangible proof of our profound gratitude by erecting and equipping club-houses at the different dispersal areas from Halifax to Victoria.

To the Officers, Soldiers and Sailors of the allied armies and navies, in the name of the God of Hosts and the Prince of Peace, I extend most cordial greetings and pledge on behalf of the Knights of Columbus Catholic Army Huts Association, patriotic devotion and support in the great work for humanity and democracy in which you have been so unselfishly engaged.

CLARENCE F. SMITH,

Comptroller,

Knights of Columbus, Catholic Army Huts Association.