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Towards the Morning Light of VICTORY

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Tomorrow, Sunday August 4th, we shall complete four years of war and begin the fifth year in the confident hope that it will be the last year of the supreme struggle in history for liberty, freedom and Christian civilization. The four years of destruction and death through which the world has passed have been also years of revelation and reconstruction. Everything has been shaken to its very foundation by the shock of the great war, much has been demolished, but, like the conflagration which from time to time visits a great eity, an opportunity has been created for the rebuilding of a cleaner and better world.

Our first concern must be with the prospect of checking and controlling the destructive ravages of war. As we review the operations of the campaign now being fought we are confident that the flames of war have reached their height, that we shall soon breathe easier assured that the situation is under control and that before another year has closed we shall see only the murky smoke rising from the ruins which the vanquished demon of war has left behind. The enemy has been more than checked on the Marne, there are evidences that he has passed the summit of his strength, his morale is increasingly bad and the armies of the Allies are being effectively replenished by the thousands that are going daily from the shores of this continent. By the opening of another campaign the American army will constitute the balance of power and turn it largely in our favour, the resources of America will compensate for the dwindling reserves of France, England and Italy, and out of these considerations, out of



TURNING THE CORNER.