

we should then attempt to at least commemorate at one important point in each Province, and, if this is done, I feel sure that our city will join in the movement."

Matters Must Right Themselves First.

H. J. CHAM, Esq., Mayor of Midland, Ont.—

"It is my judgment that it would be inexpedient to attempt at present arrangements of a definite character regarding the carrying to conclusion an appropriate celebration of peace between the British Empire and the United States. Matters must right themselves with the Empire before this work can be undertaken with the right heart."

Should Continue Preparations.

CRAWFORD GOFFART, Esq., Mayor of Orillia, Ont.—

"I believe it is wise to continue preparations for the celebration of peace, as already arranged. War now being waged in Europe may come to an early cessation. In view of this result it would be unfortunate to have to go over the ground, and make any preparations which are already well advanced."

Desirable to Proceed Next Year.

WM. BULLER, Esq., Mayor of Peterborough, Ont.—

"In reply to your circular letter, I would say that in my opinion and that of our City Council, it would be desirable to proceed with the celebration next year notwithstanding the present disturbed conditions."

Should Be No Change in Plans.

J. T. PETRIE, Esq., Mayor of St. Catharines, Ont.—

"The members of the Committee are all of one opinion in that there should be no change made in the plans for the celebrations to be held next year, and it is just possible that in a short time we can start and plan for a larger peace celebration."

Educational and Other Work Should Go On.

H. N. MOSS, Esq., Chairman of Reception Committee, Renfrew, Ont.—

"As Chairman of the Reception Committee, I beg to reply to your communication to His Worship Mayor Moore of the 5th inst. which was read in open Council at our Regular Meeting on Monday, September the 14th, in which the members of this Council unanimously agreed with the views taken by the Prime Minister, Sir Robert Borden, and the leader of the Opposition, Sir Wilfrid Laurier, also that the Association proceed with the educational and other work as far as possible."

Hold Patriotic Demonstrations and Exchange Speakers.

S. C. YOUNG, Esq., Mayor of Fort William, Ont.—

"I think this is an opportune time for Great Britain and the United States to show the world the great possibilities of peaceful intercourse between nations, and to demonstrate to the world how two peoples can live side by side, along an international boundary of over three thousand miles, on which there is neither armed guard nor mounted gun. I would suggest that we abandon the idea of pageants and confine ourselves to holding patriotic demonstrations in United States and Canada, and have an interchange of public speakers between the two countries on a day to be set for the ceremonies."