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The Trades and Labour Congress can indeed be proud

(Confidential
figures - to be
released by Mr.
Bengough at the
meeting on
Oct. 23rd.)

that, as Mr. Percy Bengough has just told you,
more than 320,000 of these workers, or over 45%
of all the trade union members in Canada, belong
to the Trades and Labour Congress. I understand
that this represents a virtual doubling in
membership in the past year, and upon this achievement
I congratulate you very heartily.

Growth of trade union movement on sound lines is of vast
importance in making possible the partnership of
Labour, Industry, Capital and the Community.

The war has shown us how much that partnership can achieve.

Because these four great elements co-operated to the utmost

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in the war effort, Canada, 35th in population among the
44 United Nations, ranked fourth in volume of
production of munitions and supplies of war. And
measured by the yardstick used at the recent Bretton
Woods' Conference to estimate the "economic"
importance of world countries in order to allocate
quotas for subscription to the proposed World Bank

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and the proposed Exchange Stabilization Fund, Canada
was given seventh place among the 44 United Nations.