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win imperishable glory for themselves and their country. Both required physical strength, an indomitable will, a strong determination and an unbending faith in the mercy and justice of God.

Such celebrations as will be initiated on next Saturday night (the anniversary of the declaration of War) are in an especial manner sources of inspiration. Our minds at once go back to the early history of our country and we travel once more the road our forefathers trod when, from the wilderness of Canada, they made a land rich in resources, rich in promise, rich in opportunities. Of this country of whose history we may well be proud is to reach the high destiny marked out for her our people must continue to be true to those traditions of liberty, justice, ^{righteousness} ~~religion~~ and the sanctity of the law on which our foundations were so firmly established. On that score I, for one, have no fear. In the vitally testing days of the Great War abundant proof was given that Canada and Canadians were true to the ideals and traditions of the past.

The Celebration should be a period of grateful appreciation of the importance and value of our heritage. We should remember the great souls whose influence in the up-building of our country we are unable to estimate and only imperfectly appreciate. We should remember the great bequests they have made and which are now ready for our use and for our enrichment. We should think of the mighty set of circumstances we find at our disposal, the inventions, the discoveries and the materials all shaped and ready for our use. We should ponder upon the huge mountains of thoughts, ideals, standards and traditions which our forefathers have bequeathed us. They have left something of their