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## Foreword

**L**AST year "Shining Towers," written by Marian Keith, was received with sincere and wide-spread appreciation. Once again the Board of Home Missions counts itself singularly fortunate to be able to send across the Dominion a story of the work of the United Church in Canada from the pen of another woman who has won a high place in the literary world.

Mrs. Nellie L. McClung needs no introduction anywhere, from East to West. By voice and pen, in her own original and forceful way, she has for years been championing those causes and movements which make for a Christian Canada. Wherever Mrs. McClung has resided she has been a loyal and useful church member. Born in Ontario, going as a child to Manitoba, residing since in both Alberta and British Columbia, travelling and lecturing in recent years all over the Dominion, she has seen this country develop, and knows the place the Church has won both in the older and newer sections of Canada.

We believe these sketches will interest and inspire a very great many, and will lead our United Church people to give themselves more sacrificially to the task of building the Kingdom of God in Canada's "fair and pleasant land."

ROBERT B. COCHRANE,  
Secretary, Board of Home Missions.