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"To those who husbanded the Golden Grain,
And those who flung it to the winds like Rain,
With them the seed of wisdom did I sow,
And with mine own hand wrought to make it grow."

GREETING:

The war has proved a "solvent" for many problems of a national character. Problems that only a short time ago would have seemed baffling and insurmountable have been overcome and their solution has redounded to the benefit and upbuilding of the nation.

Conditions were forced upon us as a young and peace-loving nation which we were compelled to face and which providentially emancipated us from the "feeding bottle" class—enabling the country to throw off its swaddling clothes for those of more sturdy attire. The war, with all its terrible suffering and sacrifices, has done even more than that, *it has made us think*; it has given us more confidence in ourselves, more reliance in our ability