

field of operation lies before the race in carrying the torch-light of civil and constitutional liberty to the dark places of the earth. Wherever the Union Jack and Stars and Stripes are planted, there ignorance, vice and oppression die out, and peace, prosperity and liberty are established. Let us hope that these two branches of a great family will forever stand shoulder to shoulder in the maintenance of peace and in advancing the world's civilization. May their swords never be unsheathed except in smiting the oppressor and in establishing the rights of civil and religious liberty. Such a union of racial and national power might arbitrate the peace of the world, and go far to usher in that prophetic time,

“ When the war-drum thrills no longer, and the battle-flags are furled,
In the parliament of man, the federation of the world.”