

## Summary of Allies' Note To President Wilson

"Their (the Allies') objects in the war will not be made known in detail, with all the equitable compensations and indemnities for damages suffered, until the hour of negotiations. But the civilized world knows that they imply, in all necessity and in the first instance, the restoration of Belgium, of Serbia and of Montenegro, and the indemnities which are due them;

"The evacuation of the invaded territories of France, of Russia and of Roumania, with just reparation;

"The reorganization of Europe, guaranteed by a stable regime and founded as much upon respect of nationalities and full security and liberty of economic development, which all nations great or small, possess, as upon territorial conventions and international agreements suitable to guarantee territorial and maritime frontiers against unjustified attacks;

"The restitution of provinces or territories wrested in the past from the Allies by force, or against the will of their populations;

"The liberation of Italians, of Slavs, of Roumanians and of Czechs Slovaks from foreign domination;

"The enfranchisement of populations subject to the bloody tyranny of the Turks;

"The expulsion from Europe of the Ottoman Empire, which has proved itself so radically alien to Western civilization;

"The intentions of His Majesty the Emperor of Russia regarding Poland have been clearly indicated in the proclamation which he has just addressed to his armies.

"It goes without saying that if the Allies wish to liberate Europe from the brutal covetousness of Prussian militarism, it never has been their design, as has been alleged, to encompass the extermination of the German peoples, and their political disappearance. That which they desire, above all, is to ensure a peace upon the principles of liberty and justice, upon the inviolable fidelity to international obligation with which the government of the United States has never ceased to be inspired.

"United in the pursuits of this supreme object the Allies are determined, individually and collectively, to act with all their power, and to consent to all sacrifices, to bring to a victorious close a conflict upon which they are convinced, not only their own safety and prosperity depends, but also the future of civilization itself.



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The Telegraph and The Evening Times have received the following letter from Captain (the Rev.) E. B. Hooper, in the course of which he makes an appeal for further funds in order to carry

on his work among the wounded Canadian soldiers for whom he has already done so much and among whom he has already used to good advantage the money raised for him for this work in this city and province.

Contributions should be made direct to C. W. Hallamore, manager of the St. John branch of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, King street, St. John, who will acknowledge them through The Telegraph and The Evening Times. The list will be kept open for ten days only that is up to and including Jan. 21.

In order to prevent confusion and insure accuracy contributions will be received by Mr. Hallamore only, and his acknowledgments will be published by The Telegraph and The Evening Times.

CHAPLAIN HOOPER'S LETTER.  
The letter from Chaplain Hooper is as follows:

Beverly Lodge, West Cliff Road, Bransford, Kent, Dec. 24, 1916.

To the Editors of The Telegraph and The Evening Times.  
Gentlemen—I cabled to you on Dec. 28 asking you to publish my intention to remain—God willing—in the performance of my duties as military chaplain for the duration of the war. This is my fixed and unalterable determination. My Bishop and parishioners have known of it for some time. Therefore to urge me to return is to urge me to resign. This I shall feel compelled to do if the necessity arises.

I may say, parenthetically, that I have funds enough still to last till the end of January. I ask you, Mr. Editor, and those who read this letter, to place the seal of your approval on my work by sending me further funds—£479 7s. 6d. is a large sum to spend in eight months, but oh! it is so splendidly worth the sacrifice made by the individual contributors. Every expenditure is carefully made and thousands of Canadian soldiers and all officers and sisters in this tremendous institution will gratefully testify to the beneficence and practical utility of my "Wounded Soldiers' Fund."

But to return to my subject. I do not ask my Bishop, parishioners, or the public, to judge as to whether I should return and leave my great work as chaplain or not. I am the keeper of my own conscience. Unless I am dismissed the service, or God should send sickness or death upon me, I will not desert my post or the duty which I swore to perform for the period of the war—"So help me God." In making this declaration I



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anonymous letter from St. John taunting me with my "bomb proof" "safety first job." If that THING were here he would not blow about bomb-proof jobs where I am because I have obeyed orders. I have never asked for any favors, nor tried to obtain influence, save for the good of others.

I hope, Mr. Editor, that you will give space to this letter and that your readers will none of them think that I have been trying to blow my own trumpet.

Yours faithfully,  
E. BERTRAM HOOPER, C.F.  
Chaplain Granville Canadian Special Hospital.



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