

everywhere and always. An empire such as this could not have achieved its present position unless built on a solid foundation. That foundation is broad enough to embrace all colors, creeds and races, under the common bond of British citizenship, and extend to each equal rights under the flag. Let us then, each in our sphere, realize the responsibilities of our grand Canadian Citizenship. We cannot each leave a railroad as our monument but we can, however humble our station, do our duty cheerfully and well. Let us but do that and, within the time of those seated around this happy board, New Ontario's millions of acres of splendid agricultural land will re-echo with the varied industry of happy, contented communities. (Prolonged applause).

