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WHAT ARE WE DOING

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It is not too late, however, to pursue a different and more patriotic course. This country must be organized for war.

It is utterly folly to assume that the war will soon be over. After ten months of war Canada is not able to equip her soldiers as they should be equipped, or give the assistance she is fully able to give if properly organized in providing munitions of war.

It is very humiliating to the people to be compelled to make this confession, and to admit how little of genuine and satisfactory leadership comes out of Ottawa.

There has been far too much politics and not enough of patriotism. One noisy member of the government has been going about conducting himself as if he believed the only way to save the Empire is to bring on the general elections.

Sir Robert Borden should in this crisis refuse to be the leader of a party and aspire to lead the whole country, asking and receiving the support of men of every shade of political opinion.

It will be time enough when the war is over to take up again the discussion of the domestic affairs of Canada.

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GILLET'S LYE. CLEANS AND DISINFECTS. THIS LYE IS ABSOLUTELY PURE. THEREFORE TOTALLY DIFFERENT FROM THE IMPURE AND HIGHLY ADULTERATED LYES NOW SOLD.

LIGHTER VEIN.

Aunt—"You've counted up to eight nicely, dear. But don't you know what comes after eight?"

Elise—"Bedtime."

The Lady—"Now, I've really think that marriage is a failure!"

The Gentleman—"Well, the bride never gets the best man."

"I wonder how Mrs. Ingleth got her start as a writer of fiction."

"Composing references for her discharged servants, I understand."

"I'm afraid that your friend is a bit of an egotist, isn't he?"

"A bit! Why, if he hadn't been born he'd have expected people to ask 'Why not?'"

"But it must, indeed, be very hard to be poor," said the sympathetic caller.

"No, indeed, ma'am," said the penniless one. "It's the easiest thing in the world."

"That man says he wants his picture to look perfectly natural," said the photographer's assistant.

"Make it as handsome as possible," replied the proprietor.

"But he insists that he doesn't want the picture to flatter him."

"He won't think it flatters him. He'll think that at last somebody has managed to catch the way he really looks."

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