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Chairman,—

I believe Mr. Morrison has a message for the members.

Mr. J. H. Morrison,—

Mr. President, and fellow members of the Club: Before leaving for the meeting to-night I had a telephone message from Mr. Howard Fletcher, who is well known to most of the members of the Club for his genial disposition on the Committee of Sports and Entertainment. He has been ill and unable to attend the meetings for some time, and he asked me to wish the members of the Club, on his behalf, a very Merry Christmas and a Happy and Prosperous New Year. This message comes from him through me in a kind and feeling way, as I have been a personal friend of Mr. Fletcher's for many years. He has always been untiring in his efforts in any work in connection with the Club, and I think it would be quite fitting if some reply was sent to Mr. Fletcher on behalf of the Club. I do not think there is anything more I can say.

Chairman,—

There is no doubt that we appreciate the message from Mr. Fletcher, and although Mr. Fletcher has been unable to attend the meetings for several months on account of illness, when he is well again he will undoubtedly be here regularly. He has always done everything in his power for the betterment of the Club.

While I am on my feet, I might also say that I am glad to be with you again to-night. Four weeks ago, I did not think that I would ever be in your midst again, as I thought I was going to follow in the footsteps of our late Past President, Mr. Bannan; however, with the care of the doctors, I pulled through and surprised myself and many others by being up and around in such a short time.

Mr. G. Baldwin,—

I move that we accept the message we have received from Mr. Fletcher, and that a suitable reply be sent him.

Mr. C. Russell,—

I second that. Carried.