Courtesy to woman, the abhorrence of a lie, and a readiness to defend the weak, are still characteristic of the English race. In this way the Age of Chivalry has perpetuated itself.

"Such times have been not since the light that lead
The holy Elders with the gift of myrrh;
But now the whole Round Table is dissolved,
Which was an image of the mighty world."

—The Passing of Arthur.