

excellence it is a pleasure to commend. The times and the land call aloud for more Talbot Smiths to lead aright their generations. The appeal and lines of the poet-philosopher are as insistent and pertinent to-day as when they were written :

“God give us men. The time demands

Strong minds, great hearts, true faith and willing hands:

Men whom the lust of preferenece does not kill:

Men whom the hopes of office will not buy;

Men who possess opinions and a will;

Men who have honour, men who will not lie. ✕

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