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FOR OUR SOLDIERS

An eloquent plea for the soldiers in uniform, and for their dependents at home was made last Sunday night in Vancouver by an eminent divine. His utterance was such that it will meet with the approval of everyone. In view of the coming election, when the destinies of Canada for the next five years will be decided by the popular vote, the requirements of our fighting men must be kept in the forefront.

"Whenever in the course of human events it becomes necessary for a democratic nation to defend its rights and liberties against the invasion of an hostile nation, the entire resources of the country, moral and material, man-power and wealth, are justly disposable by the state, to the end that each and every citizen according to his and her ability may as nearly as possible bear their just and equitable proportion of defence."

"It therefore necessarily follows that when human life, the one think of supreme value in the state, is conscripted, much more should that of less value, the natural resources and the wealth of the state, be conscripted.

"(1) That as far as possible the burden of future taxation may be avoided.

"(2) That the soldiers' pay may not be less, if not greater, than that of the men who remain at home.

"(3) That the life of the soldier be insured against death to the extent of \$10,000 and in a like proportion against partial and permanent disability.

"(4) That ample and proper provision be made for the re-entry of the soldier to civil life so that he shall not suffer because of the service and sacrifice he rendered to his country in its great peril.

"(5) That all ranks of soldiers may receive equal and adequate pensions.

"(6) That the soldier's wife, in lieu of the patriotic allowance, and all contributions bearing the semblance of charity, receive an adequate separation allowance.

"(7) That the soldier's widow receive such pension as will

enable her to live in comfort and educate her children."

The words sum up the gist of the speaker's remarks, and no one with the interest of the soldiers at heart, and likewise the interests of the country and the Empire at large, can reasonably consider that such demands are more than are coming to the men who risked their lives, and lost them, in many cases for the preservation of the safety of us who remain at home. Adequate provision for the welfare of the men at the front and the dependents at home has yet to be made. The present moribund Government had their opportunity to do so, but did not. The supporters of the present Government seek to impress their anxiety now, after three years of the struggle, for the winning of the war, irrespective of the justice done to the soldiers or their dependents.

The present Minister of Finance comes out blatantly with the remark that he cannot do anything towards the revision of the pensions scale this year, but "next year" something may be done about it. While at the same time, he can find the money to pay as yet an unknown number of millions to the holders of the worthless watered stock of the C. N. R. Which of the two payments are more necessary to the welfare of the soldiers and the "winning of the war?"

The party in the majority in the Dominion House know full well that on the record of their doings for the past six years, they would never be re-elected. And it upon their record for the past six years that they shall be judged at this coming election. Not, however, if they can avoid it. That record is an awkward thing for them. It will take an awful lot of explaining. There is a big hole in the ground right here in Prince Rupert that cannot be filled with explanations. And that is only a minor incident in the unsavory record. Hence the anxiety to forget all these troublesome matters. "Forget our record," they say. "We are willing, nay anxious, to forget all our party differences. Come on and 'win the war!'"

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of a patriotism which has not been impugned, coming on the eve of an election, is significant. And it will be accepted for what it is worth. But with the winning of the war, the welfare of all the people must not be neglected, particularly the fighting men. But the "win the war" party could not increase the inadequate pensions.

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City Hall, W. GALT,
Victoria, B.C., City Purchasing Agent.

September 12, 1917.



TIMBER SALE X 1067

Sealed tenders will be received by the Minister of Lands not later than noon on the 11th day of October, 1917, for the purchase of Licence X 1067 to cut 2,896,000 feet of Spruce, Cedar and Hemlock on an area situated on Richardson Inlet, Lyell Island, Queen Charlotte Islands District.

Three (3) years will be allowed for removal of timber.

Further particulars of the Chief Forester, Victoria, B.C., or District Forester, Prince Rupert, B.C.

TIMBER SALE X 1096

Sealed tenders will be received by the Minister of Lands not later than noon on the 3rd day of October, 1917, for the purchase of Licence X 1096, to cut 1,800,000 feet of Larch, Hemlock, Spruce and Cedar on an area in the vicinity of Link Lake, Range 3, Coast District.

Three (3) years will be allowed for removal of timber.

Further particulars of the Chief Forester, Victoria, B.C., or District Forester, Prince Rupert, B.C.

TIMBER SALE X 949

Sealed tenders will be received by the Minister of Lands not later than noon on the 4th day of October, 1917, for the purchase of Licence X 949, to cut 1,100,000 feet of Fir from an area situated near Rapto Point, on the west shore of Dean Channel, R. Z. Coast District.

Two (2) years will be allowed for removal of timber.

Further particulars of the Chief Forester, Victoria, B.C., or District Forester, Prince Rupert, B.C.

TIMBER SALE X 1068

Sealed tenders will be received by the Minister of Lands not later than noon on the 11th day of October, 1917, for the purchase of Licence X 1068 to cut 1,207,000 feet of Spruce, Cedar and Hemlock from an area situated in Atlin Inlet, Lyell Island, Queen Charlotte Island District.

Three (3) years will be allowed for removal of timber.

Further particulars of the Chief Forester, Victoria, B.C., or District Forester, Prince Rupert, B.C.

TIMBER SALE X 1069

Sealed tenders will be received by the Minister of Lands not later than noon on the 11th day of October, 1917, for the purchase of Licence X 1069, to cut 1,490,000 feet of Spruce, Cedar and Hemlock from an area situated in Atlin Inlet, Lyell Island, Queen Charlotte Island District.

Three (3) years will be allowed for removal of timber.

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TIMBER SALE X 1071

Sealed tenders will be received by the Minister of Lands not later than noon on the 11th day of October, 1917, for the purchase of Licence X 1071, to cut 1,600,000 feet of Spruce, Cedar, Hemlock and Balsam from an area situated in Klinowet Inlet, Grenville Channel, R. 4, Coast District.

Two (2) years will be allowed for removal of timber.

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TIMBER SALE X 1018

Sealed tenders will be received by the Minister of Lands not later than noon on the 22nd day of September, 1917, for the purchase of Licence X 1018, to cut 6,832,000 feet of Spruce, Balsam and Hemlock on an area situated on Link Lake, Range 3, Coast District.

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