

struction and rehabilitation of a world that Germany fury has laid in ruins. Just as they sweated and prepared for war, so must they sweat and sacrifice to repair the devastation wrought by the inhumanities of that war. With respect to this demand on Germany for reparation there is complete unanimity. The occupied countries, looted and ravaged, wait to be rebuilt, and their naked hungry millions cry to be clothed, fed and housed. Common justice, if nothing else, demands that this staggering cost be borne by the German people. But if they are turned into a nation with only a few resources, how can they pay either in cash or in goods. An efficient system, therefore, must be set up to estimate and control Germany's requirements for her own normal peacetime needs plus those of the devastated countries, and then to shut down on all further imports.

Our post war planners also insist on the necessity of a close watch on German finances. Before this war, Germany received many billions of dollars in the form of international and private loans, and this vast amount was used in preparing for war. But this must not happen again.

Officials feel that these points cannot fail to be persuasive, for while we Canadians will make sure that justice will be done, we are unbiased by hate or revenge, and will leave the way open for Germany's ultimate redemption, if redemption is the German will.

—ALICE McCLOSBY '49

---

### CANADA

Your pedestal is built, by sweat and tears;  
Your beacon shines out now to show the light,  
A light, we pray, to serve throughout the years  
To guide the world along the path of right.

Your name was carved with toil so freely given  
By those who love all that for which you stand,  
Who anguish suffer to see their zrethren driven,—  
Are proud to stoop and lend a helping hand.

O Canada, the land of love and laughter,  
Where man can breathe the pure sweet air of peace,—  
The land where joy will reign in years hereafter,  
Where freedom will abound, and never cease.

God will perserve you, Canada, from blood and strife,  
And He will give you, Canada, world lasting life.

—GREEN '47