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RECOGNIZING THEIR SERVICE-

ONE OF THE MOST difficult jobs to be carried through on the home front, in connection with the war, is still to be done.

The job is in the hands of the Jarvis-Walle Welcoming Committee. One section of the Welcoming Committee, known as the gift committee, have the responsibility of obtaining the names of each and every man enlisting fo service from Jarvis and Walpole and to recommend suitable gifts for them as a small recognition of the service they have rendered their home community and their country.

It is assumed that the gift committee plan to recommend the purchase of watches, valued at \$50.00 each, for the men with overseas service They have yet to report alternative gifts, if, as a result of their survey ,alternative gifts are desirable.

The financing of the project is entirely in the hands of the municipalities concerned. Walpole Township, by the means of a special assessment on their last tax bills, raised the necessary funds for Walpole Township. present time, it is the plan for the Village of Jarvis to ask for voluntary subscriptions. \$1,-800.00 will be required. And it is hoped that every citizen, whether a property owner or not, will wholeheartedly support the plan when it is presented. It means that there will have to be many substantial contributions.

Just what form the presentation of these gifts will take remains to be worked out, but the suggestion of a grand celebration sometime during the summer, when it can be held outdoors appears to be the most desirable at the moment. that time nearly all of the boys will be home and it can be worked out in the form of a real

In the meantime the committees have a big job to do. There are many details that do not appear on the surface. It is to be hoped therefore that the committee will have every co-oper-ation in making their task the success it MUST Anyone wishing to make contributions prior to the canvass can send their checks to this paper and we will see that they reach their proper destination.

GRAND STARTS IN HALDIMAND.

A NEWS REPORT this week suggests the possibility of a new scenic highway along the Grand River to Orangeville, junction for existing highways to Muskoka and Northern Ontario in the belief it will divert a considerable portion of the East-west traffic on Highways No. 2 and 3 to the summer playground of

The proposal to this point sounds reasonable, but the report states further that the highway will start at Port Maitland (the mouth of the Grand River) or Port Dover. If it starts at the latter place the highway will pass through Simcoe and get its first glimpse of the Grand River at Brantford. We object to this

If the Province of Ontario proposes to build a scenic highway along the Grand River we see no reason why the first forty miles of scenic beauty should be denied travellers nor why Haldimand County should be excluded in the plan. It is true there are some rare beauty spots along the Grand as it wends its way northward from Brantford, but certainly nothing to excell the appeal of the stream as it widens majestically closer to the mouth at the East end of Haldimand County.

The suggestion in the news report that Haldimand County be by-passed in such an undertaking, apparently designed because of the scenic route of the Grand River, is nothing short of

TCRONTO THE GOOD NEIGHBOR !-THERE CONTINUES to be talk of reduc ing Toronto's unpopularity in other parts of Canada. That is, talk in Toronto. The talk is mainly by Mayor Robert Saunders who is better looking and younger than F. H. LaGuardia, late mayor of New York. But there's a resemblance, including the hat and a Sunday radio

The latest slogan is "Toronto the Good Neighbor," which is further evidence of helpful U.S: influence. Yet local politics being what it is, it would be too much to expect Toronto to cease giving cause for the epithet of supreme approbrium so frequently applied by outside critics noted more for their violence of language than their suavity. It probably was a Montrealer who first said that Toronto was a town of 4,000 where 800,000 people happen to live. But this is unjust to Orangeville, Kentville, Kelowna, High River, Lloydminster, Man-itou, Hartland, Huntingdon and other places on

the vast map.

The current criticism to be levelled at Toronto is not that it lacks night life or the continental Sunday (not to be confounded with the continental breakfast) but that its present good neighbor policy is not to extend to the point of refraining from a raid on the Dominion treas
The number of Canadian merchant seamen manning Canada's foreign-going merchant ships took its toll of them, as indicated by the following casualty figures: 1,054 dead or missing and refraining from a raid on the Dominion treas
The number of Canadian merchant seamen manning Canada's foreign-going merchant ships than certain of their church-going acquaintances. That may or may be hypocrites within the church-gos, but there are evidently more outside in those who claim to be Christians, and who claim that they are just as good, if not better, when the Stone Church in order to be Christians, and who claim that they are just as good, if not better, when certain of their church-going acquaintances. That may or may be hypocrites within the church-ges, but there are evidently more outside in those who claim that they are just as good, if not better, when certain of their church-going acquaintances. That may or may be hypocrites within the church-ges, but there are evidently more outside in those three just as good, if not better, when the Stone Church in order to be Christians, and who claim that they are just as good, if not better, when the census there wants they are just as good, if not better, when the continue to be christians, and who claim that they are just as good, if not better, when the census there of the continue to be christians, and who claim that they are just as good, if not better, when the cause when the census there of the census there of the census there wants they are just as good, if not better, when the census there wants in the census there wants in the census there is a point of the census there is a point of the census there wants in the census there wants the census there wants the census there wa







