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TO THE PATRIOTISM OF THE HIGH SCHOOL OF
COMMERCE MEN—ALUMNI AND INSTRUCTORS—
WHO DURING THE WAR AGAINST THE CEN-
TRAL POWERS GAVE UP THE COMFORT AND
SECURITY OF CIVILIAN LIFE AND FOUGHT
IN DEFENCE OF OUR COUNTRY'S CAUSE. OF
THOSE WHO PAID THE "LAST FULL MEASURE
OF DEVOTION" WE MOURN THEIR YOUNG
LIVES SACRIFICED; WE SHARE THE GRIEF OF
THEIR COMRADES AND KINDRED; AND WE
ARE PROUD TO HONOR IN THEM THE EAGER,
VALIANT, AND SELF-FORGETFUL SPIRIT OF
AMERICAN MANHOOD.

FOREWORD

THE articles in this section were written at the request of the editor. They afford admirable evidence of the courage, the spirit of adventure, the unselfish loyalty which motivated so large a number of the young men who made up our army and navy. Written from various angles, they form a vivid composite picture of the struggle, enabling us to glimpse at least darkly the complexity and hugeness of the forces which the War aroused into action.

The sincere thanks of the School are due to the authors of these reminiscences, not only for their willingness to give aid in the making of this memorial to our boys in the service, but also for the verve and simplicity which, for the most part, characterize the writing.

