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THE WILL TO WIN

Love of country and pride in our possessions is in-born in every decent man. Anything that is worth while in the make up on man's personal happiness is obtained by hard work, self training & discipline and an element commonly called- guts. The greatest battle is not with your enemy; it is with yourself. To become strong willed and a strong fighter you must study and strengthen your weakness, physical and mental. You must aim to be a wee bit stronger & a swifter thinker than those about you. Endurance, mental and physical, will win through. Mental vigour is probably more important than physical, but fitness of body is essential to fitness of mind.

Rooted deep in the subconscious mind of every man, is the herd instinct, the impulse to act together against common danger and protect what we already possess. It was this instinct which first gathered families into tribes and tribes into nations. Spell binding orators understanding the natural law of herd instinct can lead people to ways of thought or action that are against all reason. With proper leadership a nation of decent individuals who desire to progress and have a trained will to win, becomes great and remains long lived. There can be no standing still with a smug contentment in what you have already attained.

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