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These are four of the most important practical tasks which, from the German point of view, present itself to Pax Romana in its future work of relief and reconstruction. The chief thing, however, on which the success of all other efforts will depend, is to re-establish that mutual trust which is the pre-condition of all sincere and genuine co-operation. And although we, as Germans, may not be justified to claim this trust, it should yet not be denied to us. We may have to be tested; but I am sure that we shall stand the tests, provided that we are given a fair chance. And if I may in conclusion make a very personal reflection, then I would like to say how very fair the chance was that you here have given to me, and I would like to thank you most sincerely for your good-will and for your patience. The proceedings of this Congress, about which I hope to be able to report to the German Bishops, will by virtue of the spirit of love which animated them and all those present, be like a message of hope to the German Catholics.

DR. ERICH M. VERMEHREN.

NOTICE.

The Archbishop of Birmingham has given his approval for a "Catholic People's Week" to be held under the auspices of the Association for Catholic People's Colleges at University House, Edgbaston Park Road, Birmingham, 15, from December 29th to January 3rd.

The main object of the "week" is to discuss the possibility of founding Catholic People's Colleges for Residential Adult Education.

The inclusive fee is £4.6s. 0d., payable at Birmingham on December 29th. Please apply at once to:

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