

words like those about their own country? Apart from those actually
~~writing at the time~~ of the Spanish Civil war--Klein, Scott, Kennedy,
 Leslie, the forties poets were deeply influenced by that earlier
 response: I think of Birney, Layton, Dudek, Souster, Page ~~and~~ Waddington,
 They in turn have directed ~~young~~ ^{younger} poets of today towards social concern,
 commitment to change, ^{search for roots.} ~~love of country.~~ ^{And one} ~~one~~ has only to mention the names
 of Purdy, Acorn, Nowlan ^{readily} to know how they have stirred the imagination
 of Pat Lane, Pat Lowther, Tom Wayman and Dennis Lee. Truly the Spanish
 people have guided us, shown us where our tradition lies!

↓ ^{himself - doctor, painter, poet and fighter -}
 and Norman Bethune is already a mythic
 figure ^{to} poets like Peter Stevens, as well as
 for the young modernists.
 Dorothy Livesay
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This ^{harsh}
 truly the experiences of the twenties,
 culminating as ^{they} I did in the
 hope and despair of the Spanish
 people's struggle have been burned
 into the Canadian consciousness.
 we can assert that
 the Spanish singers and poets
 have deeply ~~inspired~~ ^{not only} life
 their much deeper ^{not only} upon
 South American poetry, but also
 upon English poetry in Canada.