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## 2) Journeys in Retrospect

a) my own journey to Britain, 1946

4th during past five years (1941, 1944, 1945, 1946)

a high point in Commonwealth co-operation

realizing now the fruits of discussion and conviction expressed at time of conferences of 1923, 1926

realizing also the strength of the Commonwealth in terms of free association

(see final communique of May 24)

and the developments arising out of Responsible Government.

## b) Journeys in Political Ideas

In 1932 Responsible Government had not yet appeared as the solution to political evils and political deadlock in the Canadas,

Yet within 5 years Responsible Government became the cornerstone of the future organization of the British Commonwealth

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