

Just as we may count upon the Indians to counteract the effort of pan-anglo-saxonism, from the Anglo-Saxons in the colonies we may likewise expect full resistance to the encroachments of Anglo-Saxons from the United Kingdom.

Conclusion

In conclusion, let us keep in mind the opening of this short study, borrowed from the pen of the Colonial Secretary: "*After this war, the relations between the Dominions and the Mother Country can never be the same again.*" The new order will be, to a large extent, what the people of Canada and the other Dominions "*finally insist*" on making it. At present, we are allegedly fighting for the liberation of various peoples in Europe, for the preservation or revival of small nationalities, and also for the general progress of freedom and democracy throughout the world. Are we to deny those boons to ourselves, and to our children?

To remain in our present state of disguised servitude is not mere stagnation: it is retrogression, it is abdication; it means voluntary acceptance of an Imperial burden heavier than that which weighed on the conquered provinces of Rome.

To demand and acquire equal rights of partnership within the Empire would mark *some* progress.

To become a nation, free to live its own life, to shape its own destinies, would be the attainment of the only goal high and *lasting* enough to satisfy *all* the aspirations of a free, robust and spirited people.