

## CONCLUSION



**FORM** of government must be judged by its results. So with a political doctrine. The best political status is not necessarily that which best answers a certain preconceived and more logical view. Imperialism, Colonialism, Nationalism, are mere words. The

state we are after is one that will ensure the highest degree of welfare to the people. Popular contentment, through moral freedom and material welfare, that is the goal to reach, and Nationalism we have chosen as our political creed because, to our mind, the greatest degree of moral freedom and material welfare is to be had therefrom.

¶ When they talk of rejuvenating England with the blood of the colonies, we want to be shown whether England's blood—I mean the sweat of her brow and the labor of her hands—is not absorbed by an army of leeches for whom England's civilizing work is only a secondary consideration. We Canadians have not impoverished England. Far from that, our immigration policy is probably the only barrier to-day between England and social revolution. With virile hopes swelling our breasts, we will not let our blood replace in the veins of the Mother Country a life which heartless "loafers" of elder brothers are allowed to suck away. ¶ This is why we are anti-Imperialists.

¶ Our Federal, Local and Municipal governments have too often in the past played the part of wastrels. We have squandered untold riches. We have laid the foundation of a plutocracy which, by reason of our vast natural resources, will be a clog in the working