

Win-the-War. But in order that the war may be won is it necessary to introduce Prussian methods into Canada, is it necessary to ruin our country, is it necessary to resort to compulsion, is it necessary to establish a political autocracy at Ottawa, is it necessary to interfere with the fundamental rights and liberties of the people, is it necessary to set race against race and to seek to politically isolate the oldest and one of the greatest provinces in the Canadian Confederation? Canadians may be permitted to doubt it.

What is the use of fighting the Germans if we are to adopt their methods? More enlightened methods, a broader vision, a more patriotic and truer national policy surely would have had other and more effective results. Had a real national government been formed, as it should have been at the very outset of the war, and by that means the cordial and earnest cooperation of all sections of the population been secured, had immediate steps been taken to consolidate all the national forces, to minimize the dislocation to the country's economic life that was bound to follow from the strain of war, had measures been inaugurated without delay to curb graft and profiteering and to see that the burden should fall equally on all classes and not particularly on the