

possibilities, full of the hard earned experience of many generations, and, thank God, as strong as ever still.

Clubs such as yours, gentlemen, growing as they are, I believe, throughout Canada, directed as they will be on broad and manly lines, cannot but ensure that Canadian patriotism you so justly value. You have all my good wishes for the future which is before you. Go on making your history ;— let your wise men write it and your rising generation read it,—but be we Canadians or Scotsmen, or from whatever nationality we spring, let us never forget that we are members of a clan—England, Scotland and Ireland, Canada, Australia, New Zealand, South Africa, the Indian Empire and dependencies without end—a clan owing fealty to one chief, our King, working out together the greatest history the world has ever known : the history of the British Empire.

