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PREFACE

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ONE of the most striking features of political life is the feeling of the corporate unity of the Empire. No discussion of general politics in the United Kingdom or in the Dominions is complete unless it takes into consideration the Imperial bearing of the problems under review. This feeling of unity has grown with the wider diffusion of knowledge of the Dominions and their ideals and aims.

The aim of this book is to give the reader a general idea of the Dominion of Canada as a factor in the Empire. After a short review of the history of the country, the constitution and material resources are set out, and the bonds which unite the Dominion to the Empire are examined.

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