

Introduction.

THIS Pamphlet is no mere compilation, but embodies in a compact and convenient form, the facts and experience which the writer acquired during a visit to the Canadian North-West in the Autumn of 1883. Having carefully inspected the Temperance Colonization Society's fine estate, he writes of it from the standpoint of personal observation ; and, before going to press, has taken great pains to verify from other sources every estimate, statement, or opinion, which the following pages contain. His object in writing this little book is to relieve himself and his Colleague, Mr. John F. Calder, of Dundee, from the impossible task of replying in full, by letter, to every enquiry they receive respecting the Temperance Colony ; and he sends it forth upon its mission, freighted with an earnest wish for the success of a project which aims at proving that the highest attainable degree of happiness and prosperity are compatible with, and promoted by freedom from "the manufacture, importation, and sale of strong drink."

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