

It will not probably be denied that the British Provinces of North America are, of all others, the most accessible to immigrants. The voyage is comparatively short and rather pleasant, in the right season taken. Almost every year sees a reduction in the charges, and there is no part of the country where they go to settle that may not be reached without difficulty. There is abundance of uncultured soil fit for cultivation, and all that has been yet occupied is but a small portion compared with the regions that remain for settlement. This is the country to which myriads of immigrants *can* come, who cannot or ought not to go elsewhere.

Besides those that immigrate for settlement on land, there are thousands of others that find occupation in the stores and offices of the merchants, in schools, in colleges, in churches, on railroads, &c. To all these this is even a kind of England not utterly dissimilar to what the great England is to many others. The classes in the Old Country whence these proceed, are surely relieved by the expeditions of their more adventurous brethren. But what I am concerned to remark is this, that the classes of persons I have mentioned have here, as they ought to have, a part of the empire into which they can come to reside and do the work of life, without any great revulsion of feeling.

It is a great error to suppose that immigrants to the British Provinces come filled with hatred to the Government of England, that their hearts are alienated from her institutions and people, and that they utter