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CONTINENTAL IMMIGRATION,

BY

MADAME VON KEORBER.

Delivered before the City Council of Toronto, Ont. September, 1879.

Madame Von Koerber, who was in the Council Chamber at the invitation of the Mayor, then appeared before the Council, and read the following address upon the subject of Immigration from European Continental countries:—

GENTLEMEN,—I have been kindly invited by His Wership the Mayor of this city, to address you to-night on a subject to which I have devoted many years of attention, and several years of actual labour—that of Emigration and Immigration. Immigration is the all-important point for the promotion of the welfare of this country, contrary opinions notwithstanding. I was anxious to address the municipality of this city, because Toronto is the key'to this Province, the centre of commerce and industry, and ought, therefore, for mere personal consideration, so to speak, take a warm interest in the promotion of Immigration, and follow, with full knowledge of the facts, the development and results of the Government's different Immigration schemes. But Toronto is also the seat of intelligence and of enlightened liberal ideas, and as such it would