

crease to their waters received by the melting snow in Spring. In short, however much the length and severity of our Canadian winters may frighten those unaccustomed to them, and ignorant of the many blessings which they bring, but for them the climate would be less healthful, the soil less fruitful, the valuable products of the forest could never be made subservient to the use of man, and Canada would not be, what she now undeniably is, a prosperous, a progressive, and a happy country.

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