

making a display commensurate with her advance in the industrial arts and the extent of her natural resources, without having to incur the trouble and expense unavoidable in sending a large number of exhibits to a great distance.

#### THE ATTENDANCE OF VISITORS

should also be good. Besides the many thousands of Canadians who would not visit the city without some greater attraction than a mere annual fair, we could count on attracting a large number from the United States. A really good display of the

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would by itself draw hundreds of thousands who have neither the means or leisure to study them abroad. Moreover Canada is attracting more and more interest abroad, and such an exhibition here in 1892 would probably get the benefit travel of three years, not only of those coming to Canada, but also those who might wish to make a trip to the States. Many who might think of a trip to the U. S. in 1891 might defer their visit till the next year, and some who otherwise might not come over until 1893 might come a year earlier so as to combine a visit to the Exhibition with other attractions.

#### THE EXPENSE SHOULD BE MODERATE.

So many exhibitions are going on simultaneously that in a short time a number of excellent buildings will be for sale and obtainable at perhaps one fourth or one fifth of the cost of a new building.

Then again,

#### WE HAVE A GOOD SITE :

the present Exhibition grounds are finely situated and there is a considerable extent of vacant property adjoining which could be utilized for such a special occasion. The tract between Mt. Royal Avenue and Pine Avenue, Park Avenue and Upper St. Urbain is about 34 acres ; there is a similar tract lying West of Park Avenue, and another addition might be made on the North West, so that 70 or 80 acres could be added for that year to the present Exhibition grounds.

While these figures do not reach the proportions of Fairmount Park, Philadelphia, there should be ample room, seeing that the extent of the Antwerp exhibition grounds of 1885 was only  $54\frac{1}{2}$  acres, that of Liverpool 1886, only 35 acres ; that of Glasgow being held now, 60 acres.

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