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case, much as my wife and I had looked forward to a visit to Canada as full of the most instructive and enjoyable interest. I begin to suspect that the oft-repeated experience of the Queen of Sheba will be ours, and that when we leave these shores we shall feel that the haft had not been told to us. For, notwithstanding the value of the various books upon Canada, ample in quantity and many of them admirable in quality, it is personal observation and contact that is needed to bring home to the mind with vividness and force the features, the institutions and the resources of any country. And, while this is true in a gener a sense, it has of course a special application in the case of the vast territory comprised within this Dominion, a region where the fertile structures of and must be measured not by acres but by miles, lot by miles but a 7-league scale, a region with lakes in which the greater part of England could be placed as an island, a region with woods, in a corner of which Scotiand might (to use the simile of a good-natured frishman) be inserted without anybody knowing it was there, if it were not but for the smell of the whisky, [Laughter, I will just observe in passing that I demur to the accuracy of that fillustration, partly because whisky is, I trust, a diminishing element in Scotland, and also because if I knew anything of my countrymen they would not remain immured in the forest but would cut roads of egress in every direction, and so use them as to make the world aware of the existence of Scotland and Scotsmen.

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confederation—and again of the recent opening up of communication with the west, which is surely destined to give a stimulus to the trade and the population of the entire Dominion. In a word you are in a stage of transition—that condition which requires, and in a healthy nation evokes, the exercise of caution, calmness and self-confidence, and while there is inevitably a diversity of opinion as to the best means of securing the desired end. I believe that all parties will be agreed upon this, that while determined to do nothing inconsistent with amity and respect towards a great and illustrious neighbor, you will be equally resolute in decilning to committy-ourselves hurriedly to any course which, the work from signs a one possible immediate ada a front of Credit Valley stone, and a

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