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CANADA'S ADVANTAGES. It is always pleasant to have our splendid recent issue observes:-"Canada is the pos-"qualified to march in the van of the 'sisterhood of American nations." There is a wealth of meaning in the reference which is made to the possibilities of development. It has always been the aim of this journal to point out the peculiar richness of our natural resources, and to impress on our own people the happy future which lies before the Dominion. No Canadian who views this country in an intelligent and candid way can fail to feel a thrill of patriotic pride and be moved by a strong sense of confidence in its exalted destiny. We have here in happy combination all the essential elements for national greatness-vast resources in soil, minerals, timber and fisheries. We have a territory beyond the comprehension of the general mind, and heritage, and the day is dawning when population of the very best class will pour our population to be doubled within fifteen years. Where is there another land blessed having equal capacity to absorb vast

sands of those sturdy and industrious agri-

culturists who form the best backbone a

country can have. It may be that the

pittance now expended on immigration is

not sufficient to fully meet the marvellous

propagandism of the Argentine Republic and other countries, and if so the Govern-

ment should see to it that the most be made

out of our accruing chances. The dismal

past five years has not done us any good

peasantry; but despite the exaggerated pic-

tures of our burdens and drawbacks, we

never stood so high in the estimation of

the world at large as we do to-day. We

are bound to assume that this means th

and advancement as only the optimistic

among us have looked for.

Some leading American writers are bewill only be the fittest who will live unless there is an increased consumption in foreign markets. One writer in the Country Gen. tleman of a recent date asks: - Is there any reasonable ground to hope for an increased consumption? And he professes to see no signs of it, while on the other hand there production. Take the South for example. corn in the South increased 150 per cent. these years the hay crop was increased 27 per cent; cotton 88 per cent.; and wheat 70 per cent. The next census will show a production of these and other staple crops be not only self-supporting as regards all the staple crops, but will have a surplus to sell. Look at the price of wheat, oats and corn in the West. Look at the price of beef. Look at the price of real estate, declining in nearly all parts of the United States; only holding its own, or instances advancing, in a few favored localities. This same are being laid down in Norfolk, Virginia hav at a little less than \$14 per ton. How Ohio and Indiana at such figures; or for vail. It is a safe thing his oats? He may get \$7 per ton for the former, out of which must come the expense of cutting, securing and baling, hauling, &c. For his oats he gets perhaps

The United States buys annually \$24,-900,000 worth of silver bullion and coins the operation of such a system a private mint would be nearly as profitable an investment as a counterfeiter's outfit.

A RASH AND SILLY SLANDER.

would lend himself to the kind of States. chicanery alleged against him, few if any among the readers of that national advantages recognized by out- journal acquainted with him will siders. The Minneapolis Tribune in a believe. It is doubtful if the gentlemen whose names have been brandished in kinds. People in the East who don't care "sessor of a magnificent territory, rich in evidence will thank the Advertiser for its for cerns might get the Missourians to "varied resources and capable of infinite interference, but rather it may be thought take them. "development. Her people are intelligent they would feel chagrin hat its zeal should "and progressive, and in every respect have so far outrun its wit in this instance. On Friday the organ stated that the names of the list, we stated that the names were found thereon duly enrolled. They are as follows: head of his little infant daughter peeped Charles S. Hyman, District 7, No. 91. John Marshall, District 7, No. 134.

Saml. Munro, District 2, No. 108. On Saturday the Advertiser tells its readers that our statement was false, and reiterates its charge against the character of the Revising Officer. That gentleman now assures the FREE PRESS that its position is "technically and strictly correct," and that the assertion that any attempt was made to tamper with the Lists there are also all those material conditions in relation to the three gentlemen named, which go to maintain great industrial or in any other way, is a pure fabrication. enterprises. In climate and natural con- There is further reason to know that ditions, in agricultural possibilities, we neither Mr. Hyman nor Mr. Marshall has could not ask to exchange lots with any any charge of the kind to make against Mr. nation under the sun. We have a goodly Fraser, and that the 'Tizer's zeal on their behalf is properly to be considered needess, officious and impertinent. Weeks into this country, opening up immense ago there was friendly correspondence areas of fertile land and building up great between him and them on the subject centres of commerce and exchange where of the placing of their votes, and the prairie grass now waves. It is not an neither Mr. Hyman nor Mr. Mar. extreme and unreasonable thing to expect shall has been in the slightest dread of unfairness. Indeed, a leading Liberal was on Saturday heard to declare with such pleasant conditions of life, and that the attack upon Mr. Fraser by the Advertiser newspaper was "damnable," a masses of immigration? To what land matter utterly uncalled for by anything can the well-to-do farmer of the older lands, that had taken place, and an illustration forced by circumstances to find a new of dense stupidity alone. We venture to home, turn with so much of hore for suc- predict that when the lists come up for cess, as to Canada? This fact is being final revision, on Wednesday, the charges generally recognized abroad and must soon of the Advertiser will be proven entirely result in sending to our shores many thou- baseless, and that the lists will be shown things which the electors should think of to be carefully and honestly prepared. The 'Tizer has done itself no good by its slanderous and silly capers in respect of Mr. James Fraser and premature campaign

GENERAL COMFORT.

It could probably be shown that a great

er percentage of people are comfortably

wailings of disappointed Grits during the situated in life in Canada than any other country under the sun. That is to say, we \$3,700,000,000, of which \$370,000,000, or in the estimation of the prudent British have in this country a relatively smaller 10 per cent., is exported. The balance of number of absolutely poor persons than 90 per cent, is more than double the total may be found in any other land, though it is true that we have a limited number of very wealthy men. It is something which teaches a profound lesson of general combeginning of such an era of development fort, of industrious hands and ways to use them, of prudence, of plenty and of hope. For political purposes it has been said that the largely increased deposits in our sav-MARKETS FOR FARM PRODUCTS. ings banks do not represent the surplus for the slight chance which they would earnings of the masses so much as they do ginning to see that if production increases the money of capitalists drawn there by a at its present ratio the competition will be fair rate of interest. That position is untenable. It is unfair, and is made in open disregard of the facts. The millions of Royal Family of England through his so unprofitable in the United States that it untenable. It is unfair, and is made in open the savings of three great classes in chief:-First, farmers; second, artisans, and third, clerks. The law governing the was fifty-one years of age, married the was and at the following Militia Stores. larger savings banks absolutely prevents capitalists from putting in is every reason to expect a large increase in large sums, since it enacts that no single the eldest of whom, Carlos, will succeed account shall exceed \$300. A fact like him. King Louis was a successful literary Statistics show that during the ten years that disposes of the statements which have man, having translated several of Shakebetween 1870 and 1880 the production of from time to time appeared in Grit newspapers, as an offset to the argument that That is to say, it doubled the production of corn one and one-half times. During these years the hay gron was increased 27 wealth in the country. It might be said the series of the service country and the said wealth in the country and the said much annoyed by the wide publicity given the service country and the service country the said wealth in the country and the service country to the service country the service country to the service country the said was an offset to the argument that the Third" into Portuguese. A Brazilian firm printed the "Hamlet," which proved popular in that country, and the King, much annoyed by the wide publicity given to the service country the service country the service country to the service co wealth in the country. It might be said still further, that if the forty odd millions of dollars on deposit with the Government and made a gift of the copyright to the much more rapid rate of increase in the be divided by the number of depositors, it will be found that the individual accounts In fact, in a very few years the South will how an average of less than \$200 each. The inference which an outsider might draw from these statements in the Liberal press would be, that the conditions of life in Canada do not admit of farmers and workingmen earning more than it costs to and splitting headaches-how familiar these keep body and soul together. To deny symptoms are to thousands who suffer periodicthat they have saved millions of dollars within the past fifteen years is to imply in ignorance of the fact that a single application of Sanford's Radical Cure for Catarre such a state of affairs. Canada suffers writer says that oats from Ohio already from just such unfair implications, and in the interest of national progress it is for 20c. per bushel, in carload lots; and a pity that unity on a matter which does not properly come within the realm much does the producer get for his hay in of political strife should not presay that when the winter has set in with severity, there will be less suffering in Canada, relatively considered, than in the United States, for example. We shall 15 cents per bushel. At the same time always have the poor with us, made up of what is he getting for his butter? what for the unfortunate and the vicious, but we his beef? what for his potatoes? This is the market the Commercial Unionists want the Canadian farmer to go to with his surplus instead of to his with his surplus instead of to his with his surplus instead of to his have none of those extremes of suffering which life in the great centres of the United States entails on the struggling masses. We have less of financial extremes by the Canadian surplus instead of to his masses. We have less of financial extremes of the United States entails on the struggling masses. We have less of financial extremes of the United States entails on the struggling masses. We have less of financial extremes of the United States entails on the struggling masses. We have less of financial extremes of the United States entails on the struggling masses. We have less of financial extremes of the United States entails on the struggling masses. We have less of financial extremes of the United States entails on the struggling masses. 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We have less of financial extremes of the United States entails on the struggling masse his beef? what for his potatoes? This is have none of those extremes of suffering own and that of Great Britain. here at all times; that is, while we have Instead of getting 27 cents a bushel for few who are very wealthy, we have also his oats, as at present in our central markets | few who are very poor, and an enormous he would be getting 15 cents, as in Ohio percentage of our population is made up and Indiana, and the same for his other of persons in what may be termed comproduce, if he depended upon the American fortable circumstances. This is a happy condition of things, and presents a picture of general contentment. The extremes to which reference has been made may unhappily come in time, for this journal is it into 32,000,000 silver dollars. Under of the opinion that days of marvellous progress and development are before Can-

ada in the near future. It is the failures

and misfortunes and immigration contin-

gent on rapid national growth which brings The Advertiser's attack upon the Revis poverty side by side with wealth. It was ng Officer for this city in respect of the so in the United States and it may be so Dominion voter's list is most unwarranted, here; although prudent precautions may and justly censured by Liberal and Con. avert much of the misfortune which arose servative alike. That Mr. James Fraser in the settlement of the great Western

CURRENT TOPICS.

Missouri farmers are going extensively into Kaffir corn, because it produces twice

The Queen of Holland recently surprised her husband in a very novel manner. On Messrs. Charles S. Hyman, John Marshall his birthday she presented him with an and Samuel Munro had been "left off" the enormous bouquet of flowers, of the kind preliminary list, intimating that unless they used on benefit nights at opera in Italy, so took immediate steps to be enrolled they heavy that it required several serving men would be disfranchised. Having examined to carry it. As it was brought close to the throne the old king stooped forward to examine it, when amidst the flowers the out, to the surprise of the monarch and the amusement of the whole court

> The Protestant Episcopal Bishop of North Dakota is having a car built to make his episcopal visitations. Spare beds and accommodations for strangers are so scarce in his district that he finds it necessary thus to imitate the actors, and find himself in bed and shelter. The Bishop's traveling car is to be a chapel on wheels as an itinerant house, and he expects not only to hold services in it, but to have it the social meet ing place of the more scattered members of

A combination of western live stock exporters, headed by a Chicago firm, has devised a new plan to ship its cattle to Europe by utilizing the between decks of the tank steamships which now cross the Atlantic Ocean with bare decks. All the tonnage has been chartered by the combination, which will first experiment as to what effect the vapor from oil will have upon cattle. It is thought the oder from the cargo will be a benefit rather than an injury to the animals.

Referring to the extravagant plans in connection with the Ontario Parliament Buildings, the Berlin News says:-"He (the Buffaio architect) has furnished the most extravagant plans, liable to run up to three and a half million dollars, and his own commission is likely to over run the original \$500,000 voted by the supposed economical M. P. P.'s who constitute Ontario elections. No wonder Isaac Master leaves the whole business in disgust. No doubt Elias Snider will do the same thing. The electors must surely feel that the time has come for a change in the Government of this Province."

Senator Cullom has been giving some valuable testimony as to the value of the home market. The farms of the United States produce annually to the value of imports of every kind into Great Britain "If we could take possession of the trade of the world," writes Senator Cullom, "and furnish all the goods imported by every country on the face of the globe, the value of this trade would fall short of our home market by almost a billion of dollars. What suicidal policy it would be for our farmers to favor any measure which would in the least endanger such a market, have of extending their exports, or buying their supplies a little cheaper in other

father, Dom Fernando, who was a prince second daughter of the late Victor Em manuel, King of Italy, and had two sons, twenty-six and twenty four years of age, speare's chief works, including "Hamlet," 'The Merchant of Venice" and "Richard much annoyed by the wide publicity given his work, which was only intended for private circulation, copyrighted his works the lowest or any tender.

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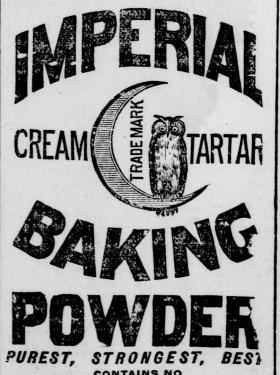
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