

THE CHANGING SCENES

To the student of national affairs, the scenes thrown on the canvas are at once suggestive of unity, strength, protection and permanence, and now that the initial steps have been taken, which cement into one the varied opinions, let us hope that it is the sincerest wish of every true Canadian, irrespective of party affiliations, that these four qualities may shine forth as brightly as the sun at midday.

CANADA'S SMOOTH SAILING



The fairest child of the Imperial household is Canada—the very flower of the family. Progress, general conduct and true devotion to the Mother Country have amply justified this conclusion. Nevertheless, the day at length has arrived when the child should do something in return for parental guidance, advice and protection. Ever since the Confederation of the Provinces in 1867, and even earlier than that time, a feeling of security and safety has been enjoyed because of the fact that the world's greatest navy continued to be our right arm, our shield and buckler, and thus like the offspring of a wealthy parent, the young Dominion passed