

plies ;—deprived of arms ; prevented from assembling in their townships—their best and bravest men executed or banished—a foreign soldiery quartered in their villages and hamlets ;—and arms in the hands of brutal and bloody orangemen only, while martial law supercedes the regular administration of justice. Thus, and thus only, does the last European power support itself in its last foothold on this continent, and by such unworthy means, the red cross of St George is still kept floating on the turrets of Quebe, and waves over the Canadas. The United States cannot expect peace whilst Great Britian holds possessions on her borders ; they must drive her from this land of promise. The Canadians from one extreme of the provinces to the other, hunger and thirst after liberty. They desire to be partakers of the free institutions of the U. S. Let it then be their part to dispense to them the heavenly gift,—for why should they hesitate ?

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