

development which is evidently the most suited to a new country, and to one possessed of such characteristics of physical geography. The advantages Minnesota now possesses would be transferred to the new colony.

A telegraphic communication, and probably a postal express, under good and sufficient auspices, are about to be established across the Continent. Is it not, therefore, a question of time only, not a matter of uncertainty, that this opening will expand into a continuous steam communication of a full varied nature, extending from shore to shore, between the several parts of our magnificent North American possessions, as well as between the more remote continents on either hand, and so ultimately leading, it may be, to the full attainment of that intercourse and of its results which would admit of the interests of Great Britain and those of all her possessions being moulded gradually into a real Unity.

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