

Some of our farmers do look at matters in that selfish and short-sighted way because they have been educated to do so by the newspapers they read, but Canadian farmers in general are very patriotic. They love Canada and wish to see it take a leading place among the nations. They take pride in watching the rapid development of the varied resources of our vast Dominion. They think of their children as well as of themselves, perhaps more than of themselves, and wish them to have full scope in Canada for the exercise of their talents.

A country to be great must have a variety of occupations for its people. God did not make all men alike. Even in the same family there are often great differences of temperament, taste and capacity. A man who is naturally well fitted to excel in one kind of work may make a complete failure of another kind of work for which he is unfitted.

Canada occupies a peculiar geographical position, extending from ocean to ocean beside a neighboring nation, akin in origin and having like social customs with somewhat similar political institutions. Our neighbors have developed the resources of their great country by most carefully foster-

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