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"It may be laid down as an axiom that the chief and direct advantages of an Exposition are derived by the country which holds it."

(COLE.)

I would like to say one word more in favor of Canada. Whilst in that country I was told that it was an unknown region to Englishmen, and although emigration to its shores was an every day occurrence, and accounts of her beauties and great resources were scattered broadcast, she has not as yet been thoroughly appreciated by the pleasure-seeking tourists. Certainly some impetus to Canadian travel has been given by the visit of the British Association to Montreal, but a greater interest in the country was much to be desired. A trip to Canada is now easy of attainment, and much less formidable than a trip to Rome was half a century ago. The Atlantic is now crossed with safety and comfort in a very few days, and what more interesting trip to an Englishman than a visit to "Canada, the flourishing, loyal colony, with such a romantic history—Canada, with her huge inland seas and magnificent rivers, —the highways of a vast and rapidly increasing commerce, whose national voice resounds over a scene as varied as it is beautiful."

WILLIAM SMITH.

*F.S.A.S. 1892 in a Yorkshireman's trip to
the U.S. and Canada.*

The promotion and consummation of Canada's great Exposition, 1896, will do more in making known the Dominion's great resources than anything else has done during the last 10 years.

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