

of Canadian wheat. To many Canadian students there has come the conception of China as one of the greatest potential markets of Canada.

Surely in the face of such conditions and possibilities it is good business for Canada to consider very seriously and sympathetically the representations that were made to the Canadian Trade Mission with respect to "The Chinese Immigration Act, 1923". If Canada is to achieve her potential trade with China it must be on a basis of mutual good will, understanding and confidence. These cannot be developed in the spirit that prompted and characterized this legislation.

Larger Considerations Also Require Revision

But on other grounds as well this legislation should be reviewed and a new policy with respect to the subject matter should be devised. It is not conducive to or in keeping with the national pride of Canada that a neighboring nation across the Pacific should be subjected to the indignities this legislation imposed. Nor is it in the interest of international felicity and peace that this legislation should be allowed to remain as a festering source of cumulative grievance and ill-will on the part of China towards Canada.

Every consideration of monetary interest, national pride and good international relations calls for the immediate revision of "The Chinese Immigration Act, 1923".