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CANADA'S NATIONAL FAIR.



FEAST OF FRUIT AND FLOWERS. - DECORATIVE PANEL.

-G. A. Reid.



HE magnificent success of Canada's National Exhibition of 1904 is a striking demonstration of the progress the Dominion is making toward nationhood. There are many notable and excellent industrial and agricultural exhibitions throughout the country, from Halifax

to Vancouver, but that held at Toronto unquestionably takes the lead. Here are presented exhibits from almost every part of our wide Dominion. Those from the Yukon, from Edmonton, from New Ontario, were a genuine surprise to the visitor. The exhibits of our great railways, the Intercolonial, Grand Trunk, and Canadian Pacific, bring

vividly before us the immense extent and exhaustless resources of our great country, especially in the magnificent live-stock exhibit, which cannot be surpassed, if, indeed, equalled, in the world,

The progress in high-class manufactures in all kinds of machinery, in carriages, automobiles, pianos, furniture, is an "eye-opener" to visitors from abroad, who have very inadequate views of the status which this young nation has attained. It was a cause for patriotic pride to note, displayed on nearly the whole of the very best of these exhibits, the announcement, "Made in Canada."

This annual exposition has become a national institution. We strongly commend the suggestion that its successful management take a long look ahead, plan for the far

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