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BOUNDS FOR THEIR MABITATIONS.

condemned the exclusion of Asiatic races from country, but advocated strict laws to exclude the intellectually and morally inferior to our own, why not accept individuals below the standard? Has not God created the feeble-minded, the blind, the deaf, the paralytic, the demented, the inebriate, the pauper, the tramp, and the vagabond of the same blood as others? We have We have fewer of these defective classes and ers coming nan. All the moral obligations presented as resting on us to open our gates to Eastern races, forbids our sing them on these dependent creatures, who need more others, care, shelter, maintenance, sympathy ity. Why should we be solemnly advised to refuse hospitality to those who, of all the world, stand

Because it is recognized that we have as a people at duty to ourselves and our descendants. The head of a family is not bound to take into his own household all classes of people with whom he may be called upon to deal outside. As one of the clergymen confesses he would not sleep with every man whom he might regard as a triend. We have a sufficient number of domestic problems to work out here in Canada without importing new once. As yet we are not doing half what is right for our own defectives, and it would be wrong to admit more. For years to come, perhaps for centuries, the assimilation of European races in this Dominion will be made of one blood at an authority of the population.

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Climates, traditions, race-instincts, and the desire of the refund, made the proceeding public and inscribed on the minutes a resolution of appreciation of "the highmind ed as a public speaker. In a week he day and homorable course of the Messrs Loftt."

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previous statement that the positions of manager and traffic manager are transferred to the board. It seems that the board will have all the powers of an executive, and such powers as are denied will be at Ottawa, so that Moncton will disappear as a place of Intercolonial Railway authority. The workshops will be there and it will be an important district office, but we may expect that the stablishment at Montreal of the executive headquarters will mean the gradual transfer of all matters of general administration and of the general staff. A geographical division of these general authorities will be found impossible. The Board of Management might have continued the control of general operations at Moncton. It can transfer it to Montreal. But these duties, responsibilities and authorities of the general management can hardly be divided between two headquarters, especially when Ottawa remains a third point of control. The department appears to have studied the question and decided on Montreal.

Almost ever since Mr. Graham became minagement to the stables of the senate with the stable of the stables of the senate is the only part of the Government programme which has not been accomplished, and that this delay was due to the pressure of other business.

Therefore it can hardly be disloyal to the Liberal party for Mr. Elilis to call for the Senate Reform proposition which the deverties of the Government may make. This seems to be good Liberalism, Mr. Ellis endorsed the Ottawa plate form and still supports it. Sir Wilfrid Laurier has recently declared that he has not changed his opinion, and has gone so far as to declare that a change in the constitution of the Senate is the only part of the Government programme which has not been accomplished, and that this delay was due to the pressure of other business.

Therefore it can hardly be disloyal to the Liberal party for Mr. Ellis to call for the Senate Reform proposition when the control of the Senate is the only part of the Government programme which has not been accom

purpose. The system runs north, south and west from that point. It is a point through which a large part of the traffic passes, where the shops and construction works are situateu; where the chief officers can be most easily reached from all parts of the system. The clerks and other officials have established homes in Moncton. Spacious offices have been provided there. The city has been built up as a railway town and is largely dependent on the intercolonial Railway population for its position and prospects. So far as one can see the location has been satisfactory. Anything that has gone wrong would

It is a very disagreeable thing for a community to lose an advantage it has enjoyed. The transfer of Inter colonial control and management from Moncton to Mon treal will be a great disappointment to a large part of the population served by the Intercolonial.

TEACHING THE IMMIGRANT.

The people of the United States are awakening to The people of the United States are transfer of the danger of indigestible immigrations. Last year a Civic League for immigrants was organized in Boston. It has now a strong New York representation. Its agents meet new citizens at the port and on trains. The incomers are invited to meetings where conditions in America are explained to them. Employment has been found for many, and all who desire information in respec

to localities and industries, have been helped.

A number of booklets called "Messages" have been printed for free distribution among the strangers. of these describes the country and gives some exceller advice of which the following extracts are taken from

"The people are of all races, but instead of being citizens of different nations as in Europe, they are citizens of one great republic, the United States, which "factory, workshop or mercantile establishment. Sen all your children between seven and fourteen years of age to school. * * Do not carry weapons. y to understand this line of argument. If we are to age to school. • • Do not carry weapons. • Weep everything sweet and clean about your per allectually and morally inferior to our own, why not son, your home, your street. This is your best t

"tion against disc This seems to be good advice to give to settlers the demented, the inebriate, the pauper, the tramp, it the vagabond of the same blood as others? We have the vagabond of the same blood as others? We have why the immigrant should at once begin to study the English language. This is also good advice to foreign to Canada, though in most cases superfluous.

THE BEACON BAR CONTRACT.

Replying to Dr. Daniel the other day, Mr. Pugsley stated that the Maritime Dredging Company had the contract for dredging at Beacon Bar at 39 1-2 cents

The conduct of the firm was honorable and right basis, and it will in time succeed. Britain has a mission in India and will perform it. But if extensive migration of Europeans to India should be attempted, and the western people were to invade the native industries, crowding out the native born, it could not be allowed. Nor will it happen in Egypt or China. And the converse cannot happen on the Northern part of this continent.

FROM MONCTON TO MONTREAL.

Yesterday the Minister of Railways made the important statement that the management of the Intercolonial was about to be transferred from Moncton to Montreal.

This is the force and effect of the announcement that the Board of Management will hold its meetings and have its permanent offices in Montreal, taken with the previous statement that the positions of manager and traffic manager are transferred to the board. It seems that the board will have all the power of an execution of ment of the firm was honorable and right. But it is the ordinary course of the business community such that the return of insurance money in excess of the full loss is extraordinary or even uncomment. But it is tabnormal? Is the ordinary course of the business community such that the return of insurance money in excess of the full loss is extraordinary or even uncomment. The contract with the company called for the common? The contract with the company called for the common? The contract with the company called for the common? The contract with the company called for the common? The contract with the company called for the common? The contract with the company called for the common? The contract with the company called for the common? The contract with the company called for the common? The contract with the company called for the common? The contract with the company called for the common? The contract with the company called for the common? The contract with the company called for the common? The contract with the company called for the common? The contract with the company called f

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Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Belyea and litthe daughter Georgia, of St. John west, are spending a fe wdays at Bayswater. **EDGECOMBE**

Mr. Kenneth Christie left yesterday morning to resume his duties in the Royal Bank at Newcastle.

Mr. C. H. MacDonald, of St. Andrews, was registered at the Victoria yesterday.

Mr. C. C. Rance, of Clinton, is at the Royal.

Mr. A. E. Hutchins, of Montreal, is at the Victoria. Mr. J. W. Trites, of Salisbury, is in

Mr. T. W. Johnston, of Tr he Victoria.

Mr. W. H. Vaughan, of Tor Mr. James M. Palmer, of Sackville principal of Sackville Academy, is a the Royal.

Mr. J. F. Edgett, of Moncton, was in the city yesterday.

Mr. W. H. Powell and Mr. John D. Eastman, of Old Town, Me., are at the Royal. Mr. A. R. Gould, of Presque Isle, is t the Royal. Mr. Alf. Cloutier, of Moncton, is in



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