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copper and gold! No one can look at the possibilities of our country without the feeling that Canada is destined to be a great nation. Hence it is ours to believe in her, and to stand by her in the days of her weakness, and lend a helping-hand towards the working out of her destiny.

You say to me perhaps, 'It will not be in our day.' But you do not know how much may be in your day. Immense progress has been made in the last twenty-five years. As a Dominion we are twenty-one years old to-day. We may say, then, we have entered upon our manhood estate as a nation, and the growth of those twenty-one years is marked indeed. In that time such a city as Winnipeg has come into being, and grown into greatness. And other cities have sprung up, and attained greatness. The East, I grant, has not kept pace with the West, and a good many in the East have never believed in Confederation, and never will. They told us that the step was one that would not be in our interests in the Maritime Provinces. But for all that the most of us believed in it and went in for it, and we still believe in it. I say, let the west go ahead and build up, for what is their success must ultimately be ours as well as theirs. Growth here must of necessity be less marked, but it will come.

Again, let us speak well of our country. Every country is full of grumblers. Egypt had them. Canaan had them. Great Britain has them. The United States have them. And Canada has them, and almost more than her share; certainly, at least, more than is good for her. They are on all sides of politics, and belong to all grades of society, and are in all walks of life. The most of them would grumble anyway and anywhere, but some of them think they have a cause for grumbling. And perhaps they have. And yet grumbling is a mean business, and serves no good purpose.

Canadian grumblers grumble at the length and severity of our winters. Then they grumble at the heat of our summers. They grumble at the government of the day, and if a new government should come into power to-morrow, they would grumble at that. Of course mistakes are made, injustice done, and things that should not be are, and we should speak out, and do what we can to help matters, but this everlasting grumbling is of no manner of use, and let us stop it. A best can be made of things as they are, and we should find out that more excellent way, and get on it.

We have a country we can speak a good word for, and let us do it. She deserves it of us, and the good word tells for good where it is spoken. No true son of Canada can like the way much is done at Ottawa. The piling up of debt is something that I do not like. I dread it for myself, and keep clear of it, and I dread it as an evil for my country. I grant it may be the true policy now, but there are bounds beyond which it is risky, almost fatal, to go. Still God rules high above mere party interests, and I feel for one, that through those in power, let them be conservative or liberal, He is doing the best for the country. The party in power may not be my party, but it may be His, the best for His purposes, the best in the interests of the country; and, believing that, and hoping it, I would hesitate to say as a public teacher that the country is going to ruin, I do not want to believe any such doctrine, and I cannot think it. I look up to God, who is high above our wretched party interests, whose eye is ever open toward us as a nation, and whose puissant arm is ever stretched out over us for good, and I feel that the country is safe. I could not trust with implicit confidence the wisdom and patriotism of any party, but I can trust God, and my hope for the country is in God. What you and I in our short sightedness may regard as a national calamity, may turn out to be wholly in the interests of the country, her very salvation. Let us cease crying woe! woe! but let us believe and hope, and get into the way of speaking good words.

And once more, let every one of us do our own little part towards our country's making. Every man who tills an acre of land, who helps along some interest, who is serving some useful purpose, is a friend to his country. I would not like to say they are not patriots who make eloquent speeches on our natal day; but this I do say, the best patriots are the men who roll up their sleeves, and go to work to work out the destinies of their country in a thoroughly earnest, practical, business-like way. Every good and true man in a country is a strength, a real acquisition, but the man who is not good and true is a drawback and a source of weakness.

The sins, we find, which wrecked the Hebrew nation, were idolatry, Sabbath-breaking, intemperance, idleness, uncleanness, avarice with regard to marriage, and so on; and these same sins will wreck us. And they are not far from us. I was hurt to see that to-day, in connection with our Dominion Day celebrations to-morrow, there was to be wholesale Sabbath desecration. Now, nothing can hurt the Dominion worse

than that, and no good can come of it. Let us fear God and keep all His Commandments. Let us hallow His day, and maintain truth in the land. Let us frown down intemperance and every evil thing. Let us be loyal to our Queen and country. Let us, above all, believe in Jesus, for there is nothing better than faith in Him to build up our nation to an enduring greatness. 'Righteousness exalteth a nation; but sin is a reproach to any people.'

From ocean unto ocean
Our land shall own Thee Lord,
And filled with true devotion,
Obey Thy sovereign Word,
Our prairies and our mountains,
Forest and fertile field,
Our rivers, lakes, and fountains
To Thee shall tribute yield.

AMEN.

Our Story.

The Village Postmistress

(Continued.)

Oh, my! exclaimed little Bob Traverse that morning, as the letters were brought in. What shoals of letters! What a lot of governesses we shall have, mother! I do declare if it won't be just like an evening party.

Hold your tongue, Bob! urged his father, peremptorily, leave the room. Letters of importance had to be discussed, most of them bearing reference to what Bob had termed the "evening party."

Some of the applicants declared that they were experienced, because middle-aged. Others asserted they were young and therefore generally regarded as having an attractive way with children; which latter statement was yet worse. The last described young ladies would, perhaps prove attractive in other ways, and fall desperately in love with the quiet bachelor—Uncle Fred.

No, that would not do at all, and in a decided fit of ill-humor Bob's father threw the entire batch of letters into the fire.

As usual when perturbed in mind, "mother" turned the current of conversation by addressing Uncle Fred.

I wish when passing Janet Lisle's today you would ask for our magazines.

All was hurry-scurry, as usual, three or four hours later on, in the postoffice. A variety of small packages required immediate weighing; and it was at this very juncture that Uncle Fred placed his foot upon the threshold.

Something bad, however, just caught his eye, and without more ado, he beat a hasty retreat—not, however, to a great distance off.

The very thing! he ejaculated. There! We have been hunting about all this while and to what purpose? 'Particulars within.' Eh? Why I'll go in at once and inquire.

Uncle Fred was a widower, and had, therefore, made his home of late years with his sister Polly's family. Anything, he thought, was better than living alone. He was rich, too, and a highly cultivated man, with a peculiar faculty also for engaging in the performance of kindly actions. Like the rest of the family, however, he had only lately come into the neighborhood.

Will you excuse my troubling you about the notice in the window?

Elsie started visibly an instant. Yes, of course. This was not the first occasion upon which she had seen that striking face. Yesterday, of course, when he had sent off the registered letter.

But Elsie was instantly all attention.

Yes; and she could tell him all he required to know—and did so; and even as she spoke, Elsie's eyes sparkled brightly and lovingly. She was doing now what it rejoiced her true woman's heart to venture upon—trying to help her favorite.

And Miss Falconbridge thought that the young lady in question might be fully relied upon in her guidance of little children? he asked.

Oh, dear me! Yes—most certainly. You can give me her address?

Elsie noted it down quickly upon a sheet of paper.

Before the end of that certainly eventful day, Miss Josephine was engaged as daily governess in the family of Uncle Fred's sister, at the moderate salary of \$200 a year.

Some months have passed away since then. Kind Uncle Fred, that he ever is has just appeared in the large, old-fashioned hall, and is assisting Miss Josephine in putting on her cloak previous to taking her departure for home. He, and Sister Polly also, are made of good stuff, as folks say, and—Heaven bless them for it!—only wish to make her feel at home with them.

And for this reason, therefore, it seems that Uncle Fred not only, on this evening, escorts her to the hall-door, but also a short distance on the road towards home.

As he says, the evening is so lovely, and the balmy outer air will do him good.

She is telling—why, she does not exactly know—something about their troubles at home since dear father died.

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NEW GOODS.

Spring 1888.

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Fredericton, June 12th.

Municipality Of York.

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Dated the 20th day of June, A. D., 1888
WILLIAM WILSON,
Secretary-Treasurer.

DIVISION OF BYE-ROAD MONEY, For 1888

Bright	\$235 08
Canterbury	226 88
Douglas	317 03
Dumfries	187 97
King-clear	236 23
Manners Sutton	198 78
New Maryland	139 93
North Lake	166 48
Prince William	185 48
Queensbury	214 23
Southampton	227 38
St. Marys	375 73
Stanley	283 80
	\$8,000 00

Dated, June 18th, A. D., 1888.

WM. WILSON,
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Accommodation 11.00 a. m.
Express for Sussex 16.35 p. m.
Express for Halifax and Quebec 22.15 p. m.
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Express from Sussex 8.30 a. m.
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