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**FISH EXPORTING**

Prince Rupert has today an opportunity to get a strong foothold in the London fish market, which it will probably never have again. The British market is very short of fish, as the result of the stopping of fishing operations in the North Sea. Meat is very dear and will go still higher, so that there will be an ever-increasing demand for fish, and Rupert is well able to meet that demand.

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**INDEPENDENCE**

Canada's condemnation, in the eyes of the apologist for Germany at the Deutscher Bund held in Detroit the other day, is that Canadians did not take advantage of the war to secure their independence and the separation of Canada from Britain. "We have no hostility to the people of Canada," said Albert Kalschmidt, the leader of the new pro-German organization, and head of the dynamite plots, "no hostility, only pity." And one of the chief spokesmen explained to The Globe: "Canada had a great opportunity to become independent when the war started," and, knowing Berlin sentiment, he was sure that "after the war Canada can have her independence under a German and American protectorate."

One is disposed to smile even at the tragedy of this obtuseness. How is it these German-minded people cannot understand? Are they so dull as

not to know that life in Canada is quite as free and quite as self-governed as in the United States? Do they not know that fifty years ago Canadians had their chance for independence and absolute political separation? that both Beaconsfield and Gladstone thought the colonies then would take the way taken by the American colonies a century earlier? that to leaders of British opinion Confederation was only a step to separation? but that a new way to nationhood came to the people of Canada, a way never before taken by any colony of any empire, the way to national self-government without revolution and without the loss of the historic background of the nation? Is it utterly impossible to get the greatness, the uniqueness, the world significance of that event in Canada's development into the German mind? So it would seem.

The narrow and barren notion of patriotism inculcated by the German professors and their Prussianized conception of nationalism made the Junker head, whether in Germany, in Britain, or in America, impervious to the larger ideas of nationalism and of independence which Canada illustrates in American history.

Canada could have had independence a half-century ago—could have had it, then and since then, for the asking. But what Canadians prize far more is not the eighteenth century idea of independence, but the twentieth century British idea of independence. What Canada stands for is not yesterday's narrow and ingrowing conception of nationalism, which Germany magnifies, but tomorrow's larger, more civilized and more truly cultured idea of internationalism represented in the British commonwealth of free nations and in the international disarmament of the two English-speaking nations of North America.

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Tacoma, 5; Spokane, 1.

**National League.**  
St. Louis-Philadelphia game postponed on account of rain.  
Cincinnati, 1; Brooklyn, 2.  
Chicago, 0; New York, 2.  
Pittsburg, 5; Boston, 6.

**American League.**  
Philadelphia, 2; Chicago, 5.  
Washington, 6; St. Louis, 2.  
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(2). The estimated cost of the work is \$234.00, of which none is to be paid by the Corporation. The estimated special rate per foot frontage is \$0.26. The special assessment is to be paid in one year.

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