

educational facilities have already been referred to at length. In the matter of churches Winnipeg is also well supplied. There are also twenty-six church buildings, and many of them are handsome edifices. All the denominations are here represented. There is also a well managed Y. M. C. A., which maintains open rooms and a library. In addition to the religious bodies, there are the usual lodges, encampments, chapters, etc., of secret orders—the Masons, Oddfellows, Foresters and Knights of Pythias being among the city's most active and influential bodies. The national benevolent societies of St. Andrew, St. George and St. Patrick, do much

news gathering, and there are also many meritorious weekly and monthly periodicals devoted to the interests of trade, commerce, education, religion, society, temperance, etc.

Winnipeg has electric and horse railways. The city is lighted by gas and electricity; it has well conducted telephone and messenger services, etc.; the most approved fire and police protection, a perfect system of waterworks and sewerage, agencies of all the principal telegraphic companies, and, in a word, everything to be found in the metropolitan centres.

Concluding this description of the city of Winnipeg, the writer desires to say that it is necessarily imperfect. To give the reader an accurate knowledge of Manitoba's capital city, and her wonderful resources and prospects, would require much more space than is at command in this publication. However, it is believed that the foregoing general description is sufficient to give a correct idea of what Winnipeg really is. The same causes that have contributed to Winnipeg's growth and wealth in the past, are at work to-day. To the new-comer is offered greater opportunities, for the results of the next two or three years promise to far surpass those of the last decade.

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