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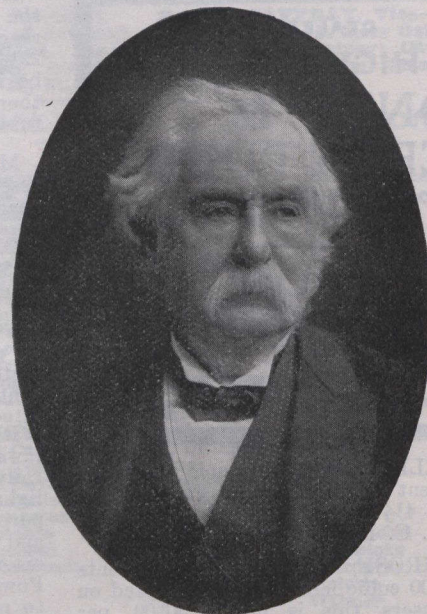
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Engineers—And

**Mr. Thomas C. Keefer, C.E., C.M.G., LL.D.**

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Whose biography appeared in our last issue. Mr. Keefer is the leader in the engineering profession in Canada, and has just been deservedly elected an Honorary Member of the Institute of Civil Engineers (Great Britain.)

New Westminster's Factories

New Westminster, B.C., although unaccountably omitted from the industrial census figures issued from Ottawa, has by far the greatest manufacturing output per head of population of any city in the west of Canada and probably in the whole of the Dominion. What is more, in direct comparison with the other cities of the west, according to figures carefully compiled and estimated by the Progressive Association, New Westminster ranks third, being surpassed in this respect only by Winnipeg and Vancouver, the latter with a population of some 150,000 as against the Royal City's 17,000.

Here are the approximate figures: Winnipeg, Man., 177 establishments; employees, 11,705; payroll, \$16,146,070; production \$32,699,359;

Vancouver, 130 establishments; employees, 8,966; payroll \$4,019,658; production \$15,668,483;

New Westminster, 61 establishments; employees, 2380; payroll \$2,145,856; production \$7,267,620;

Calgary, 46 establishments; employees, 2,133; payroll, \$1,569,589; production, \$7,751,011;

Victoria, Edmonton, Brandon, Portage la Prairie all stand lower on the list than these four cities.

Percentage figures are even more remarkably in favor of New Westminster. It is found that in the city on the Fraser, thirteen of every hundred of her population of 17,000 are actually employed in productive work, while in Vancouver the same can be said of only 5½ per cent.; in Calgary, of 3¼ per cent. and in Victoria, of 4 1-5 per cent.