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BOARD OF TRADE.

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The board of trade vesterday adopted the report of the committee on taxation, urging that the question of assessment be further considered by the taxation committee, and expressing the view that the present assessment law cannot be made satisfactory by amendment.

After a long discussion, Jas. F. Robertson's resolution in favor of the government building the proposed new rallway across the continent was adopted; as well as that of W. Frank Hatheway to the effect that all transcontinental railway charters should clearly specify that the lines must have their terminus both summer and winter in Canada; while the government should not subsidize such lines either with money or lands.

Opinion was not unanimous regarding the construction of a line by the government, but on the question of the termini in Canada; there was entire agreement.

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THE DANGER OF A PHRASE, Canada is one country which is continually misunderstood in England. Just as the English people were awakening to its real character and were beginning to take an interest in its future, Rudyard Kipling checked the movement with a phrase. Canada is My Lady of the Snows in the imagination of England. Any well informed Canadian will admit that, in his opinion, the phrase threatens to throw back the development of the colony by a decade.—A. S. Hurd, is the Fortnightly IE ST. JOHN STAR & published by THE SUN PRINTING COMPANY (Ltd.), at St New Brunswick, every att ot Sunday) at \$3 a year.

ST. JOHN STAR.

ST. JOHN, N. B., JANUARY 14, 1903.

THE WONDROUS WEST.

The total grain crop of Manitoba and the Northwest Territories last year was 126,550,000 bushels. If this were all piled in one great heap it would occupy 162,455,000 cubic feet. This would make a pyramid 915 feet long at the base and 582 feet high. This pyramid of grain would be 183 times the size of Winnipeg city hall. The city hall is 130 feet high, and this pyramid would be 450 feet higher still. This pyramid of grain would also be nearly double the size of the great pyramid of Egypt.

The wheat crop of Manitoba in 1891 was 23,191,599 bushels. In 1901 it was 50,502,085 bushels, and last year 53,077,—

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In 1891 the oat crop of Manitoba was 14,762,605 bushels; in 1901 it was 27,796,-588 bushels, and last year 34,478,160

In 1891 the Manitoba barley crop was 3,197,876 bushels; in 1901 it was 536,155 bushels; and last year 11,848,422

The above figures are given by the Winnipeg Telegram, which also makes the estimate that the income of the 38 -000 farmers in Manitoba for 1902 was \$1,170 for each farmer. The result is figured out in the following table:

| | 1902. | Bushels. | At | Value. |
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| B. | Wheat 5 | 3,077,267 | 57e | \$30,254,042 |
| | Oats 3 | 4,478,160 | 22e | 7,585,195 |
| ĸ. | Barley 1 | 1,848,422 | 25c | 2,962,105 |
| 25 | Flax | 564,440 | \$1 | 564,440 |
| | Rye | 49,900 | 40c | 19,960 |
| ō | Peas | 34,154 | 50c | 17,077 |
| 4 | Potatoes | 3,459,325 | 25c | 864,831 |
| iil | Roots | 3,230,995 | 10c | 323,099 |
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| 0 | Turkeys | | 75c | TO BE SHOULD BE SHOULD |
| 4 | Geese | 34,270 | 40c | 13,708 |
| q | Geese. Chickens. | 363,020 | 25c | 90,775 |
| = d | Eggs | | | 100,000 |
| e | Dairy Products | | | 747,603 |
| 7 | Cattle Export | 4,000 | \$47 | 168,000 |
| 5 | Stookers | 20,000 | 15 | 300,000 |
| 'n | Hogs sold | | 14 | 420,000 |
| 6 7 | Total | | | \$14,493,741 |
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cording to United States census for 1900, says the Telegram, the average value of products per farm was \$825.68, so that the average for Manitoba is 41.70 per cent greater than for

The figures for the elevator capacit. of the Manitoba grain inspection district at the end of the various years

| 44 | CARRY N. S. C. | | |
|------|----------------|----------------|---------|
| 1891 | | 7,628,000 | bushels |
| 1901 | | 23,000,000 | bushels |
| | | 35,162,600 | |

+0+ TIME FOR A CHANGE.

in the government of New Brunswich men have controlled its affairs. might almost be pardoned for believing that they are regarded as heaver oorn statesmen, without whose guid ance the province would go to ruin But that is not the belief of the people. The great majority of the elect ors know that it would be in the interest of good government to place an entirely new set of men at the head of affairs. The present government has a great faculty for spending money and then appealing to Ottawa for more, without showing any adequate results for the expenditure. The population of the province is not being increased by immigration, nor has the exodus been stopped. The public works do not show careful and economical expenditure. The bridge record of the government of the government has a great faculty for spending money and the syndicate consists of Sames Ross of Montreal, Senator Cox and E. R. Wood of Toronto, B. F. Pearson of Halifax, and others. Constitution work which will develop 40,000 horse power is to be begun at once. ors know that it would be in the inture. The bridge record of the go ernment has beeen notoriously bad Even the bridge building industry they talked so loudly of developing in the the costly encouragement given. The punished. The lumber policy of the government is condemned on all sides as victous in principle. It is time fo

TALKS ON ADVERTISING The direct results from judicious ad ertising are so universally a matter ously advertise that it is surprising there should be any to question th fact. Of course it must be judicious July is not likely to be overworked Neither is he who purchases a space in a paper, puts in one announcement and forgets all about it till the time has expired. A newspaper is glad to assist its patrons as far as possible since the paper as well as the merch ant is interested in the success of his business. The Star aims to be of service in this way to the merchant of St John, and has the gratification to know that the advertisements in its columns

Maine railroads earned nearly a mil Maine railroads carned nearly a million dollars more last year than the year before. Is this due to Mr. Blair's management of the I. C. R.—or have all railroads earned more because there ANNUAL MEETING

The annual meeting of the Haymar-ket Square Baptist church was held last evening, at which the pastor re-commended the revision of the church roll and the appointment of a pruden-tial committee, and spoke of measures to raise the funds for denominational work.

poses.

The Y. M. A. of the church was also organized, and meets in Tabernacle hall. There are various forms of entertainment connected with it, and it has already proven to be a powerful factor in the work of the church.

NOVA SCOTIA M P'S

OTTAWA, Jan. 13.-Kendall and Johnston, M. P.'s, who have been here for some days on departmental business, have left for home. While here they strongly urged on the minister of lisheries the adoption of a system of lobster ponds along the coast of Nova Scotla from the Bay of Fundy to Cape Breton. The object is to catch lobsters during the open season, place them in ponds, and then ship them alive to the States during the close season, at a period when prices are high. The scheme meets with favor here, as while effecting a revolution in the canning business, it will give to Canadians an advantage not now possessed by them. For some years it has been the custom of New England vessels to secure live lobsters in Canadian waters, take them to Massachusetts, and unpound them there for sale during the close season. A lighthouse was opened a few weeks ago on Amet Island, off Cumberland county lighthouse, and is visible from the mainland. During the past three days signals of distress have been flying from it. The department of marine was notified today of the fact, and immediately ordered the steamer Minto to proceed to the assistance of the lonely watcher on Amet. for some days on departmental busi-

CHAMBERLAIN'S HAND.

JOHANNESBURG, Jan. 13.—Colonial Secretary Chamberlain and the leaders of the mining community here have arrived at an agreement in the matter of a financial settlement. Under the agreement the Transval war contributions will amount to 110000, which is to be expended in reproductive public works in the Transval and in the Orange River Colony.

An understanding was also readhed regarding the labor question. It is believed the imperial government will consent to the importation of Chilaborers for the mines.

Details of the agreement reached Colonial Secretary Chamberlain and the leaders of the mining community of Johannesburg are lacking, but it is understood that the agreement implies that the Transvaal mining industry will guarantee the interest on \$300,000,000. It is estimated that this will amount to \$50 per head yearly on the white population of the Transvaal.

CANADIAN CAPITALISTS.

[C. H. Cahan, K. C., of Harris, Henry & Cahan, has been twice in Mexico personally in connection with this great enterprise.]

L. O. DISTRICT LODGE.

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The annual meeting of the St. John District L. O. L. was held last evening in the Orange hall, Germain street, when the following officers were duly elected and installed for the ensuing year: W. B. Wallace, W. D. M.; G. R. Baxter, D. M.; C. F. Robinson, Chap.; M. A. McLeod, D. Rec. Sec.; D. B. Webster, F. Sec.; Chris. White, Treas.; J. G. Sullivan, D. of C.; W. J. Irvine, Lec.; Fred Nice, In. Tyler. A. J. Armstrong, P. D. G. M. of B. A., conducted the election and installation of officers.

The reports of the officers showed that the district lodge had a very prosperous year, the treasurer having a balance in his hands of \$497.35.

Several visitors were present from outside of St. John, amongst them Past Deputy Grand Master Brother Philip Palmer, who acted as one of the tellers during the election and made a strong Orange speech.

HICKMAN AND STRATHCONA.

LONDON, Jan. 13.—A. W. Hickman read a paper on Canada at the Colonial Institute tonight. He said he believed that the American invasion of the Canadian Northwest involved no danger to British interests, that the majority of Americans who went to Canada rapidly became good Canadian citizens, and that the investing of American millions in Canadian land was but the forging of another link in the chain of Anglo-American friendship.

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Lord Strathcona, who presided at the meeting, complimented Mr. Hickman on his paper and said he fully endors-ed his views.

Y. M. C. A. SUPPER. ing the Fund for the Prop

New Building.

The Y. M. C. A. supper given by Frank White, the president of the local association, at White's restaurant last evening, was well attended, and much interest was manifested in that kind of work by all present.

At 7 o'clock the guests sat down to a supper specially prepared for the occasion, W. C. Cross presiding.

After the supper several good speeches were made, among which was that of Mr. Irvine, who reviewed the work of the St. John association, and spoke particularly of the necessity of better equipment.

Fraser G. Marshall, maritime secretary, told of the work that was being done in other towns of the maritime provinces. Many of those having populations of only 5,000 or 6,000 had better equipment for Y. M. C. A. work than St. John had, and there was no reason why it should not have the best that could be procured.

C. K. Ober of New York spoke of the work that was being conducted on a large scale in North America, and of the effect which large buildings, well equipped, had in increasing membership. The association in towns the size of St. John were reaching ten per cent of the young men.

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S. B. Wilson, secretary of the local Y. M. C. A., referred to the fact that the association was organized on Dec. 22nd, 1853, and that this was their jubilee year. Shortly after the Y. M. C. A. began its work in St. John their building was burned, but the friends of the work had been very loyal, and the fruits of their labor were shown in the large membership of the institution, and in the good prospects of a building well equipped and large enough for the young men of the city.

The business men's committee an I the young men's committee an I the young men's committee an I the young men's committee when held a saceting, W. C. Cross and Frank White respectively presiding. Each member took a list of names of business men to interview for subscriptions to the new Y. M. C. A. building. A committee was appointed for this same purpose.

The sum of \$700 has been collected so far this week. The total amount subscribed up to last night was \$48,826.

JURY DISAGREE

After nearly five hours' deliberation the jury in the case of the crown against Fred W. Goodspeed, as an accessory after the fact to Doherty's murder, failed to come to an agreement, and were discharged, And now the work on the crown's side is all to do over again, for it is unlikely that the case will be permitted to drop where it is.

The burglary charges will, however, be taken up first, and on Thursday morning Goodspeed will be formally arraigned on the two counts of breaking into and stealing from the stores of D. A. Kennedy and of Phillips & Foley. At the conclusion of these it is probable that a new jury will be empannelled to 'consider again the question of his guilt as an accessory. The final vote in the jury room stood sine to three in favor of acquittal.

GRAND TRUNK FINANCES.

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MONTRIDAY, 180, 13.— The Star's London cable says: In order to meet the fears that the Grand Trunk Railway Company's financial position might be jeopardized by the Grand Trunk Pacific commitments, it is announced today that Grand Trunk Pacific will be absolutely a separate corporation under control of the Grand Trunk Company, but not guaranteed financially in any way by the older company. It is added that the form in which the scheme will ultimately go through will probably be dependent to a great extent on the subsidies obtained from the Canalian government.

CIRCUIT COURT.

King, Morrison and Stone will be sentenced on Thursday. The court told them yesterday that they may in the meantime procure, brough their counsel and friends, ritificates of character, and present them before sentence is passed. They were remanded.

The civil cases to be tried this circuit are: Milligan v. Crocket, McKay v. Fraser, and Murphy v. Kelley. Court adjourned un''ll next Thursday morning at 11 o'cl. ck.

MILITARY INSTRUCTION.

There was a large attendance last evening of non-commissioned officers of the 52nd regiment, at the opening of the school for instruction in the Customs House. Cergt. Major Fowlie, R. C. R., instructed the non-coms. in the new infantry drill, and all—were very much interested and readily pickedit up. Tonight they will meet again at 8 o'clock, and an hour later the class for officers will be formed.

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F. W. PETERS HONORED.

F. W. Peters, promoted to C. P. R. general freight agent at Winnipeg, was dined before he left Vancouver by the C. P. R. heads of departments at the club, Supt. Marpole being in the chair. During the day he was the recipient of a magnificent cut glass punch bowl from the leading merchants of the city.

CALLED FROM MONCTON.

NORTH SYDNEY, C. B., Jan. 13.— The Sydney presbytery in session to-day, on motion of Rev. Clarence Mc-Kinnon, unanimously agreed to the nomination of Rev. D. McOdrum of Monoton for the chair of systematic theology and apologetics in the Pres-byterian College, Halifax, as successor to Rev. D. Gordon.

LORD STRATHCONA'S LATEST.

LONDON, Jan, 13.—Every day gives fresh evidence of Lord Strathcona's activities. In spite of the inclement weather his latest engagement is a promise that he will lay the foundation stone of the new mission premises which are being erected by the Wesleyan Methodists in City Road, London, at a cost of £100,000.

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CARLETON NEWS.

dress carnival, will take place in the

The members of the W. C. T. U. wil neet tonight at the residence of Mrs. Retallick, Charlotte street, at 8 o'clock An interesting game took place in

An interesting game took place in the curling rink on Monday night. This was the last game of the first round in the "Mages cup" competition. The results were as follows:

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H. Belyes.
In the "Mages cup" competition last night the result was, by rinks:

INSTALLATION AND SUPPER. St. John Council, No. 133, Royal Ar-St. John Council, No. 133, Royal Arcanum, met last evening and installed their officers as follows: J. N. Wetmore, regent; Thos. Finlay, vice-regent; Geo. D. Martin, orator; R. H. Sancton, P. R.; D. McNally, secretary; W. H. Clawson, see.; John M. Taylor, treas; R. E. Coupe, chap; F. E. Wetmore, G.; W. A. Coleman, W.; Geo. A. Kinmball, S.

After the meeting of the Council the members adjourned to The Alexandra (formerly the Prescott house), Charlotte street, and partook of a dainty supper.

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Regent Wetmore, who has the honor to hold that office for the third year, presided, and proposed the toast of the King.

Thos. Finlay, vice-regent, proposed the Supreme Council, to which Hon. R. J. Ritchie replied. He pointed out that only about one hundred and fifty more members were needed, when a Grand Council could be established for the maritime provinces, and urged the members to exert themselves to that end.

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Brinlay, R. E. Coupe, W. H. Clawson and S. R. Jack, and before closing Regent Wetmore thanked the members for the renewed expression of their confidence, and expressed the hope that there would soon be a Grand Council for the maritime provinces. The meeting closed with the national anthem.

LOYALIST SOCIETY.

The regular monthly meeting of the N. B. Loyalist Society was held last night, when a paper was read by Rev. Dr. Raymond on Some of the Loyalists in Arms during the war of the American revolution. The learned doctor dealt with the various corps, giving the names of many provincial officers, together with the number of men attached to each corps, and after the declaration of peace, with the grants of land made to these men in New Brunswick. The men were settled by corps as far as possible, with officers in each location.

After the paper, a motion was passed pledging the society to assist in the celebration of the tercentenary of the discovery of the St. John river. The members of the council of the society were appointed a committee to deal with the matter.

cure a headache in ten minutes, KUMFORT Headache Powders.

CAPE BRETON ITEMS. The Nova Scotia Steel and Coal Co'y have forwarded one cargo of the lot to be furnished the Boston and Maine Railway. The balance of the 25,000

Railway. The balance of the 25,000 tons will be shipped during January and February.

A latepayers' meeting held at Sydney last week decided to grant to the Dominion Chemical Co. exemption from taxation for fifteen years. The company, which is an English 600, proposes to erect a tar distilling plant at Sydney. The company must expend 31,000 in plant and employ not less than fifty men.

It is reported that J. A. Leaman & Co., who conduct several stores and a large wholesale meat business at Halifax, will shortly open a business in North Sydney. They will go into the work of supplying ships with provisions, which forms an important part of their Halifax business.

The Baptist church property at Glace Bay has passed into the hands of a resident of that town, the purchase price being \$1,100. A new church will be erected on York street at a cost of seven or eight thousand dollars.

The Mabou and Gulf. Railway has purchased two consolidation 60-ton locomotives. Cars are also being purchased.

The Nova Scotia Steel and Coal Co.

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The Nova Scotia Steel and Coat Ca.
has decided to commence, at the operaing of spring, the erection of fifty miners' cottages at the Big Pond slope,
North Sydney.

Chronic constipation surely cured or money back. LAXA-CARA TARLETS never fall. Small, chocolate coated, easy to take. Price 35 cents. At druggists!

ST. MATTHEW'S CHURCH PINTER-

TAINMENT The annual children's entertainment of St. Matthew's church, Douglas avenue, last night, Rev. H. H. Foster presiding. Supper was served at the beginning, after which the following progrumme was rendered:

Prof: "Hirme was rendered:
Chorus, Carol Sweetly Carol.
Recitation, Christmas Eve, Melita Wilson.
Recitation, In Bethichem, Elsie Onlyin.
Solo, Star. Beautiful Star. Lizzie Edgar.
Recitation, The Night Before Caristmas,
Louise Robertson.
Reading, Christmas, Agnes Cook.
Chorus, Beautiful Morning.
Recitation, The Quest of Lazy Lad, Jennie Crawford.
Recitation, Long Ago on Christmas, Nellie
Wilson. ilson. Recitation, Christmas Spies, Maggie Wil-

Recitation, The First Christmas, Alma Mc-Allster.

An Exercise, Be Careful, eight boys and girls.

Recitation, New Year, Mamie McMaster.
Chorus, Ring the Merry Christmas Bells.

At the close of the programma candy and oranges were distributed from the Christmas tree. Santa Claus appeared with lots of presents.

On Wednesday, Jan. 21st, there will be the annual business meeting of the church, preceded by a social from 6 to 8 o'clock in the evening.

Bicyclists and all athletes depend on BENTLEY'S Liniment to keep their joints limber and muscles in trim.

MASONIC INSTALLATION.

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The officers of Hibernia Lodge were installed at the Masonic Temple last evening as follows: E. H. McAlpine, W. M.; W. E. Raymond, I. P. M.; Fred C. Jones, S. W.; F. W. Tapley, J. W.; Wm. Smita (P. M.), Chap.; John Johnston (P. M.), Treas.; Joseph A. Magliton (P. M.), S.; John C. Edwards, S. D.; J. Verner McLellan, J. D.; John Thornton, S. S.; P. L. Jordan, J. S., F. D., Miles, D. of C.; Geo. L. Partelow, I. G.; Robert Clerke (P. M.), Tyler After the work had been completed a banquet was held. Addresses were made by a number of gentlemen prominent in the order.