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PROCEEDINGS AT ANNUAL MEETING

OF THE

DOMINION BOARD OF TRADE

HELD IN

OTTAWA, JANUARY, 1871.

PARLIAMENT BUILDINGS,
OTTAWA, Wednesday, 18th January, 1871.

Annual Meeting of the Dominion Board of Trade commenced this day at 10 o'clock, A.M.

Present: Hon. JOHN YOUNG, President, in the chair, and a number of Delegates from Montreal, Quebec, St. John, N.B., Toronto, Hamilton, &c.

The meeting was informal, the time being occupied mainly in receiving credentials.

Adjourned until 2 o'clock, P.M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

WEDNESDAY, 18th January, 2 o'clock, P.M.

The Honorable JOHN YOUNG, President of the Board, took the chair; and, after calling the meeting to order, and congratulating the Board on holding its first meeting in the Capital, commenced proceedings by reading the following

REPORT OF THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL.

The Executive Council have very great pleasure in meeting the Dominion Board of Trade at this its first Annual Meeting. They have simply to report that since the organization of the Board in October last, they have been engaged mainly in efforts to bring the new organization under the notice of the various Commercial Bodies in the Dominion, which