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THE marble beds near Garden River are being actively developed by an American

It is proposed to establish a cheese market at Richmond, in the Eastern Townships of

A new issue of 5 per cent. debentures, made by the town of Moncton, N.B., has been taken by Mr. Dan. Cronin, of Halifax, at 5 per cent. premium.

Several thousand cords of spruce and other soft woods are being shipped from Port Findlay to Detroit, where they are used in the manufacture of paper.

THERE is a movement on foot to establish permanent stock yards in Winnipeg. Several well-known names are mentioned in connection with a proposed company having a capital stock of \$100,000.

According to the Gazette, shipments of cheese from Montreal for last week were the heaviest on record. The total reached was 88,105 boxes, upwards of 7,000 boxes more than in the corresponding week of 1887.

At the annual meeting of the American Window Glass Manufacturers, held last week in New York, it was stated the production of the association, while large, fell behind that of the previous year. The production, 1,300 pots for 40 weeks, had amounted to nearly 500,000 boxes.

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THIRTY-FIVE hundred cases of salmon, valued at \$24,000, destined for points in Eastern Canada; seven bales and six casks of furs, valued at about \$13,000, for New York and London, were shipped from Victoria, B. C., a few days ago.

A PETITION has been forwarded to the Ottawa authorities by the British Columbia Board of Trade praying that restrictive measures be adopted to prevent the extinction of the lobster, which is likely to occur through greed on the part of the canning companies.

AT a meeting of the creditors of Alex. Nelson, cider mill proprietor, Union, held last week, the liabilities were shown to be about \$4,600 and the assets \$3,500. An offer was made of 50 cents on the dollar, but the creditors holding preferential claims declined to accept.

A writer in the Peterboro' Review expresses regret that the town has no Board of Trade, and points to Lindsay, Trenton, and other places of like size as examples of the benefits to be derived from such an organization. It does seem inconsistent that an enterprising town like Peterboro' should be lacking in a practical business movement of this nature.

A DULUTH special says that the reports from the wheat districts tributary to Duluth are all of the most encouraging nature. The crop of the North-West promises very well, and Duluth grain men are preparing for larger

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receipts than ever before. Receipts of this crop year will be about 17,000,000 bushels, while it is expected that for the coming year they will reach 25,000,000 bushels. In addition a large quantity of the Manitoba crop will go there over the Northern Pacific. It will reach Duluth in bond, and, of course, will not be handled on the Duluth Board of Trade the same as American wheat. The elevator capacity of Duluth this fall will be nearly 21,000,000 bushels.

At Colborne, on the 23rd inst., a new threemasted schooner named the "Keewatin," just built, was launched amongst a crowd of 4,000 persons who were celebrating the civic holiday of that place. The vessel will carry 20,000 bushels of grain and belongs to Mr. A. Camp-

Even the noble savage knows how to organize a combine. Says the Brandon Sun: "One monopoly has been bursted, and the citizens have now to grapple with another. The combine by which the Indians manage to extort 25 cents per can for strawberries, season after season, is one that must be met. Some of the citizens have undertaken to break it, and they went out berrying a few days. since. They are now paying the 25 cents in a most cheerful manner. Between backache and mosquitoes they claim there is no money in white people undertaking to break the monopoly."

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