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SATURDAY MORNING, NOV. 17, 1888.

. THE TROUBLE IN MANITOBA. To the Editor of The World.

To the fattor of the move-ment here against cooled r ton as it has been called. Don't imagine that the agita-tion is not serions. I do not mean that it would lead to anything violent. What I mean is that this province as a whole has come to the conclusion that it is badly treated. Meetings of farmers are being held throughout the different counties and par-ticularly near the international boundary line. The province feels that without its lands in its own possession it is not on an even footing in confederation. It feels that it knows best how to manage its own settle-ment and development; wholesale land res-ervation for favorites, and large coal grants for political hacks have palled on the people. The movement in Winnipeg SIR: You will have heard of the interest on this sum for 17 mins. and 34 secs. is \$107.65, so that this amount of interest will be made by the institutions as soon as the clocks are put forward to suit ervation for favorites, and large con-grants for political hacks have palled on the people. The movement in Winnipeg is earnest. Young and old are in favor of it. The majority do not wish to act un-constitutionally, but all are bent upon hav-ing the country rid of political hacks, hav-ing the land better managed, doing away with the agricultural implement tax, and welcoming settlers instead of freezing them out. The movement is dangerous from the annexation coloring which many would like to give to it. We have been pulling through hard weather here, and while Canadian banks and business houses have closed down on the province the Americans have dealt leniently. We are isolated here from the other confederated provinces, with the prospect of a railway to the north and east which will soon make us independent of them. The Americans to the south are sympathising. Made up as the country is them for a whole year. losers in the same ratios. them. The Americans to the south are sympathising. Made up as the country is to a great extent of foreigners of all nations, economical reasons prevail in the absence of national prejudices for or against Canada. You see the dangerous ground and how ad-visable it is that the government at Ottawa should handle our future "with gloves." Winnipeg, Nov. 13

THE CRISIS APPROACHING. To the Editor of The World.

SIR : It is is easy to see by the Mail to so eagerly seeking. If Mr. Meredith and lay, declaring that it is disloyal to mention his associates lose this opportunity of mak the discontent in the Northwest, how ing a little political capital it will in all startled is that journal. probability be their last one. There can be It is a sad comment on the unfortunate no question of political principle at stake, choice of the conservatives of a man to run for most of those who spoke for the deputatheir organ. Where was the Mail while all their organ. Where was the Mail while all this was brewing? Where was it when the Nothwest was placed under the heel of the syndicate? Applauding the act. Where was it when the country was parcelled out to speculating companies? Backing the action. Where has it been while writer after writer from the Northwest appealed ro older Canada for justice? Refusing those admission who wrote to its columns, and ignoring the facts detailed in the columns of other journals. tion the other day in favor of woman suffrage were conservatives. Mr. Meredith voted years ago in the assembly for manhood suffrage, and every follower he has would vote the same way if he asked them. Let us have the session enlivened by a contest as to which side can do most good in the way of needed legislative reforms, ins:ead of a rival y in the use of recrimina-

other journals. Sir, if we lose the Northwest-if confederation be destroyed-it is due to the con-duct of the allies of that paper, and its ourse in shielding them.

It has already been pointed out in the It is not now in the power of the conset columns of The World that sermons will be It is not now in the power of the Course. Such small reforms as they might be able to grant would check the discontent but slightly and passingly. If confederation be saved it must be by shortened in Toronto next Sunday by the owling out of existence of 17 minutes and

If confederation be saved it must be by the reformers; they are not hampered. But it will not do for them to come forward with the ory, "Oh, here's hard times, there-fore we must go into office," if, when asked how they would mend them they reply, 'Oh, governments cannot do that." Canaoa wants no one with his fingers in his month. There are reformers who know what should be done. Let them force their way to the front of their party and say it. PROGNOS FIC. It may be noted that the fin ancial instiutions of the city will, by the same line of easoning, make a profit out of the change of time, as it affects Toronto, in this way: The paid-up capitals of the banks and loan companies named in the official list of the Toronto Stock Exchange of Oct. 4, 1883, amounted to a total sum of \$53,677,490 At the rate of six per cent. per annum the

Toronto, Nov. 17, 1883.

THE CANADA LIFE ASSURANCE. To the Editor of The World.

standard time. The profit certainly will not SIR: It is now some time since the be a very large one, but it will be made very Canada Life assurance issued their annual report and received the eulogy of all the speedily. As there are forty institutions leading journals of the country. I am comprised in this calculation it will be seen sorry, as a policy holder, I cannot pay them that by adding \$12.35 to the aggregate amount and sending the \$120 thus realized the same compliments. No doubt from a to The World office the forty stockholder's point of view mattersare highly banks and other monetary institutions can satisfactory, but not so satisfactory to the have The World delivered to each one of policy holder as they ought to be when we look into the statements closely. In re-On the other hand it is sad for capitalists viewing the reports for the past five years in places where the time-pieces will have to

on a capital of \$125,000 I find they have received in cash dividends the following be "alowed up," to reflect that they will be 1878, 15 per cent on paid up capital. Some of the banks and companies men 18,75 1879 1880 1880, 10 per cent of quinquent tioned in the official list referred to have their headquarters east of Toronto, and some In 1881, 15 per cent on paid up capital.... 18 75 west, which fact is rather detrimental to the

calculation, but that will not affect the Total.

As it has been found impossible to pro-tect. Lord Lansdowne from address fiends it becomes to prote the property of the start of the second to be second to be start of the second to be second to be second to be start of the second to be second to b tect. Lord Lansdowne from address fields it becomes necessary to note the manner in which he takes his punishment. In reply to the Carlaton county council his excel-to the Carlaton county council his excel-You see the dangerous ground and how ad-visable it is that the government at Ottawa should handle our future "with gloves." Winnipeg, Nov. 13 The above is from one of the "discon-tented," and ought to be considered a fair statement of their demands. These are: 1. Provincial control of all public lands in the province. to the Carlaton county council his excel-

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