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Hill to Sir John Rose, London Explains decrease in earnings of Manitoba Road Caused by building the C.P., especially its Thunder Bay branch. The great increase in earnings in 1883 was due largely to the "Winnipeg Boom" and the transportation of material for over 500 miles of the C.P. Road. The collapse of the boom and the completion of the CF to the Rocky Mts. and the opening of the Thunder Bay branch has reduced the earnings of the Manitoba Road from that direction to a great extent.

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