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14\2c. LARD-Tins, 15\4c per lb.; pails, 14\6c; ulis, 145gc.

Id TTER-Local creamery, 30c; Mani-obla creamery, 22a/25c; duiry, local, 16ag 8c; Manitoba duiry, 8a/5c.

EGG8-Fresh local, 40c; castern, 19a/21c.

per dozen. CHEESE - Manitoba, 115gc; Ontario

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GAME—Ducks, mallard, 75c; test, 35c; wedgeon and pinfull, 50c.

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Special to The Commercial.
Nelson, Oct. 26.
Manitoba creamery butter is le dearer.
Eggs are le dearer. Cheese by
dearer. Oats 5 per ton lower. No late
made creamery butter is offering yet,
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Butter—Freen Manitoba creamery,
22c; dairy, 18c.
Eggs—Oniario, 25c.
Cheese—Nw., 12c.

Millfeed-Bran, \$23; shorts, \$22 per on.
Flour—Manitoba Patent, \$5.10.
Oats—Per ton, \$30.
Potatoes—New, \$18 per ton.

BRITISH COLUMBIA NOTES R. W. Patmore, druggist, Golden

W. R. Anderson has opened a gro-cery store at Chilliwack.

C. A. Goodwin has purchased the harness business of Robt Heron, Vi-

Norman Lauder has opened a bak-ry and confectionery store in Revel-

J. A. Sayward, lumber merchant. Victoria, is adding a sash and door factory to his milling plant.

W. B. & C. B. Sylvester have acquired the feed business of the Sylvester Feed Co., at Victoria.

The totals of the Victoria clearing house for the week ending October 15 were \$712.245, balances \$201,234.

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Welsh & Nightingale, grocers, Vancouver, have bought the grocery and
provision business of S. Fader & Co.
Ltd., of the same place.

Walter Morris, prominent in the salmon canning circles of British Col-umbia, died at his home in Victoria last week of typhold fever.

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The townsite of Maryaville has been surveyed and a C. P. R. engineering staff is surveying a line from the North Star branch, East Kostenay. Several business men intend spening stores in this town.

The following commanies have been incorporated. The British Columbia Puli & Parier Compane, Lunited, cap. 1916 at the Company. Limited, capital \$50.000. The Pathfader Mine Company. Limited, capital \$150.000. The British Columbia Mureris, Limited, an English. ed, capital \$150,000; The British Co-lumbia Minerals, Limited, an English company, with a capital of £10,000; b-licensed to carry on business in the province, with head office in the pro-vince at Nicola Lake.

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At a meeting of the Rotail Geocers' association held in Nelson last
week, at which representatives of the
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A new reservoir in connection with
the waterworks system at Kambops
is being constructed at an elevation
of 240 feet above the power house,
having a capacity of 150,000 gallons,
and giving an excellent supply with
a pressure of 125 pounds to the inch.
The disposition of the Imperial autimation of the construction of

just awarded a contract to a Victoria machinery concern for the construction of two serew launches for the submarine service in connection with the defences of the Esquimant. The contract, which calls for the best mapperial authorities for the construction of any vessel on the Pacific coast, and the work involved in the building will give employment to many skilled workmen.

Western Business Items.

W. S. Swan has bought out Walker's tock of crockery, etc., at Carberry,

N. A. Webb and S. A. Malaan ha opened out as auctioneers at Dauphin Man.

It is probable that a creamery will e started at Hanney in the near fu'

urc.
John F. Dandy has purchased Jas.
Dandy's greeery business at Medera.
dan., and has added a line of hard-

A fire in Terry's tent and mattress factory at Calgary, Alta., this week, did damage to the extent of \$500, cov-

WHEAT LAKE FREIGHTS.

Wheat is quoted at 35₂c per bushel. Poet William to Buffalo, and 35₈c Georgian Bay ports. Shippers are looking for an advance in rates after the end of this month.

LONDON MONEY MARKET.

London, Oct. 25.—Money 2 per cent-Bar silver, 26%d per ounce. Discounts-short bills. 25₄ to 27₈ per cent. Three months' bills. 25₄ to 3 per cent.

NEW YORK MONEY

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New York, Oct. 22. -Closse-Prime mercantile paper, 44:95 per cent; aterting exchange \$4.884;64 for demand and at \$4.85675; for dexty days, posted rates \$4.842;6445; and \$4.874; commercial bills, \$4.83675; bar silver, 374; Mexican dollars, \$4.94; government bonds firmer. Money on call, steady, at \$4.944 per cent last bonds.

CLASCOW CATTLE MARKET

Glasgow, Oct. 25.—Prices for ca di-have been unfavorable for shippers. There has been a decided downward tendency this week.

BRITISH LIVE STOCK MARKETS

London, Oct. 21.—The weak fewhich developed in the market a wago has continued, and prices for ago has continued, and prices for the show a further decline of \(\frac{1}{2} \), \(\fr

Work on the extension of the Canadian Pacific Railway Co.'s Snowth abranch in Manitoba is progressing

rapidly.

F. W. Parsons, secretary-treasurer of the Marshail-Wells Co., wholesare hardware. Duluth, is visiting the Winnipeg branch this week.

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The Jas. Smart Manufacturing Cooperation of the Brockville, Ont., have secured a silver medal and highest award for warn air apparatus.

air apparatus.

J. R. Booth will build a 2,000 cm
bushel grain elevator at Depot Harbor
Ont. Depot Harbor now has one elevator, capacity 1,250,000 bushels.

Application will be made for an ac-to incorporate "The Manitoba and Keewatin Raliway Company" to con-struct and operate a rallway from Winnipeg to Hudson Bay.

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