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own notes she will be obliged to declare ave earned and been given the absorte confidence of the people of the city and county in their ability to administer loney contributed by the public propely, and many of them at least resent ay suggestion having their funds confolled by an independent organization, he matter will be presented to them or decision at a general meeting next mesday.

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of Hospital Ship.

LONDON, Feb. 1.—Referring to a Tarnowski von Tarnow, Austria-Hun-

WILFUL MURDER IS PRESS OF GERMANY JURY'S VERDICT OF DETECTIVE'S DEATH

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NEW AUSTRO AMBASSADOR REACHES UNITED STATES

Had No Knowledge of Sub Note-Hurries to Capitol.

NEW YORK, Feb. 1 .- Count Adam ations of the misuse of British hos- garian new ambassador to the United Austrian named Messany, carried newspapermen of the dispatch by Gertroops, the British admiralty, in many of the note outlining a new naval

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WHEAT DROPS 10 CENTS **NEW SUB POLICY** ON LOCAL MARKET TODAY

As a result of the flurry on the larger grain markets, wheat here dropped 10c a bushel today, the highest price paid being \$1.60 a bushel. It sold for \$2.66 to \$2.67 a cwt. Oats were steady, being a later crop. Barley is still scarce. A load brought in recently sold for \$2.35 a cwt. Bringing About Peace.

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Windsor, Feb. 1—Mayor Trott strengty advocates the discontinuance of the multipletily operated St. Thomas affect railway. Speaking at a meeting of the street railway committee to gramme the foot of the street railway committee. The discontinuance of the multipletily operated St. Thomas week in favor of the operation of the system. If they were, he said, they have not the favor of particular the road. We find that Jackson was killed by a built from a revolver in the hands the scale of wages be increased by the content with the favor of the operation of the employees of the system, if they were, he said, they the content we consider the shoot of the operation of the system, if they were, he said, they the foot of the operation of the system, if they were, he said, they the foot of the operation of the system, if they were, he said, they the operation of the system, if they were, he said, they the operation of the system, if they were, he said, they the operation of the system, if they were, he said, they the operation of the system, if they were, he said, they the operation of the system, if they were, he said, they the operation of the system, if they were the shoot of the system, if they were the

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YESTERDAY'S CASH GRAIN RANGE

Chicago, Feb. 1.—Cash wheat: No. 2 red, nominal; No. 3 red, \$1.63; No. 2 hard, nominal; No. 3 hard, \$1.64.

Corn—No. 2 yellow, 984, @97c; No. 4 yellow, 93, @953,c; No. 4 white, 94, @94, c. Oats—No. 3 white, 514, @53c; standard, 52, @53c.

Rye—Nominal,
Barley—\$1, @1.27.

Timothy—\$3,50, @5.50.

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Duluth, Feb. 1.—Wheat—No. 1 hard, \$1.68%; No. 1 northern, \$1.67%; No. 2 northern, \$1.62% @1.65%. MINNEAPOLIS. Minneapolis, Feb. 1.—Wheat closed May, \$1.65% @1.66; July, \$1.63@1.63%. Cash: No. 1 hard, \$1.74@1.76; No. 1 northern, \$1.67@1.70; No. 2 northern. \$1.64@1.70 Corn—No. 3 yellow, 93@94c. Oats—No. 3 white, 4914@501/5c.

WINNIPEG.
Wheat—No. 1 northern, \$1.57%; No. 2 northern, \$1.54%; No. 3 northern, \$1.49%; No. 4 northern, \$1.49%; No. 5, \$1.17%; No. 6, 92%c; feed, 80c. Oats—No. 2 Canadian western, 51%c; No. 3 Canadian western, 49%c; extra No. 1 feed, 49%c; No. 1 feed, 48%c; No. 2 feed, 47%c.
Barley—No. 3, 89½c; No. 4, 84½c.
Flax—No. 1 N.W.C., \$2.57½; No. 2 Canadian western, \$2.54½. WINNIPEG.

Chicago, Feb. 2.—After a cautious start the wheat market today, influenced by limited purchasing, scored a moderate advance. Uncertainty at the outset resulted from the critical aspect of relations between the United States and Germany. Some of the more venturesome traders, however, took to the bull side on the ground that the absence of any rupture as yet between the two countries gave hope that a break might be averted. Extreme cold endangering the domestic winter crop tended also to lift prices. lift prices.

Opening quotations, which ranged from 1½c decline to 2c advance, with May at \$162@163, and July at \$142@143½, were followed by slight downturns in some cases and then a hardening of values all around.

CASH GRAIN

Reported by Thomson & McKinnon. Chicago, Feb. 2.—Noon—Wheat—No. 1/2@95c. Oats—Standard, 54c.

STANDARD STOCK AND MINING EXCHANGE.

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CHATHAM. Feb. 1.—The local branch of the Maccabee Lodge has unanimously decided to turn over the amount standing to the cred't of their "Old Boys' Reunion" to the Soldiers' Rosin—Common. 24s 3d. Petroleum—Refined. is 2¼d. Linseed Oil—54s 6d. Cottonseed Oil (Hull refined)—Spot, diers who have been killed at the front.

CHICAGO PROVISION MARMET. [Reported by Thomson & McKinnon.] Chicago, Feb. 2.—Cotton—Futures (Cosed quiet; February, 9.67d; February and March. 9.65d; March and April, and March. 9.65d; March and April, and March. 9.65d; March and April, and March. 9.65d; May and June, 9.60d; June and July, 9.50d; July and August and September and October, Lard—

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