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STOCKS.	Ask'd	Bid.	Ask'd	Bid
Canadian Pacific Duluth S. S. & A. Com. Do., Pref Montreal St. Ry	921 6 151 281	928 57 14	921 61 151	9133 53 14
Do., new	1101 99 1171	2791 1001 97 113	280 275 1108 99 1171	27 · 1 273 1 100 97 113
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Ottawa Gas	210	2091	210	2091
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Payne Mining Co. xd.	70	60 66	63	100
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Merchants Merchants of Halifax Nova Scotia	190	175 221	190 235	175 224
Lastern Townships Quebec Nationale		:	:	=
Union	-	145	=	=
Hamilton Standard Imperial Hochelaga		=	=	-
Hochelaga	135 202	130	135 203	130
Windsor Hotel North-West Land Co	=	-	=	-
North-West Land Co Do., Pref. Canada Paper Co Loan & Mortgage Co. Diamond Glass Co Western Loan & Trust	111111	=	-	=
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BONDS.  Land Grant Bonds  Cable Coupon Bonds.	: :	-	-	
Cable Coupon Bonds. Com.Cable Reg. Bonds Heat & Light Bonds Rich. & O. N. C. Bonds Halifax Ry. Bonds	=	-	1.	-
Montreal Gas Bonds		100	104	100
Bell Telephone Bonds. Canada Paper Bonds. Canada Central Bonds Can. Col. Cotton Bond.		-	-	-
Can. Col. Cotton Bonds  Dom. Cotton Bonds  Dom. Coal Bonds	=	1103	993	99
Toronto Ry. Bonds		3-16	-	-

105 Morning Sales, Dec. 29.—Can. Pac., 20 at 91%; 10 at 91½; 150 at 91¾; 10 at 91½; 25 at 91%; 300 at 92; 10 at 92½; 600 at 92. Mont. St. Ry., 100 at 280½; 775 at 280. do. new, 25 at 271; 125 at 271½; 25 at 273. Twin City Transit, 25 at 69½. Rich. & Ont. Nav. Co., 300 at 109½. Bell Telephone, 2 at 171. Mont. Gas, 725 at 216; 15 at 215½; 300 at 216; 325 at 216; 25 at 215¾; 100 at 216. Royal Electric, 25 at 203½; 15 at 209½. Republic Mining Co., 500 at 61; 1,500 at 60; 300 at 62. Payne Mining Co., 1,000 at 60; 300 at 87. Molsons Bank, 7 at 191½; 8 at 191½; 6 at 191. Merchants' Bank, 3 at 154. LONDON MONEY MARKET.

London, Dec. 29, 2 p. m.—Consols for money, 97 9-16; do. for the account, 97%; Atchison, 47; Canadian Pacific, 94%; St. Paul, 146%; Illinois Central, 134; Lous-ville, 89%; Union Pacific pfd., 85; New York ille, 89%; Union Pacific pfd., 85; New Yo.k Jentral, 147%; Erie, 23%; Pennsylvania 5½; Reading, 1234; Erie, first pfd., 584.; Northern Pacific, pfd., 89; Grand Trenk, 14; Anaconda, 10; Rand Mines, 39½. Elsewith the steady, 29 9-16d per ounce. Morial silver steady, 29 9-16d per ounce. Morial and 4½ per cent. The rate of discount in the open market for short 51 s is 18 14 1-16 @ 4½ per cent.; do three months bills. 4½ per cent. 41/8 per cent.

THE WEEK ON 'CHANGE London, Dec. 30.—The stock exchange last week seemed to have every prospect of passing the final settlement of the year with ease and quietude. Al though business was weak it had been brisk, in spite of the holidays, with good buying for the new account. This promising outlook, terday's collapse of the London & Gobe finance corporation, which disorganized the markets and resulted in thirteen failures, involving twenty-nine members. It is reinvolving twenty-nine members. cans held by the embarrassed firms. Conly lost fractionally. Home rails, after generally lower. Americans, in spite of steady. Pennsylvan a rose % points: B. & O., %: B. & O. pfd. 12, and Chesapeake & Ohio, %. On the other hand N. P. fell ern, 1%; Denver peka and Santa Fe. 14; Norfolk and Westpeka and Santa Fe. 14; Norfolk and Westpeka and Santa Fe. 14; Southern Pacific. other mines, the leading descriptions of er. The view taken on the stock exchange of the Whitaker wright mines is that both groups will be mediately. In compelled to liquidate imrecently visited the Lake View properties which last year paid a dividend of nearly fully. It is st eventually pan out successfully. It is asserted in London that not obtainable at the present development of the mine, which at present is inadequate to meet the present obligations. The large holdings of the company lead the friends of the mine to believe that the future will prove the wisdom of their faith in the lag ores. There was little change in the lag ores. There was little cha

Live rpool. Dec. 29.—The produce ian ze will be closed on January 1.

This London than London itself had done. The substitution of active buying to intercome the rather sharp declines in the intercome the rather sharp declines in the ernational stocks, which resulted from the unsettled state of affairs in London growing out of the announcement of the activation in the management in the lower prices here seemed an interested in the four steamers with sively sustained advance in St. Paul, on renewed reports of the entry of J. J. Hill into an active share in the management of the company and of alliances with other north-western railroads, was a stimulating influence throughout the whole list. The buying of St. Paul itself was on a very large scale, and the price rose to 147. leaving the previous record order far behind. The market sold off a little before the bank statement, but renewed strength appeared on the showing made by the banks the expansion in lears being to the agitation which has been in progress against the St. Law-rence route. The Clergue syndicate of Sault Ste. Marie is largely interested in the project. This syndicate was interested in the four steamers which left the upper lakes late last fall with through cargoes of steel for England and which, owing to the monopoly of the British Lloyds, were compelled to go to sea uninsured. Hon. A. G. Blair, at the recent Hays banquet, stated that no British monopoly would be allowed to stand in the way of the development of the St. Lawrence route. It is believed the banks the expansion in lears being the previous record order the bank statement, but renewed strength appeared on the showing made by the banks the expansion in lears being the previous record order than the strength appeared on the strength appeared on the strength appeared on the substitution on the part of the British insurance companies against the St. Lawrence route. The Clergue syndicate of Sault Ste. Marie is largely interested in the project. This syndicate was interested in the four steamers which left the upper lakes late last fall with through cargoes of

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THUSTS 

WEEKLY BANK STATEMENT. New York, Dec. 29.—Weekly bank statement of the associated banks shows: — Loans, increased \$9,358,500; deposits, increased \$15,384,086; circulation, increased \$138,300; legal tenders, increased \$3,196,400; specie, increased \$2,678,700; surplus reserve, \$11,525,000, increased \$2,028,900.

### COTTON MARKETS.

Sales and Quotations at New York and Liverpool.

ertes, 15c @ 23c; dairies, 12c @ 20c. Cheese inactive, 10½c @ 11½c.

New York, Dec. 29.—Butter firm; creamery, 17c @ 25c; factory, 11½c @ 16c;

June creamery, 17c @ 23c; imitation creamery, 14½c @ 19c; state dairy, 16c @ 23c.

Cheese firm; fancy large, fall made, 11½c;

do. small, 11¾c @ 12c.

Canton, N. Y., Dec. 29.—No cheese, Butter, 22½c.

## LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

Cattle, Sheep and Hog Prices in the

NEW YORK. New York, Dec. 29.-Beeves - Receipts, New York, Dec. 29.—Beeves — Recepts, 792, all for slaughterers and exporters; nothing doing; exports, 775 cattle; 30 sheep and 1,900 qrs. of beef. Calves—Receipts, 3; feeling steady. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 2,371; sheep firm; lambs slow but steady; sheep, \$2.50 @ \$4; lambs ,\$4.50 @ \$5.75; Canada lambs, \$5.75. Hogs—Receipts, 1,203; none for sale alive; nominally lower. CHICAGO.

CHICAGO.

Chicago, Dec. 29.—Cattle—Receipts, 200; good to prime steers, \$5.25 @ \$6; poor to medium, \$3.60 @ \$5.20; selected feeders, \$3.75 @ \$4.35; mixed stockers, \$2.75 @ \$3.75; cows, \$2.50 @ \$4.20; helfers, \$2.60 @ \$4.50; canners, \$1.85 @ \$2.50; bulls, \$2.50 @ \$4.50; calves, \$4 @ \$5.50; Texas fed steers, \$4 @ \$4.90; Texas grass steers, \$3.30 @ \$4; Texas bulls, \$2.50 @ \$3.25. Hogs—Receipts, 16.000; mixed and butchers, \$4.65 @ \$4.92\\(\frac{1}{2}\); good to choice, heavy, \$4.75 @ \$4.95; rough, heavy, \$4.60 @ \$4.70; light, \$4.65 @ \$4.90\(\frac{1}{2}\); good to choice, heavy, \$4.40 @ \$4.90. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 10.000; good to choice wethers, \$3.75 @ \$4.50; fair to choice wixed, \$3.40 @ \$3.80; western sheep, \$3.50 @ \$4.50; Texas sheep, \$2.50 @ \$3.50; native lambs, \$4.25 @ \$5.50; western lambs, \$5.50. Receipts this week:—Cattle, 49.100; hogs, 18.500; sheep, 41.200. Last week:—Cattle, 46.700; hogs, 187,000; sheep and lambs, 70,000.

# WHEAT WAS BUOYANT.

Lighter North-west Receipts and Stubborn Cables

## ETIMULATED CHICAGO MARKET.

The May Option Closed at an Advance of 17-8c to 2c.

OTHER MARKETS IN SYMPATHY.

Quotations on the Leading European, Canadian and American Markets.

LIVERPOOL. The following table shows the quotations per cental Saturday for American products at Liverpool, as well as for the three previous market days. In each case, highest prices are given:-

		Dec. 22		Dec. 27		Dec. 28		Dec.	
WHEAT-	8.	d.	8.	d.	8	d.	8.	d.	
Red Winter	. 6	0	6	0	6	0	6	0	
No. 1 Nor. Spring	. 6	3	6	3	6	3	6	3	
Walla	. 0	0	ő	0	0	0	0	0	
No. 1 Cal	. 6	3	6	3	6	3	6	3	
December	. 0	0	ő	0	0	ó	0	0	
February	. 6	01	6	01	6	63	6	04	
March	. 6	Už	6	02	6	O.	6	CA	
CORN-	1	VF	10	OF	0	OF	0	CB	
New	. 4	21	1	14	1	Ci	1	1	
Old	. 1	14	1 4	2	1	21	4	21	
September	. 0	0	Ü	0	0	0	0	0	
October	. 0	ŏ	lŏ	ő	ő	0	e	Õ	
November	. 0	0	ŏ	Õ	ő	ő	0	0	
December	. 0	Ö	a	0	0	0	0	0	
January		94	0	0	0	0	0	ő	
March	3	82	3	84	3	84	3	82	
May	. 6	0	3	8	3	8	3	81	
Flour	20	0	20	Ot	20	0	20	()	
Peas	5	6		63	5	61	5	63	
Pork, prime mess	172	0	72	0	72	01	72	0	
Lard	33	3	38	3	38	3	38	2	
Tallow	135	0	25	0	25	U	25	3	
Bacon, light	. 16	6	16	6	13	0	12		
Cheese white	1-1					6	51	6	
Cheese colored	101	6	51	6	51			6	
oncoo constantini	132	6	56	6	53	6	52	8	

Liverpool, Dec. 29.—Close—Spot wheat firm; No. 1 standard California, 6s 2½d @ 6s 3d; Walla, no stock; No. 2 red winter, 5s 11½d @ 6s; No. 1 northern spring, 6s 2½d @ 6s 3d; futures quiet; Feb., 6s %d; March, 6s %d. Spot corn firm; old, 4s 2½d @ 4s 2½d; new, 4s ¾d @ 4s 1d; futures quiet; March, 3s 8¾d; May, 3s 8½d. Flour, 18s 9d @ 20s. Pork, 72s. Peas, 5s 6½d. Lard, American, 38s 3d. Tallow, Australian, 27s; do. American, 25s 3d. Bacon, long clear, light, 42s 6d; do. heavy, 42s; short clear, heavy, 41s 6d. Cheese, white, 51s 6d; do. colored, 52s 6d.

CHICAGO

CHICAGO. Following are the fluctuations on the Chicago Board of Trade, furnished by F. H. Butler, Masonic Temple.

		Chicago, Dec. 29.				
Last State of the	Open	High	Low	Close		
Wheat Dec						
" Jan	703	723	701	72		
" May	731	751	731	75		
Corn Dec						
" Jan	361	362	344	364		
" May	361	367	361	36		
O sta. Dec						
" Jan	2 1					
" May	237	244	237	21		
Pork, Lec						
" Jan	12 75	12 35	12 22	12 3		
" May						
Laro, Dec						
" Jan	68)	6 90	6 80	6 9		
" May	6 95	7 05	6 95	7 0		
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" Jan	b 30	6 42	6 30	6 4		
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Buffalo, N. Y., Dec. 29.—Spring wheat—No. 1 hard, old, car loads, 86%; No. 1 northern, 82%c. Winter wheat—No. 2 red, nominally 78c; mixed, 77c; No. 1 white, 76c. Corn—No. 2 Yellow, 41c; No. 3 yellow, 49%c; No. 2 corn, 40%c; No. 2 corn, 40%c. Oats strong; No. 2 white, 25%c; No. 3 white, 28%c; No. 4 white, 27%c; No. 2 mixed, 26c @ 26%c; No. 3 mixed, 25%c. Barley, extra, 64c @ 65c; choice to fancy, 62c @ 63c; fair to good, 57c @ 60c; low grades, 53c @ 56c. Rye, No. 1, in store, nominally 56c. VEGETABLES. DETROIT. Detroit, Dec. 29.—Wheat closed — No. 1 white, cash, 79c; No. 2 red, cash, 79c; Dec., 79c; May, 81%c. POULTRY.

MINNEAPOLIS. Minneapolis, Dec. 25.—Wheat, cash, 74%c; May, 75%c; July, 76%c; on track—No. 1 hard, 76%c; No. 1 horthern, 74%c; No. 2 northern, 72%c. Flour and bran un-MEAT. Pork, per cwt... ... 7 50 @ 7 60 Toledo, O., Dec. 29.—Wheat—Cash and Dec., 78c; May, 81c. Corn—Cash and Dec., 37c; May, 48c. Gats—Cash and Dec., 23½c; May, 25¼c. Rye, 52c. Cloverseed, Dec., 86.82½; March, \$6.92½.

DULUTH. Duluth, Dec. 29.—Wheat — No. 1 hard, cash, 74%c; to arrive, 75½c; Dec., 74%c; May, 79c; No. 1 northern, cash, 72%e; to arrive, 73½c; Dec., 72%c; May, 77c; July, 77½c; No. 2 northern, 63½c @ 68½c; No. 3 spring, 54½c @ 61½c. Corn, 34¼c. Oats, 24%c @ 24½c.

MILWAUKEE. Milwaukee, Dec. 29.—Wheat higher: No. 1 northern, 74½c @ 75c; No. 2 northern, 70½c @ 72½c. Rye higher; No. 1, 51½c @ 52c. Barley firm; No. 2, 60c @ 61c; sample,

ST. LOUIS. St. Louis, Dec. 29.—Wheat closed—Cash 1%c; Dec., 724/c; Jan., 721/2c; May, 74%c MONTREAL. Montreal, Dec. 29.—Flour—Receipts, 900 bbls.; market quiet.

TORONTO. Toronto, Dec. 29 .- Flour steady, with de

### LONDON MARKETS.

Wheat, 6lie to 63c per bushel. Oats, 25|c to 27e per bushel Peas, 49je to 54e per bushel Corn. 42e to 44le per bushel Rye, 39s to 56s per bushel. Barley, 33te to 38s per bushel. Beans, 90c to \$1 10 per bushel Buckwheat, 40le to 45le per bushel,

Saturday, Dec. 29. The last market of the year was a disappointing one from many standpoints, the attendance of sellers being quite as meagre as the paucity of offerings. The cold snap had much to do with it, but during the week, when milder weather prevailed, the supplies of almost all lines of produce were extremely limited. Since last Saturday the London market has been one only in name, so to speak. At times to-day the reverse of the various processes employed in turning out the products of our grand numerous debating there was a business air abroad, but the purchasers, after surveying the offerings, but nothing like the avalanche of the same day of the previous week. In all standards are to get the discover the philosophics and down the products of the previous week. In all standards are preparation of the same day of the previous week. In all standards are preparation of the same day of the previous week. In all standards are preparation of the same day of the previous week. In all standards are preparation of the same day of the previous week. In all standards are preparation of the same day of the previous week. In all standards are preparation of the same day of the previous week. In all standards are preparation of the same day of the previous week. In all standards are preparation of the same day of the previous week. In all standards are preparation of the same day of the previous week. In all standards are preparation of the same day of the previous week. In all standards are preparation of the same day of the previous week. In all standards are unample to the products of our time their second per that employers of skilled labor are always of wore to day the employers of skilled labor are always and mysteries of the various processes employed in turning out the products of our time their temporates of the various processes employed in turning out the products of our time their employers of skilled movers and mysteries of the various processes employed in turning out the products of turning out the products of the wor market to-day under the stimulus of lighter North-west receipts and stubborn cables, May closing ½ @ ½, oats, ½ @ ¼, and provisions 2½ @ 12½c higher. The week's receipts at Minneapolis and Duluth and Chicago aggregated 787 cars; 1,025 cars less than the previous week, and 1,507 cars under the receipts at these points the corumner the receipts at these points the corumner of the respects the market was a very reducted to the respect of the previous week. In all other respects the market was a very reducted to the respect of the previous week, and 1,507 cars less than the previous week, and 1,507 cars under the receipts at these points the corumner of the receipts at these points the corumner of the previous week. but nothing like the avalanche of the same day of the previous week. In all other respects the market was a very ordinary one, and but little change in quotations was noticeable in anything.

Grain—A good deal of wheat offered to day, more so than of oats, and it brought from \$1.03 to \$1.05. Oats were meagrely supplied, and sold at from 76c and 77c to 80c. One load of corn sold at 80c. No barley or peas offered.

Hay was fairly well supplied, and brought from \$7 to \$8 per ton—the last quotation for very best samples.

Dairy Produce—Offerings of butter and the avalanche of the same day of the previous week. In all same day of the previous week. In all other respects the market was a very or element that would cure all dispensation of clement that would cure all dispensation of the value of which I have only hinted at.

The coming century, the coming decade, will be one of tremendous industrial competition, and. Mr. Editor, I submit that the postitively demonstrated that germs are the cause of all disease, and that Powley's Liquit fied Ozone, through the oxygen, which is its principle, will destroy the germs, we have gotten at this very elusive quotation for very best samples.

Dairy Produce—Offerings of butter and the adaches trying to find out.

ances. Many dealers have as high as 150 thanks to his talk with the Ozone birds on their hands, whilst others have from 20 to 50 left over from the Saturday stand why it was .- Toronto World, previous. The price to-day fluctuated be- Dec. 19th, 1900. extra fine fowl bringing from one-half to

and were in request. Apples were offered in meagre quantities, the weather being unsuitable for large supplies. By the bag they sold all the way from 35c to 75c.

Vegetables, with the exception of

dressed, sold at from 50c to 60c per pair,

do. Ducks scarce at from 80c to 90c per

to, an %c f.o.b. afloat; options stronger and more active, responding to the rise in wheat, bullish receipts, steady cables and local covering; closed firm, at %c net advance; Jan., closed 43%c; May, 42%c @ 42%c; Dec., 45%e @ 46c, closed 46c. OATS—Receipts, 26,600 bushels: exports, 265 bushels; spot oats firm; track white western. 31c @ 35c; track white state, 31c @ 35c; options were slow but firmer. EGGS steady; state and Pennsylvania, 24c @ 25c; western average packing at mark, 19c @ 200 to the firm of the rise in and been expected, the supplies of poultry considered. Prices were unchanged in all lines.

Hides will be one-half cent lower during January, it is expected. Tallow nominally unchanged. Sheepskins from 25c to 85c each.

steady; state and Pennsylvania, 24c @ 25c; western loss off, 24c. ROSIN quiet. MOLASSES steady. PIG IRON duil. COPPER quiet. LEAD steady. COFFEE steady; Rio, No. 7 invoice, 7c; mild coffee quiet; futures closed firm, 35 to 40 points net higher; sales, 38,000 bags, including Jan., \$5.70 @ \$5.80; Feb., \$5.80; March, \$5.95 @ \$6.05; April, \$6 @ \$6.15; June, \$6.18; July, \$c.05 @ \$6.10; Sept., \$6.10 @ Butter, best roil. 20 @ Butter, store lots. 17 @ Butter, store lots. 17 @ Butter, store lots. 17 @ Butter, creamery. 23 @ Cheese, pound, wholesale. 10 @ Sec.25; Oct., \$6.15 @ \$6.30. SUGAR—Raw steady; fair refining, 3%c; centrifugal, 96 test, 4%c; molasses sugar, 3%c; refined sugar quiet.

BUFFALO.

Buffalo, N. Y., Dec. 29.—Spring wheat—

VEGETABLES.

| Ducks, dressed, per pair. | S0 @ Spring Chickens (dressed) | 50 @ Live Chickens | 30 @ Geese, per pound | 06 @ Geese, each | 60 @ Turkeys, per lb | WEAT

FRUITS. 

FROM FARMERS WAGONS. 

FARM PRODUCE.

World had a very interesting and instructive interview with Mr. E. W. Goulding, the manager of the Ozone Company of Toronto, limited. The Company of Toronto, limited. The offices at 48 Colborne street presented a very busy scene, and the World's young man was informed that this month's business had been most remarkable. "We had anticipated a rather slack month," said Mr. Goulding, "because every business not discounted the collection of the beautiful and the aesthetic; I confine myself to its company of Toronto, limited. The manufacturers, the trades unions, the parents of our young and ambitious boys do not see to it that a thorough and practical is equipped and maintained in the otherwise progressive community.

I have no time to speak of art as a profession or of its power to cultivate an appreciation of the beautiful and the aesthetic; I confine myself to its commercial and practical value in a boys do not see to it that a thorough and practical art should be a parents of our young and ambitious boys do not see to it that a thorough and practical in the confine the parents of our young and ambitious boys do not see to it that a thorough and practical art school is equipped and maintained in the otherwise progressive community.

I have no time to speak of art as a profession or of its power to cultivate an appreciation of the beautiful and the manufacturers, the trades unions, the parents of our young and ambitious boys do not see to it that a thorough and practical art school is equipped and maintained in the otherwise progressive community. directly connected with the holiday mercial and practical value in a busy intrade is pretty nearly sure to be adversely affected. It must be that

Dairy Produce—Offerings of butter and eggs much below the usual Saturday's supplies. Butter was quite druggy at quotations, and eggs were a shade easier. The tations, and eggs were a shade easier. The physician, you know, and she supplied to the encouragement and assistance they over the first of the supplied to do out duty (1) to impress upon the free forts the supplied out. Then, after all, we are simply using nature's means. Nature is the best physician, you know, and she supplied the encouragement and assistance they oxygen in unlimited quantities. looks very natural, does it not?

A STEEL TUBE TRUST. letin to-day says:-For the past three ton Street Railway Company ended to of the steel tube industry in the United pair. Geese brought from 6c to 7c per lb., States by organizing a combination with over \$150,000,000. Everything has been kept quiet, and nothing has leaked cut or the street, although the presence of big financiers and iron and steel magnates in the office of W. W. Gibbs, in this city, has aroused rumors. Mr. Gibbs was not has aroused rumors. Mr. Gibbs was not in town to-day, and his secretary denied any knowledge of the combination. The Bulletin, nevertheless, has it from reliable authority that the project is being promoted, and that W. W. Gibbs is the prime mover in the affair. The financial end is being handled by Moore & Schley, brokers, of New York. The syndicate has secured the exclusive license under American patents to manufacture steel tubing by a new English process, which reduces the cost of manufacture nearly 50 per cent.

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## Free Press Correspondence

THE ART SCHOOL. To the Editor of the Free Press. Dear Sir,-A bright boy who had recently of drawing, told the writer a few days since that he wished to go to "The Art School" to pursue the necessary studies, and regretfully complained that it was not being conducted this winter as usual. This 90 instance again attracted my attention to

terest in matters pertaining to art in this art education; it deprives our young people NEW YORK.

New York, Dec. 29.—Cotton — Futures opened steady; Dec. 810; Jan., 80.60; Feb. 80.41; March, 80.41; April, 80.30 ids) May. 80.22; July, 89.20; Aug., 88.22; Dec. 820; July, 89.20; Aug., 88.22; March, 80.41; March, 80.41; April, 80.30 ids), May. 80.20; July, 89.20; Aug., 88.22; March, 80.41; March, 80.41; April, 80.30 ids), May. 80.20; July, 89.20; Aug., 88.22; March, 80.41; March, 80.41; April, 80.30 ids), May. 80.20; July, 89.20; Aug., 88.22; March, 80.41; March, 80.41; April, 80.30 ids), May. 80.40; July, 80.20; Aug., 80 8 00 of moderate means and leisure of the opportunity of acquiring a knowledge of the principles and practices of drawing and designing, which has not only a refining and broadening influence but is rapidly becoming more necessary to those who desire to succeed in many walks of industrial life. Almost any manufacturer, builder, machinist, metal or wood worker, marble dealer, electrical or mechanical engineer, in fact any employer of skilled labor, will tell you that if the young men and lads who present themselves as applicants for positions had a practical knowledge of drawing and designing they would make easier and more rapid progress in learning their business, and their efforts would also from the start be of greater value to their employers. The study of drawing and practical geometry tends to develop those faculties (the phyerological develop those faculties (the ph

versely affected. It must be that the people are becoming acquainted with the wonderful value of Powley's Liquified Ozone as a curative agent, however, as we have had a spiendid month."

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