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| Local Mar              |                   |
| [Reported by A. M. I   |                   |
| London, Tue            | sday, Dec. 14.    |
| Wheat, white fall, per |                   |
| Wheat, red fall, per b | u811/2c to 823/4c |
| Wheat, spring, per bu  | 811/2c to 823/4c  |
| Oats, per bu           | 23%c to 240       |
| Peas, per bu           | 39c to 456        |
| Corn, per bu           | 34c to 360        |
| Barley, per bu         | 29c to 31c        |
| Rye, per bu            | 331/2c to 361/20  |
| Buckwheat, per bu      | 60c to 60c        |
|                        |                   |

Today's session was a lean one. There was almost less business done than on any market day this season. Values were mostly steady. The demand for dressed hogs and

turkeys was good, and they were both a shade higher. Grain prices were the same as Saturday, the only exception being an easiness in oats. Hay-Sales were slow and hard to

make on account of it being wet. The following prices are mostly based on

| GRAIN.                           |     |    |      |
|----------------------------------|-----|----|------|
|                                  | 36  | 10 | 1 38 |
| Wheat, red, fall, per 100 lbs 1  | 36  | to | 1 38 |
| Wheat sprang, per 100 lbs 1      | 26  | to | 1 38 |
| Wheat, new 1                     | 35  | to | 1 40 |
| Oats per 100 lbs                 | 70  | to | 72   |
| Peas, per 100 lbs                | 73  | 10 | 75   |
| Corn, per 100 lbs                | 60  | to | 65   |
| Barley, per 100 lbs              | 00  | to | 65   |
| Rye, per 100 lbs                 | 69  | to | 65   |
| Boans, per bu                    | 40  | to | 60   |
| Buckwheat, per 100 lbs           | 60  | to | 65   |
| PROVISIONS.                      | -   | -  |      |
| Honey, comb                      | 9   | to | 11   |
| Honey, extracted                 | 7   | to | 10   |
| Cheese. per lb., wholesale       | 7   | to | 10   |
| Eggs single dozen                | 20  | LO | .20  |
| Eggs, fresh, basket, per doz     | 18  | to | 18   |
| Eggs, fresh, store lots, per doz | 13  | to | 14   |
| Butter. per la, retail           | 16  | to | 13   |
| Butter, per 1 lb. rolls. baskets | 141 |    | 15   |
| Butter, per lb., large rolls or  | 134 | to | 10   |
|                                  | 13  |    | 14   |
| Butter, per lb., tubs or firkins | 10  | to | 14   |
| land nor la                      |     | to |      |
| Lard, per lb                     | 74  | to | 10   |
| Chickens, per pair               | 40  | to | 50   |
| Ducks, per pair                  | 60  | to | 70   |
| Turkeys, per lb                  | 7   | to | 8    |
| MEAY. HIDES, MTC.                | •   |    |      |
| Beef, quarters, per lb           | 3   | to | 5    |
| Mutton, quarters, per lb         | ó   | to | 6    |
| Veal, quarters, per lb           |     | to | 6    |
| Lamb, quarter                    | 8   | to | 9    |
| Dressed hogs, 100 lbs            |     | to | 6 75 |
| Hides, No. 1 per lb              | 7   | to | 7    |
| Hides, No. 2, per lb             | 6   | to | 1    |
| Hides. No. 3. per lb             | 5   | to | 5    |
| Calfskins, green                 | 6   | to | 7    |
| Calfskins, dry, each             | 4   | to | 0    |
| Sheepskins, each                 | 00  | to | 05   |
| sambskins, each                  | 55  | to | 55   |
| Pelss                            | 55  | to | õb   |
| Wool, per lb                     | 20  | to | 20   |
| Wool, unwashed, per lb           | 10  | to | 11   |
| Tallow, rendered, per lb         | 2   | te | 8    |
| Tallow, rough, per lb            | 1   | to |      |
| HAY AND SEED.                    |     |    |      |

| bor 10                     | 20    | 200 |    | 20  |
|----------------------------|-------|-----|----|-----|
| Wool, unwashed, per lb     |       | to  |    | 11  |
| Tallow, rendered, per lb   | 2     | te  |    | . 8 |
| Tallow, rough, per lb      | 1     | to  |    |     |
| HAY AND SEED.              |       |     |    |     |
| Hay, per ton               | 6 00  | to  | 7  | 60  |
| Straw. per 10ad            | 2 00  | 10  | 2  | 5U  |
| Timothy seed, per bushel   | 00 0  | to  | 0  | 00  |
| VEGETABLES AND PRI         | UIT.  |     |    |     |
| Pears, per bushel          | 25    | 10  |    | 60  |
| Quinces, per basket        | 25    | to  |    | 35  |
| Apples, per bag            | 1 75  | to  | 1  | 50  |
| Apples, per bbl            | 2 25  | to  | 2  | 75  |
| Grapes, per ib             |       | to  |    | 3   |
| Me ons, musk, per dozen    | 20    | to  |    | 751 |
| Citrons, per dozen         | 15    | to  |    | 59  |
| Celery, per doz. bunches   | 25    | to  |    | 30  |
| Caulifiowers, per doz      | 25    | to  |    | 75  |
| Carrots. per bushel        | 124   | to  |    | 20  |
| Pota ces, per pag          | 75    | 80  |    | 85  |
| Pumpkins, per dozen        | 40    | to  |    | 75  |
| Parsnips, bu               | 30    | to  |    | 80  |
| Tomatoes, per bushel       | 50    | to  |    | 60  |
| Turnips, per bag           | 25    | to  |    | 25  |
| Cabbage, per doz           | 25    | to  |    | 408 |
| Onions, per doz. bunches   | 20    | 10  |    | 20  |
| Onions. per bushei         | 60    | to  |    | 10  |
| Radishes, per doz. bunches | 124   | to  | 1  | 15  |
| LIVE STOCK.                |       |     |    |     |
| Young pigs, per pair       | 3 00  | to  | 6  | 00  |
| Cows each                  | 20 00 | to  | 33 | 90  |
| Beef, per pound            | 21    | to  |    | 31  |
| Hogs per 100 lbs           | 4 00  | to  | 4  | 25  |
| Sows, per 100 lbs          | 3 50  | to  | 8  | 50  |
| Chickens, per pair         | 38    | to  |    | 40  |
| Hens, per pair             | 30    | to  |    | \$5 |
| Ducks, per pair            | 85    | to  |    | 40  |

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NEW YORK, Dec. 13 .- Petroleum-Pennsylvania crude, no market, nominally at 85c.

IN CALIFORNIA Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 14.-E. Strasburg, manager of the oil producers' trust, says he expects to see the price of California petroleum go to \$1 25 per barrel within 90 days, as there is a shortage in sight.

English Markets. RULING PRICES FOR THE PAST FOUR The following table shows the quotations per cental at Liverpool for the three previous market days. In the case of wheat highest

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| 5  | 7       | 44                                 | 7                                    | 4 5   | 7   | 44   |
| 5  | 7       | 47                                 | 7                                    | 44  | 7   | 41   |
| 4  | 7       | 3                                  | 7                                    | 31  | 7   | 21   |
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| 12 | 3       | 2                                  | 3                                    | 13  | 3   | 2  |
| 11 | 3       | 13                                 | 3                                    | 11  | 3   | 15   |
| 11 | 3       | 18                                 | 3                                    | 14  | 3   | 1  |
| 14 | 3       | 14                                 | 3                                    | 1+  | 3   | 11   |
| 13 | 3       | 17                                 | 3                                    | 18  | 3   | 11   |
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Cargoes off coast - Wheat, very inactive; Cargoes on passage—Wheat, nothing doing; corn, rather easier. Country markets - English, quiet; French,

Wesk.

Liverpool, Dec. 14, 2:30 p.m.

Wheat Spot quiet; demand poor; holders, offer sparingly; No. 1 California, 8s 4d to 8s 44d; No. 1 red northern spring. 7s 8id to 7s 9d; No. 2 red western winter, 7s 9id to 7s 10d.

Corn—Spot firm; demand moderate; American mixed, 3s 2id.

Peas—Uanadian, 4s 8id.

Beef—Extra login mass, 56s 2d

Beef-Extra India mess. 66s 2d. Pork-Prime mess. fine western, 48s 9d. Bacon-Long clear heavy, 40 to 45 lbs, 30s; short clear backs. 16 to 18 lbs. 30s; long clear light, 35 to 35 lbs, 31s.

Butter-Finest United States 92s; good, 60s,

Tallow-Fine, American, city, 18s 6d.

American Markets CHICAGO, Dec, 12. The leading futures

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| closed as follows: Wh<br>Jan., 231c; May, 914c.<br>Jan., 251c, May, 283c to<br>22c; May, 223c. Meas p<br>88 234; May, \$3 55. Le<br>\$4 35; May, \$1 524. Sh<br>Jan., \$4 221; May, \$4<br>were as follows: Flour,<br>No. 2 spring wheat, 80<br>wheat, 83c to 95c; No.<br>251c; No. 2 cats, 221c;<br>to 245c; No. 2 cats, 221c;<br>to 245c; No. 2 white, f.<br>rye, 16c; No. 2 barley,<br>1 flaxseed, \$1 13 to 3<br>seed, \$2 524; meas porti<br>sugar, cut loaf, \$5 84; g<br>firm, fresh, 20c,<br>Receipts—  | Corn-No. 2 Dec., 254c; 294c. Oats-No. 3 Dec., 2742; Jan., ard, Dec., \$4 20; Jan., ard, Dec., \$4 20; Jan., ard, Dec., \$4 20; Jan., ard, Dec., \$4 22; Jan., ard, Dec., \$4 20; Jan., ard, Tiber Weak; Jar., ard, ard, ard, ard, ard, ard, ard, ard |
| Flour 12,000  | Wheat651,000  |
| Corn  | Oats461,000   |
| Rye 15,000  | Barley 73,000   |
|   |   |

THE VISIBLE. New York, Dec. 13.-The statement of decreased 92,007 bu. Corn, 40,681,000 bu; 000 bu; increased 128,000 bu. Barley, 4,889,000 bu; increased 139,000. Montreal. Dec. 13.-Stocks in store this morning: Wheat, 97,020 bu; corn, 65,896; peas, 106,294; oats, 281,260; barley, 30,823; rye, 25,998; flour, 11,780; buckwheat, 23,017; oatmeal, 61.

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|    |    | Live   | Sto | ck         | Ma | rket.    |  |

MONTREAL, Dec. 13 .- There were about 550 head of butchers' cattle, 75 calves and 250 sheep and lambs offered for sale at the east end abattoir today. The butchers were present in large numbers, but trade was rather slow, and prices remain about the of impressing upon the mind of felsame as on last week's markets. There low-unionists the establishment of the were nearly three carloads of principle of higher dues in their unions. Christmas beeves on the market as their organizations which have estoday, and for these 5c per 1b tablished high dues have experienced was being asked, but no sales at over the greatest success and maintained 41/2c, but these were scarcely so good or improved wages, decreased hours, as some of the others. Prime butchers' and obtained other concessions in the cattle sold at 41/4c per lb; pretty good interest of their members. The quesstock at from 34c to 37c do; common tion of a creation of a defense fund in dry cows at from 21/2c to 23/4c, and the the A. F. of L. should receive careful leaner beats and hard-looking bulls attention. The effort to divide the about 2c. Calves sold at from \$3 to \$6 labor of the country on geographical each. Sheep sold at from 3c to 31/2c per lb, and lambs at from 4c to 45%c. Hogs are advancing in price, and sold

today at from 4%c to 5c per lb. NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—Beeves-Receipts, 2,462 head; active and firm for steers; dull and weak for bulls and dry cows; native steers, \$4 to \$5 20; stags and oxen, \$2 50 to \$4 50; bulls, \$2 75 to \$3 40; dry cows, \$1 75 to \$3 25. Calves -Receipts, 466; veals 1/4c higher; grassers, 1/20 higher; veals, \$5 to \$8; grassers, highways from Hazelton to Latimer, \$3 to \$3 50; city dressed veals firm at Pa., they were met by the sheriff of \$3 to \$3 50; city dressed veals him by the county with a posse of armed mer10½c to 11½c per 1b. Sheep and Lamb the county with a posse of armed merReceipts, 7,475; sheep, ½c higher; cenaries, who, without cause or provolambs, 4c to %c higher; sheep, \$3 to \$5; lambs, \$5 75 to \$6 75. Hogs-Receipts,

12,395; dull at \$3 45 to \$3 65. lots of dressed beef steers up to \$5 25 to \$5 50 for choice to extra holiday cattle; the bulk of the offerings crossing many of them being shot to death the scales at \$4 to \$5; feeders, \$3 75 to | While fleeing from their malignant pur-\$4 25; stockers, \$3 to \$3 20; fat cows and suers. This crime against our laws. heifers, \$3 25 to \$4 45; common to med- this brutality against inoffensive men. ium cows, \$1 75 to \$3 25; calves, \$5 75 to the wail of widows and orphans, the \$6 50 for better grades. Hogs—Sales wounded pride of citizenship and comlargely at \$3 30 to \$3 40, the most undesirable heavy stockers selling at \$3 20 justice shall be meted out to these to \$3 25, and the best shippers at \$3 40 to \$3 45. Sheep, \$3 to \$3 50 for the commonest lots up to \$4 60 for strictly prime flocks; western fed lots, \$3 50 to \$4 50; lambs, \$3 75 to \$4 for culls up to \$5 50 to \$5 85 for choice to prime. Receipts: Cattle, 10,000; hogs, 33,000; sheep,

EAST BUFFALO, Dec. 13.—Cattle—Receipts, 190 cars, including 33 cars of Canadian stock; good demand for light fat grades and heavy export and fat steers: these kinds sold at steady to strong prices; for medium or plain however, the market was flat and 10c to 15c lower; good to choice shipping steers, \$4 60 to \$4 75; medium to fairly heavy do, \$4 40 to \$4 60; coarse rough steers, \$3 65 to \$4 15; green steers, \$3 65 to \$4 15; choice to smooth fat heifers, \$4 to \$4 40; mixed butchers' stock, \$3 40 to \$4; good smooth wellfattened cows, \$3 60 to \$3 85; export bulls, \$3 75 to \$4; oxen, \$2 25 to \$4 40. Hogs-Receipts, 140 cars; fairly active demand and prices stronger; good to choice Yorkers, \$3 50 to \$3 55; mixed packers' grades, \$3 50 to \$3 52; pigs, \$3 25 to \$3 65. Sheep and lambs-Receipts, 65 cars; market fairly active and stronger for lambs of all kinds; sheep steady; lambs, yearlings, choice to prime, \$4 85 to \$5; fair to good, \$4 60 to \$4 75; culls, \$4 25 to \$4 50; natives, choice to extra, \$6 25 to \$6 35; fair to good, \$5 75 to \$6 15; culls, \$4 90 to \$5 60; sheep, choice to selected wethers, \$4 60 to \$4 75; mixed sheep, \$4 35 to \$4 50; culls, \$3 to \$3 75.

The Dairy Market. MONTREAL, Dec. 13.—Cheese, 71/2c to 9c. Butter-Townships, 16c to 18c; west-CHICAGO, Dec. 13.—Butter-Market steady; creameries, 15c to 22c; dairies, 12c to 19c. Cheese quiet, at 8c to 81/2c. NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—Butter easy; western creamery, 15c to 23c; factory, 12c to 17c; Elgins, 23c; imitation creamery, 131/2c to 18c; state dairy, 13c to 21c; do, creamery, 15c to 22c. Cheese steady;

large white, September, 84c to 8½c; small white, September, 9c to 9¼c; large colored, September, 8½c to 8½c; small colored, September, 9c to 9¼c; large, late made, 7½c to 7%c; small late made, 81/4c to 81/2c; light skims, 6e to 61/2e; part skims, 41/2e to 51/4e; full

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other means had failed. Harry Stuart, 164 Mill street, told our reporter today that a few boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills cured him completely of long-standing Kidney Disease and Lumbago. Doctors could not cure him. Neither could other remedies. Dodd's Kidney Pills were his only hope. THEY CURED HIM. They never fail to cure any case of Kidney Disease.

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Seventeenth Annual Session Held in Nashville, Tenn.

Gompers' Report-Labor Unions In creasing in Membership.

Protest From the United Labor League -Railway Telegraph Operators Will Not Strike.

Nashville, Tenn., Dec. 14.—The American Federation of Labor began its seventeenth annual session in this city yesterday with an attendance of more than 100 delegates. President Gompthe visible supply of grain in store and ers in his annual address says that all affoat Saturday, Dec. 11, as compiled affiliated unions but two report inby the New York Produce Exchange, creases in membership aggregating is as follows: Wheat, 34,744,000 bu; 34,000. Strikes during the year were mainly successful. He urges keeping decreased, 269,000 bu. Oats, 14,351,000 up the fight for shorter hours, favors bu; decreased 1,116,000 bu. Rye, 3,681,- the postal savings bank system, and thinks that compulsory arbitration in disputes under certain circumstances might be a good thing. He also discusses arbitration and the boycott from a laboring man's standpoint.

Speaking of the gains of the past year he says: "They are doubtless due to the fact that our organizations maintained their existence during the industrial stagnation of past years; the recognition by the workers that there is only one means by which they can defend, protect or advance their interests, that is, by organization; the increasing activity, devotion and in-defatigable work of our organizers, both local and general; the energy and ability of the officers of our national and international organizations, and the constant urging and direction from the headquarters of the American

Federation of Labor. "Attention is called to the necessity lines is referred to as suicidal, and Mr. Gompers said it is gratifying to be able to state that at least for the time being the evil sought to be accomplished

Referring to the firing upon striking

has been laid at rest."

are bound to respect."

miners at Latimer, Pa., by a sheriff's posse, Mr. Gompers says: "An incident connected with the miners' strike requires special mention here. While a body of unarmed and defenseless miners were marching upon the public cation, and in violation of the constitutional and natural rights of men turned upon them, and in cold blood CHICAGO, Dec. 13. — Cattle—Sales | murdered 22 and maimed and crippled were at \$3 60 to \$4 for the commonest as many more of them. All reports modern hyenas, but that never again shall so great a wrong be inflicted upon any people under the cry that the men killed and wounded are 'foreigners': but even though this be true these foreigners were lured here by the cupidity of mercenary corporations. It is sub-mitted that though a man be a foreigner, there are some rights, some protection to which he is entitled, which even corporations and their hirelings

> The report refers to the efforts to secure the eight-hour work day, and says: "We hold that no condition is satisfactory nor any solution complete which fails to eliminate the course and degrading influences of non-employment, and so long as this evil shall be with us, our best efforts will be concentrated to reduction of the hours of labor of all until the desired end is attained. With this object in view the last convention decided that a renewed effort should be made for the general enforcement of the eight-hour work day, May 1, 1898. Nothing remains now but for the final decision of this convention as to the ways and means by which the project shall be carried into effect, or whether the judgment of the new convention is that the time stated is, in view of industrial conditions, a practical one, or whether it would be advisable to await the full flood tide of the industrial revival for its general and simultaneous enforcement. This question must of necessity. receive your careful consideration. No thing, perhaps, would be more hurtful than an unwise decision. Of course, we do not anticipate that at one given moment, the general eight-hour day will be achieved, but there can be no doubt but that a concentration of thought and effort to attain this end, and the designation of a particular day to endeavor to secure it will largely attract the attention of all and succeed in accomplishing much. If the judgment of this convention is that May 1, 1898, is the one upon which the bugle call for labor shall be sounded. none will enter it with greater enthusiasm and undaunted spirit than we. Yet, if the deliberate conclusion of this convention is that the simultaneous effort should be deferred until a more opoprtune time-say the post-

> ponement of it for one year - that should prevail." Referring to the British engineers' strike, he says the executive committee deemed it unwise to issue an appeal to organized labor for aid, owing to the long era of depression from which the workingmen of America suffered, and other burdens. However, as editor of the American Federationist, he published the appeal of the British unionists, and urged that contributions be sent to them. A cordial and hearty welcome is given Messrs. Wilson and Harford, fraternal delegates from Great Britain.

> A PROTEST. Philadelphia, Pa., Dec.14.-The United Labor League has passed a resolution to be sent to the president, protesting against the appointment of ex-Chief Justice Paxson to the interstate commerce commission. The grounds of the protest grow out of his connection with the Homestead strike.

NO STRIKE. Montreal, Dec. 13.-Harry V. Powell, grand chief of the Order of O. R. T., is in the city today. He is said to is in the city today. With the con-

TYPOS' STRIKE PROBABLY AVERTED. New York, Dec. 14.—President S. B. 436; RICHMOND STREET

Donnelly, of Typographical Union No. 6, at a meeting of the union, held in this city last night, announced that 65 of the 102 publishers had granted the request of the union for a nine-hour day. About twenty book machine offices also consented to a nine-hour day. President Donnelly said that the other offices would doubtless come into the compact and that the impending strike will probably be averted.

BLOW ENDED FATALLY

Ten-Year-Old Boy Struck With a Baseball.

Toronto, Dec. 14.-Freddie Stewart, the 10-year-old son of Mr. A. J. Stewart, the confectioner, died yesterday at his parents' home, 402 Yonge street. Death was due, indirectly, to a blow in the stotmach from a baseball, received last May in the school yard, where Freddie was playing with other boys. The physician in attendance says the blow caused enlargement of and there is yet a spendid assortment. the liver, which brought on complications that resulted fatally.

It is announced that St. Louis will soon have a new hotel that will cost

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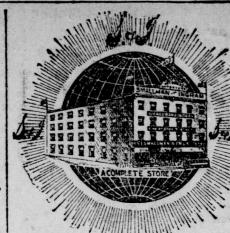
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Of the wet and open weather of the past few days we've done a wonderful business in Dress Goods and Jackets. Our prices for such superior qualities caught the public eye, which we know to be discerning. The weather or any other element could not keep the people from buying. The sale is still on

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Were 50c. Were 45c. Were 50c. Boucle Plaids, 44-inch, in green, red and black; brown, red and black; olivered and black, blue and black. This line will be stitable for separate skirts or misse drasse. Figured. satin finish, 42-inch, in olive and black, olive and cerise, blue and black, cardinal and black. This line will make very handsome Tea Gowns. English Covert Cloths, 42inch, in cadet blue, royal blue, sage green and Now 39c. Now 3oc. Now 39c. Were 50c. Were 65c. Were 65c. Boucle Serge, in cardinal, olive and black; cardinal, Boucle Serge, 42-inch, in olive and black, blue cerise and black. A very fashionable dress, in small checks. Shades, green and black, brown and black, blue and black. emerald and black; olive, blue and black. Now 39c. Now 39c. Now 39c. Were 65c. Were 65c. Were 65c. Two tone Basket Cloth. Shades, green, brown, olive, royal, navy and purple. This line would make a A beautiful, fine Heather Mixed Tweed. Snades, olive, purple and sage. This line would give end-less wear. A beautiful cloth for suiting, in two-tone serge. Shades, blue, green and very durable bicycle cos-

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this chance so early in the season? English Frieze Jackets, black only \$1.87 Beaver Cloth Jackets, heavy, plain or trimmed braid, black and colors, all \$3.79 Misses' Fancy Mixed Cloth Jackets, assorted colors, lovely garments, sizes 12 to 18 years, all marked down \$2.43

These are only a few of our Jacket Bargains. All have been reduced for the marked-down sale. Many will be bought for Christmas presents.

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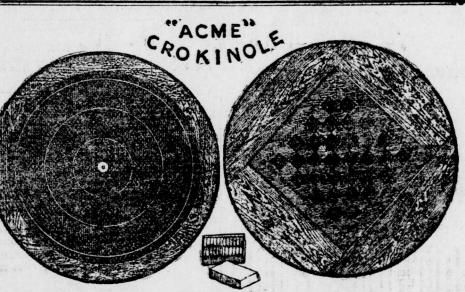
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#### MIDDLESEX.

Miss Dolly Shipley, Komoka, accompanied her cousin, Miss C. I. Haldane, to her home in Westminster, to pay her a return visit. Rev. W. G. McAlister, M.A., of Watford, will preach Sabbath school anniversary sermons in the Melbourne Methodist Church next Sunday, Dec. 19, at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

DORCHESTER.

Dorchester, Dec. 14.-In regard to the paragraph in yesterday's Advertiser relating to the finding of a lot of stolen poultry in a house in Dorchester, Mr. John W. Lee, who was mentioned as having lost a number of fowls, states that there is a mistake, as he has not suffered any such loss, and took no part in the search for the stolen birds.

GRANTON. One thousand dollars is the handsome sum placed upon the plates dur-

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FARMERS' LOAN AND SAVINGS COMPANY. Toronto, Dec. 14.—At a meeting of 87 shareholders, representing over onehalf the shares of the Farmers' Loan and Saving Company, held yesterday, a resolution, moved by Dr. Thompson,

and seconded by J. S. Lovell, was carried, asking that the court defer the appointment of a permanent liquidator until after the court shall have convened a general meeting of shareholders and obtained their views.

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