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Noon Letters.

Special Wire to Roath Bres & Co.[Chicago, Jan. 26.—There was another big advance to the cables this morning, and it had the usual effect of opening up our market with a rush at %c to %c over last night's close; there was a great deal of short covering right at the start. We would not be surprised to see wheat go still higher, as this is the teason for the usual batches of crop damage reports to flourish. Corn has been rather weak all morn-

ing, with traders taking profits and come selling by commission houses. Cables were fairly strong, but have not affeoted our market.

Oats opened higher with wheat. Scalpers sold a little after the opening, and at this writing the market has sagged off fractionally, but has a steady undertone.

Provisions opened higher on light hog receipts, but the strength has not held, as packers were fair sellers on the bulge, and this had the effect of sagging the market somewhat. Market dull and inclined to droop at this time. ENGLISH MARKETS

[Special Wire to Roath Bros. & Co.1 Liverpool, Jan. 26.-1:30 p.m.-Wheat, higher, and corn 1/8 higher than yes-

terday. London, 1:30 p.m. — Wheat cargoes firm; options 1/2 higher. French crop damage local, probably serious in the Argentine cables crop reports very good. Argentine shipments this week: Wheat 1,088,000, corn 632,000; last

week, wheat 792,000, corn 440,000; year ago, wheat 40,000, corn 288,000. ndon, 1:30 p.m.-The unexpected repulse of the British at Spion Kop has thrown everything into gloom. Stocks bought yesterday on the reported vic-tory have been freely sold, and War-ren's defeat caused virtual panic.

Montreal Stock Market. MONTREAL, Jan. 26.

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Standard		194
Hamilton	196	100.
British America	124	192%
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Montreal Gas	100	189
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Toronto Produce Market. TORONTO, Jan. 26.-Wheat is dull, at 63c to 64c for red and white, west. Goose, 68½c to 69c, west. Manitoba wheat steady, at 77c, grinding, in transit, Sarnia. Flour is quiet, at \$2 75 for cars of straight roller in bar-\$2 75 for cars of straight roller in barrels, west. Milifeed firm, at \$14 to \$15 for shorts, and \$13 to \$14 for bran, west. Barley steady, at 39c for No. 2, west. Buckwheat steady, at 48c, west. Rye quiet, at 49½c, west. Corn steady, at 32½c for Canada yellow, west; American, No. 2, 42c; No. 3, 41½c, old; and No. 3, 40c, new, Toronto. Oats are firm, at 25c for mixed, and 26c for white, west. Peas steady, at 57½c to 58c, west. Eggs steady, at 14c to 17c for held fresh; 21c to 21½c for new-laid, in cases, in lots, and 14c to 16c for limed. Butter steady, at 19c to 20c limed. Butter steady, at 19c to 20c for choice; tubs are 15c to 17c for inferior and medium; large rolls, 18c; creamery, 21c to 21½c for tubs, and 22c to 23c for prints. Dressed hogs steady; cars of mixed weights, \$5 20 to \$5 30

here. Live hogs, receipts today, 1,000; prices unchanged; choice bacon, 4%c; thick and light fat, 4%c. American Markets.

American Markets.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Jan. 26.—Spring wheat, No. 1 northern, 74½c; winter, No. 2 red, 71½c; No. 1 white, 70½c. Corn—No. 2 yellow, 37½c; No. 3 yellow, 37c; No. 2. corn, 36¾c on track. Oats—No. 2 white, 28c; No. 2 mixed, 26½c on track. DETROIT, Jan. 26.—Wheat—No. 1 white cash, 70½c; No. 2 red cash, 70½c; May, 72%c; July, 72c.

TOLEDO, Onio, Jan. 26.—Wheat—Cash, 70½c; May, 72%c; July, 72%c; July, 71½c. Corn—May, 33½c. Oats—May, 24%c. MILWAUKEE, Jan. 26.—Wheat—Cash, 66½c.

Cash, 66½c.

NEW YORK, Jan. 26.—Flour—Receipts, 19,164 bbls; sales, 2,500 pkgs; state and western unsettled and held 10c to 15c above buyers' views. Rye flour firm; fair to good, \$3 10 to \$3 20; choice to fancy, \$3 25 to \$3 50. Wheat—Receipts, 411,400; sales, 1,750,000; options opened strong and advanced all the morning on heavy covering, induced by sensational advances in the duced by sensational advances in the French markets; March, 75½c; May, 73 13-16c to 74½c; July, 74 1-16c to 74½c. Rye firm; state, 55c to 56c, c.i.f., New York car lots; No. 2 western, 60½c, f. o. 5., afloat. Corn—Receipts, 117,000 bu; sales, 30,000; options opened steady with wheat, but eased off under active pressure at Chicago and cold weather; May, 39½c to 39½c. Oats—Receipts, 79,300; options quiet, but steady; track, white state and western 31c, 10, 35c. Beef state and western, 31c to 35c. Beef steady. Pork steady. Lard firm; prime western, steam, \$6 25. Butter—Receipts, 3,098 pkgs; steady. Cheese—Receipts, 1,234 pkgs; steady. Eggs — Receipts 8,592 pkgs; market weak; state and ark. 14c to

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Cal., 68 24d to 68 3d; No. 2 red western, winter dull, 58 94d; No. 1 red northern, spring, dull, 5114d; No. 1 red northern, Duluth, steady, 5104d; futures steady, March, 58 94d; May, 56 93d.

56 93/d.
Corn—Spot, firm; American mixed, new,
36 5/d; do. old, firm. 38 6d; futures, steady,
Jan. 38 5/d; Feb., 36 5//d; March, 38 6//d.
Peas—Wostern, 56 19//d. Canadian, 56/d.
Flour—St. Louis fancy winter, firm, 78;
Minn., 78 9d.
Beef—Prime mess steady, 736 9d; extra India

Beer—Frime mess steady, 738 9d; extra india mess, steady, 80s.

Pork—Prime mess, fine western, steady 56s 2d; do. medium. western, 42s 6d.

Lard—American refined, in pails, firm, 32s 9d; prime western in tierces, easy, 30s 6d; mid-dlings, light, easy, 33s. dlings, light, easy, 33s.

Hams—Short out, 14 to 16 lbs., steady, 45s.

Bacon—Easy: Cumberland cut, 23 to 30 lbs.,
32s 6d; short ribs, 18 to 22 lbs., steady, 33s 6d;
ong clear middles. light, 30 to 35 lbs., dull,
34s; long clear middles, heavy, 35 to 40 lbs.,
dull, 33s 6d; short clear backs, 16 to 18 lbs.,
dull, 32s 6d; clear bollies, 14 to 18 lbs., dull,
32s 6d.

32s 6d.
Shoulders—Square, 12 to 14 lbs, dull, 34s.
Butter—Finest American and good. nominal.
Cheese—American finest white, steady, 57s
colored. firm, 59s: do. old, firm, 54s 6d;
ordinary, new, 43s 6d.
Tallow—Prime city, strong, 27s 6d; Australian in London, strong, 27s 9d.



Cottonseed oil—Hull refined, steady; Feb.

Live Stook Markets. Live Stock Markets.

CHICAGO, Jan. 26.—Cattle—Receipts, 3,500; steady; Texans, 700; firm; cow market and canners strong; feeders quiet; beeves, \$4 to \$6 50; cows, \$3 to \$4 60; heifers, \$3 25 to \$4 80; stockers and feeders, \$3 85 to \$4 90; Texas fed beeves, \$4 to \$5. Hogs—Receipts, today, 17,000; tomorrow, 16,000; left over, 5,560; 5c to 10c higher; tops, \$4 80 and butchers, \$4 45 to \$4 72½; good to choice heavy, \$4 65 to \$4 80; rough heavy, \$4 50 to \$4 60; light, \$4 40 to \$4 60; bulk of sales, \$4 55 to \$4 70.

Latest Probabilities.

ties for the next 24 hours for the lower lakes region: Northwest to west winds, decreasing in force; fair and very cold; local snow Saturday-Fair and cold.

-Hon. J. R. Stratton left for To-

-J. J. Foy, of Toronto, M.P.P., is at the Tecumseh. -F. H. Goldsmith, Poughkeepsie, N. Y., is at the Grigg House.

-H. J. Pettypiece, M.P.P., of the Forest Free Press, is in the city. -Ten members of the Triple Alli-ance Company are at the Grigg house. -Two rinks of the Woodstock Curling Club are in town today, playing rinks from the Glencoe club.

-The L. E. and D. R. R. will hold the 10:20 a.m. train Saturday for Mrs. Dr. Eccles' funeral to St. Thomas. -Calls for relief at the city hall were considerably increased in number with the lower temperature to-

-About 35 cases were disposed of at the first division court non-jury sit-tings this morning before Judge Wm. Elliot.

-The regular meeting of the Western University Literary Society has been postponed from this evening until that of Friday, Feb. 2.

-Jas. Farrell, S. J. Clements and H. L. Clements, of San Francisco; C. H. Weld, Cleveland, and Mrs. William Young, of Cleveland, are at the Grigg

—Both the east and west-bound ex-presses on the G. T. R. were about an hour late this morning, owing to heavy snow. The weather is reported to be clear and fine in Stratford. -The funeral of the late Mrs. (Dr.) Eccles will go over the L. E. and D. R. R. tomorrow morning, en route to Fingal. The train due to leave at 10:25 a.m. will not leave till 11 on this ac-

-Building permits have seen issued to George Fletcher for the erection of a two-story brick veneer residence, cor-

the crossing narrowly escaped being struck by a flying splinter from one of -In addition to a miscellaneous pro-

gramme of popular organ music, Miss Eva Roblyn will sing the celebrated patriotic song, "Her Majesty," at Mr. Hewlet's twilight organ recital in Dundas Center Methodist Church tomorrow afternoon. -The military concert given on

Tuesday night proved so successful that another will be given on Monday next, with a change of programme. The tickets are on sale at Nordheimer's. Tickets unused for the last Tues-day's entertainment will be good for the coming event. -At the county court today the Kilgour vs. Smith case was disposed of.

It was an action for a replevin. Judgment was given for the plaintiff, who was represented by P. H. Bartlett. The court then adjourned until Wednesday, Jan. 31, when a number of pris-oners will be up for sentence.

-Early this morning, the death oc-curred of Charles Albert Morton, second son of Charles Morton, of 36 Wortley road. Mr. Morton, who kept a cigar store on Richmond street north, had been ill for some time from a complication of ailments. The funeral will take place at 3 p.m. tomorrow from the family residence

-Miss Inez Ethelyn Smith, late soprano soloist of the First Methodist Church, has been engaged by St. James' Church, London South, will sing at both services on Sunday next. St. James' is to be congratulated on securing the services of Miss Smith, who is a great favorite among musical circles in London.

-The members of Council 19, of the Canadian Order of Chosen Friends, will give a concert in the near future in honor of two of their members in South Africa with the first Canadian contingent, Messrs. West and Hessel. The proceeds will go to the national patriotic fund. The date has not yet been definitely decided upon.

-The moving pictures of the Jeffries-Sharkey fight attracted a fairly large audience to the Grand Opera House last night. The presentation of the scene was given with wonderful realism. Every move that accompanied the famous fistic engagement was vividly portrayed. Some delay was caused in the early part of the evening in getting electric power to run the mutoscope.

-Mr. Jos. Walker, the wholesale butcher, of Thorndale, who had one of his horses killed and another injured by striking a street car while running away a couple of weeks ago, was pleasantly surprised on Thursday night, he being waited upon by a number of friends, who, as a token of appreciation for the many acts of kindness he had performed, and the neighborly spirit which he had shown, presented him with the sum of \$200, with the hope that it might recompense him for the loss he had suffered.

POLICE COURT NOTES. Fred Brown, Edward Allen and Geo. Higginbottam were charged in the police court this morning with acting in a disorderly manner on King street on Sunday evening. The two former pleaded guilty and paid a fine of \$3 each and costs, and \$1 50 for damages the property of Lachlan Love, 123 King street. Higginbottam showed that he

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had no part in the occurrence, and was discharged.

Wm. Hunter pleaded guilty to a breach of the liquor license act, and was fined \$20 and costs.

Frederick Power pleaded guilty to breaking windows in Salvation Shelter while drunk, and was fined \$2 or 20

days.

Patrick O'Meara was remanded on a charge of drunkenness. NORTH END YOUTHS GO CHICK-

EN HUNTING. Charles Williams, John Rich and Wm. Steele, three north end youths, were arrested by Detectives Ward and Northgraves yesterday, charged with Northgraves yesterday, charged with unlawfully shooting and killing four chickens, the property of George Fox, of London township, valued at \$5. The shooting took place on Jan. 19. Williamson, who is only 10 years af age, when arrested, told Detective Ward that he had did the shooting, but that Rich gave him the gun and told him to do so. The gun was the property of Rich. Williamson also stated that two more boys were with them at the time, and they will be arrested today. The trio appeared before Squire Lacey and were remanded until Feb. 1. Bail was accepted.

ENERGETIC ARTILLERYMEN. Permission has been gained by the officers of the 6th Field Battery to have drill in the drill shed every Wednesday night, and the course will commence next week. A number of promotions, which were necessitated by the removal of some officers on the second contingent, will be announced. Recruits will be accepted to fill in va-cancies. The officers purpose taking only the very best men available, and they intend to establish a more thor-ough esprit de corps among the mem-bers. For this reason there is a proposition on foot to establish a social battery club, and rent a room where the members could meet and discuss matters. Major Fairbank says that the battery will soon again be in as good condition as it was before the force was depleted by the enlistment in the artillery section of the second condition continued to the second Canadian contingent.

ARTISTIC ANATOMY

Interesting Address by Dr. Hadley Williams, F. R. C. S. Before the Women's Art Club.

One of the Women's Art Club's mos interesting meetitngs was held yesterday in their rooms. The president, Mrs. C. W. Leonard, presided, and introduced Dr. Hadley Williams, who delivered the first of a series of lectures on Brann. "Artistic Anatomy." He said that the productions of artists were nearly all indicated mental power. Man was the only animal to stand in the erect position, and to this fact, taken with his remarkable facial angle and frontal prominence, he owes all his imposing apearance, his commanding power, and his dignity over the numerous inferior races with which he is surrounded.

The second lecture in the series will be given at the next meeting, in February, when, also, a reception will be tendered to the members.

The annual exhibition of the club's work will be held in March.

DEATH BUSY IN ONE FAMILY

Three Children of Mr. and Mrs. E. Grimstead Died Within the Week.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Grimstead, of THE ART OF 863 Queen's avenue, have been sadly afflicted recently. Their 6-year-old son, Edward, died about a week ogo, and on Wednesday night their daughter, Bertha, aged 9 years, and a baby boy, 14 months old, died within a few hours of one another. The only surviving child, Ettie, aged 7, is now ill at Victoria Hospital, where she was taken yesterday. There is every reason for believing she will recover.

All the children had measles, and the disease developed into pneumonic trouble. Rev. C. C. Owen, rector of the Memorial Church, showed many kind attentions to the unfortunate family. Mr. Grimstead is a painter at the G. T. R. car chops.

SUPERANNUATED

Mr. E. J. Langevin, Clerk of the Senate Steps Down.

[Special to The Advertiser, per C.P.R.] Ottawa, Jan. 26. - E. J. Langevin, clerk of the senate, has been superannuated, and Major S. E. Stonge Chapleau, clerk of the crown in chancery, has been appointed to succeed Mr. Langevin. The salary of the clerk of the senate is \$3,400, and that of the clerk of the crown in chancery \$2,400. Mr. Lamothe, assistant clerk of the privy council, has been appointed clerk of the crown in chancery, and R. Boud-reau, the premier's private secretary, will get the vacancy created through the appointment of Mr. Lamothe to the position of clerk of the crown in chan-Mr. Langevin has been in public life

since before confederation. Mr. Chapleau was at one time sheriff of the Northwest Territories.

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MATRIMONIAL CLUB METHODS

One Victim Discovers an \$85,000 Heiress Was Not as Represented—Manager Says the Young Man Should Have Waited.

[From the New York Sun.] Adolph Klein, of 125 East Seventy-seventh street, and Max Masheimer, of

152 East Ninety-fourth street, complained in the Yorkville police court yesterday that they had been swindled out of \$5 each by Miss A. Berger, manager of a matrimonial club, which has an office at 615 Lexington avenue. Klein said that last June he saw an adwith \$85,000" desired a correspondence with a young man, "object, matrimony." He answered the personal, and subsequently called at the rooms of the matrimonial with a work of the personal and subsequently called at the rooms of the matrimonial with a which were then at matrimonial club, which were then at 134 East Twenty-third street, and paid \$5 to Miss Bergen to become a member. He was then introduced to the young woman with the alleged \$85,000. The young woman gave the name of Emma Woodford. At their second interview, he said, Miss Woodford told him she was going to her country residence for the summer, and she consented to correspond with him through Miss Berger. He produced a number of love letters, which he said he had received, and which bore the supposed signature of Miss Woodford.

"The writing looks as though it was done by a man," observed Magistrate

"I believe now the letters were writ-ten by a man connected with the mat-rimonial club," Klein responded. the formation of the human body was such that no ideal could be true to nasuch that no ideal could be true to nature. Races were so different in appearance and proportion that no one type could be taken. Dr. Williams illustrated the difference in the facial angles of white and other races, by sketching the receding head of an ape, a negro, and a white man. The lecturer showed that enlargements of the skull in sertain parts were not true indicaner Wellington and Grey streets, and to Fred Ellis, for an addition to his residence, Forward evenue.

—Just before noon today two G. T. R. engines came together in a head-on collision at Colborne street, and were swetched to show the arrangement of these consomewhat damaged. The watchman at the crossing narrowly escaped being indicated mental power. Man was the common to the sound true indicates the present office of the matrimonial club, and, following her, saw her enter an apartment house in West Fifty-eighth street. He inquired of the elevator man the depth and not the size of the brain, informed that she was a chambermaid that the crossing narrowly escaped being indicated mental power. Man was the country, and a few days ago he saw her leave the present office of the matrimonial club, and, following her, saw her enter an apartment house in West Fifty-eighth street. He inquired of the eave the present office of the matrimonial club, and, following her, saw her enter an apartment house in West Fifty-eighth street. He inquired of the eave the present office of the matrimonial club, and, following her, saw her enter an apartment house in West Fifty-eighth street. He inquired of the eave the present office of the matrimonial club, and, following her, saw her enter an apartment house in West Fifty-eighth street. He inquired of the days ago he saw her leave the present office of the matrimonial club, and, following her, saw her enter an apartment house in West Fifty-eighth street. He inquired of the saw her enter an apartment house in West Fifty-eighth street. He inquired of the saw her leave the present office of the matrimonial club, and, following her, saw her enter an apartment house in West Fifty-eighth street. He inquired of the matrimonial club, and, following her, saw her enter an apartment house in West Fifty-eighth street. He inquired of the matrimonial club, and, following her, saw her enter an apartment house in West Fifty-eighth street. employed in the family of a physician

who lived there.
"I could not bring about a marriage in this case," Mrs. Berger said to Magistrate Brann, "as the two young men are Hebrews, and they could not marry a Gentile. If they had waited I would have introduced them to other young

"After all." interrupted the woman's counsel, "there is no evidence that this young woman is not worth \$85,000."
"Nonsense," said the magistrate. You know that if she had \$85,000 she could find 85 young men inside of a week anxious to marry her without the aid of a matrimonial club. The whole thing is a pure fake."

He ordered Miss Berger to return the young men their money or he would enter a formal complaint against her. She obtained the money from a man who was sitting in the rear of the court and paid the complainants. The case was then dismissised.

SHELL-DODGING

Frequent mention is made in the dispatches of war correspondents of "shell dodging," and the average reader is at a loss to understand the pre-cise meaning of the words, until their constant repetition leads one to believe that probably it is possible to see shells in their aerial flight and consequently the soldiers are able to dodge

P. W. recently had an interview with a sergeant-major of the artillery on the matter, and learnt from him the true meaning of the words. In all his long experience, and he took a somewhat prominent part in the Khartoum battle of last summer twelve-months, he said he had only seen three or four shells actually in the air, and they come from the gun he himself fired. He explained that there are a few guns with a somewhat slow muzzle velocity, and the men firing these can sometimes catch a glimpse of the shells in their flight; but it would be impossible for a man to see a shot coming towards himself.

Dodging shells is done by getting un-der cover immediately before a gun is "For instance." said the sergeant-

major, "If I were climbing up a hill at the top of which was a gun directed against me, I could tell exactly when a shell was likely to come bounding along. Before the order is given to fire the men in charge of the piece 'stand clear,' and that is the warning note, so to speak. Keep your weather eye on the gun directed against you, and when the gunners stand clear you dodge the shot."

The End of the Century Calendar.

The great progress of the printer's art in the nineteepth century is fittingly marked in this closing year by the artistic calendar we have just re-ceived from N. W. Ayer & Son, newspaper and magazine advertising ag-ents, Philadelphia. True to their motto of "Keeping everlastingly at it,"
Messrs. Ayer & Son have so made
this calendar, year after year, that
a demand for it has sprung up that
always quickly absorbs the edition. This calendar's proportions are com-mensurate with its dignity as an art work, but its size is determined solely by utility. The figures are of the generous dimensions that quickly catch the eye and make it a favorite with business men; there are also helpful suggestions accompanying each month's figures, and there is a rich ensemble of color and design. This edition will not last long; while it does, those who send 25 cents to the publishers will receive a copy personal.

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TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS

At Digby, N. S., Mr. A. J. S. Copp, M. P., was renominated by a Liberal convention.

Mrs. Christopher Little, of Conn. tripped with a lighted lamp in her hand, setting fire to the family dwelling, which was destroyed. After many futile efforts to effect a combine of the Fraser River salmon canneries, a British Columbia com-

bine was formed yesterday. East Northumberland Conservatives met at Warkworth and nominated Mr. E. Cochrane, M.P., for the commons and Dr. Willoughby for the legislative assembly.

Steamship Arrivals. At

BOER REPORTS FROM KIMBER-LEY. Pretoria, Jan. 24.-The federal forces

have started a heavy bombardment of Kimberley. The garrison's new gun carried five miles, but collapsed efter a few shots. A body of 200 lancers made a sortie from Ladysmith under cover of a heavy cannon and rifle fire from the

forts opposite the laager of the Pretoria commando. The British retired with evident loss. One Boer was

A heavy cannonade started at 2:30 o'clock this morning, and still continues.

A GOOD GRIP

A man entered an eating house on Talbot street last evening, and after partaking of supper, got up to leave. The woman in charge, thinking he was trying to leave without paying for his meal, stood in his way, but he pushed her aside and made for the door. She caught hold of his vest, when he struck her a savage blow in the face, and made his escape, leaving his vest in her hands.

DIED. MORTON-In this city, on Friday morning, Jan. 26, Charles Albert Funeral tomorrow (Saturday) afternoon, at 3 o'clock; service at 2:30, at the family residence, 36 Wortley road, South London.

Friends, please accept this inti-