Prospects for the Raw Fur Season

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wm. Elsenhauer & Co., of New York, the as follows to the Fur Trade Re-ew regarding the market for raw

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underlying conditions of the fur s are at present quite favor-

r, even though registering a advance in the different London was an unprofitable article to eduring the past year. This re-saticularly to the coarse, low-heavy-pelted skins, which were heavy-peited skins, which were oving throughout, whereas the red. lighter grades met with request, but not at prices suffi-high to net their owners any rity profit. It is probable that all not show much activity dur-

equal to the high figures realized for them during the previous year. In times of good business conditions mink is usually a favored article, which was is usually a favored article, which was demonstrated during the past winter. The probabilities are that mink will continue in good request during the coming season, and its collectors will profit by the experiences of the past and not force prices to extremes, it and not force prices to extremes, it was the past profit by the past profit by while a safe

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Northern sections, were again devoted to dyeing purpose according to the mandates of fashion. The eatch of red fox during the past whiter was quite level, so that although favored with a develop enough strength for the state of the state o ections, were again devoted

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holding their own, sharing fully in the general demand for our American furs. All these articles are sold furs. All these articles are sold furs. All these articles are sold the should where their distributions about the same of the sharing the same of the same prices as heretofore.

London Fur Sales

At the October London sakes M. Lampson & Co., offered Lee following Fur seals, salted Co., offered Lee following Fur seals, salted Co., offered Lee following Fur seals, salted Co., offered Lee following Co., of Co. At the October London wales 3.6

000; kangaroo, 3,000; wild cat, 4,500; grobe, 11,500; Albei:—Red fox, 15 per cent. Southern mink, 15 per cent. Southern mink, 15 per cent.; Russian vaccion; Dent.; wolf, 10 per cent.; Albeit and the control of the co



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approaching season, there be-prospect of a good demand gland, which is the principal r this fur, and it is therefore that any change for the better

had any change for the better place in its value. To vote again a good seller, a somewhat lower range of the coat manufacturers took he larger proportion of the and the lower-grade skins the larger proportion of the and the lower-grade skins for their purposes, and the form of the purposes, and the purposes, and the purposes, and the purposes, and the purposes again much used as a sub-reading the state of the

ica nutria, a comparatively which bears a strong reour beaver, and of which vely used as an imitation.

In be learned the quantity dealers' hands at present ted, and as the outlook is as can be expected, we decline from last year's results.

took a prominent place can furs, to which it is d by its general attracgreat durability. They outlet in both American a markets at prices fully

stimulus of this competition it steadily advanced, until as had been the case divided to the competition of the case of the competition of the case of

the more reasonable prices prevailing they have met with fairly good retrieved to make a motable reduction and the process of the property of is that they use great caution, and whenever in need of special advice as to its value we shall be pleased to an-swer any inquiries to the best of our

swer any inquiries to use best of our ability. Sea otter, fisher and wolverine, all comparatively rare furs, succeeded in

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"The Hudon bay marten, the life fur-bearer whose skin is very population and act times exceedingly valuable and act times exceedingly valuable and act times exceedingly valuable and the life of life of the life of the life of life of

He offered to act as her escort, but she declined the offer. "You are as full of airs as a hand organ," he spitefully declared. "Possibly," she reborted, "but just the same I don't go with a crank." Chica-go Record-Herald.