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Short Covering Over Holidays Gives Wheat Markets Firm Tone

Offerings Light on Chicago Exchange and Advance is Easily Es-tablished - Winnipeg Options Make Small Gain.

ST. LAWRENCE MARKET: 20 May ... 10.72 10.70 10.70 10.60

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Winnipeg Wheat Market.

Chicago Gossip.

J. P. Biénell & Co' say at the closs:

Wheat—Highen-Firm cables and lack of sufficient moisture created uneasiness in bear parks and scattering covering was inted. Cash demand is improving and receipts are lighten, while eron news less assuring. On all declines we continue to advance Perkins & Co. had the following at the close:

Wheat—The market opened steady and fulled firm thruout the session, the chief feature being covering by local shorts, who sold yesterday on the rains in the southwest. Offerings were light and the advance was easily established. No export or milling demand. The market continues of a purely professional character, with the usual timidity shown by short sellers owing to a supposedly large. Corn—The market ruled steady all day with local professionals working on the liong side. Some seports of rain in this state, which might check the movement, were used as a bull argument. Cash demand continues light, with prices to say the can see no basis for taking the long rates. The market continued in its dult to \$6.25; calves, \$7.25 to \$9.50.

receipts 5:10; process second to special, 22 to 25½c.

Cheese—Steady, unchanged; receipts \$35.

Eggs Firm: receipts \$22. State, Penna and nearby hennery white fancy, 50c; do., gathered white, 50c to 40c; do., hennery biown fancy, 40c to 42c; do., sathered brown, 28c to 40c; western gathered white. 25c to 40c; fresh gathered, extra first, 25c to 40c; fresh gathered white, 35c to 40c; fresh gathered whit

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THE TORONTO WORLD

A COOL HOLD UP

POULTRY AND MEAT SHOW

EAST FOR CHRISTMAS

NOT UNANIMOUS.

OTTAWA, Dec. 22.—(Special.)—It is unders ood that the recommendation of the Quebec Bridge Commission in favor of the St. Lawrence Bridge Co. being given the contract for the construction of the Quebec bridge, is not unanimous. Two of the commissioners are in favor, while one is opposed. The reports will be laid before council, but it is not expected that a decision will be reached before some time.

APPOINTED TO I.C.R. BOARD. OTTAWA, Dec. 22.—(Special.)—J. B. T. Caron, ex-M.P., has been appointed to the Intercoionial Railway Board. The is said to have been canvassing Russell County of late and is reported to have been assured the support of the Nationalists at the next election.

Knicker—"These are perplexing days."
Bocker—"Yes, when you get a good dinner you don't know whether your wife wants a gown or the cook if after a Christmas present."—Harper's Bazar.

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PORCUPINE SALES

Dominion Stock Exchange.

-Morning Sales.
Beaver-1000 at 27%, 1000 at 27%, 1000 at 27%, 1000, 700 at 27%.

La Rose-100, 75, 300 at 4.51%, 500 at 10%.

McKinley-300, 500 at 1.25%, 500 at 1.25%, 1000 at 1.25%.

Peterson Lake-1000, 500, 200, 600 at 13%.

Right of Way-1000 at 27%, 500, 300 at 28%.

28. Hollinger-160 at 4.10.
—Afternoon Sales.—
Beaver-600, 500 at 27, 1000, 1000 at 25%, 500 at 25%, 500 at 25%, Cobait Lake-500 at 12%, 500 at 12%, Little Nipiesing-1600, 500 at 12%, 200 at 13%, 1000, 5000 at 13%, 500 at 1

New York Curb.
Chas. Head & Co. (R. R. Bongard). reort the following prices on the New York

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00 at 4%, 1000 at 5%, 500 at 83%, 500 at 83%, 700 at 83%, 100 at 83%, 100 at 83%, 500 at 1.08%, 500 at 1.08%, 500 at 1.08%, 500 at 1.08, 900 at 1.08

llinger-100 at 3.86, 100 at 3.86, 100 -Afternoon Seaver-600 at 394. alley-1000 at 7, uffalo-100 at 2.15. balt Lake-1000

Wetlauffer-60 at 1.07, 500 at 1.08%, 1000 at 1.08%, 500 at 1.08%, 100 at 1.08%, 200 at 1.08%, 500 at 1.08%, 500 at Hochester—400 at 4%, 200 at 4%, 200 at 4%, 1000 at 4%. Kerr Lake—100 at 5.70. Peterson Lake—100 at 16%, 500 at 16%. Great Northern—100 at 10%. Right of Way—600 at 27%. Total sales—80,700.

NEED MORE AID

Deputation Waits on Government on Behalf of King Edward Hospital.

A deputation in the interests of th of W. K. McNaught, W. J. Gage and of W. R. McNaught, W. J. Gage and Hon. W. A. Charlton, walted on Hon. W. J. Hanna yesterday afternoon. They laid before Hon. Mr. Hanna a number of reasons for a greater measure of ald than is at present available for the expense of the patients in the King Edward Hospital. No request was made with respect to the rebuilding of the Free Hospital recently destroyed by fire.

fire.

The deputation reported a very sympathetic hearing by the provincial secretary.

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THREATENED WITH DEATH

CLOTHES CAUGHT IN SHAFT. BRANTFORD, Dec. 22.—(Special.)—William Long had one arm shattered at the Adams Wagon Works here today, in a shaft in which his clothes caught, and will lose the member. Will-liam Dean's fereman, just managed to save Long's life by pulling the belt from a revolving pulley, severely injuring his hands in doing so.

STRUCK BY STREET CARS.

BRANTFORD, Dec. 22.—(Special.)—Within a half hour this morning baking rigs belonging to J. McHutcheon and W. Russell were demolished on Brancavenue by street cars. In each instanct the driver sought to avoid a car coming down one track, only to cross in from of a car on the second track. Both narrowly escaped injury.