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THE MARKETS.

Mining Stocks. Toronto, Feb. 10. — Following are today's closing quotations on the Toronto Mining and Industrial Exchange:

Industrial Exchange:	Asked.	Bid.
	Asken.	20
Foley		40
Hammond Reef	3714	37
Hiawatha.	. 26	24
Waterloo.	. 12	11
Sawbill		32
Cariboo		171
Minnehaha	28	26
MinnehahaCariboo Hydraulic	105	97
Tin Horn	. 9	7
Smuggler	6½	6
Winchester	9	71/2
Golden Star	49	471/2
Dundee		3174
Old Ironsides		100
Athabasca		56
Olive		96
Dardanelles	18%	1734
Superior G. and C. Co	11	8
Knob Hill	85	80
Crow's Nest Pass Coal		53.50
Noble Five		20
Salmo Con		26
Rambler-Cariboo Con Two Friends		7
Van Anda		31/2
BigThree		20
Commander.		9
Deer Park		17
Evening Star		1034
Giant		3
Good Hope		1
Grand Prize		120.
Homestake		. 3
Iron Colt		93/4
Iron Mask	83	80
Iron Horse	16	
Montreal Red Mountain	22	20
Monte Cristo	10	91/2
Northern Belle	3½	
Novelty	41/2	31/2
Silver Bell Con	61/2	414
St. Elmo		31/4
Virginia		41/2
Victory-Triumph	6	348
War Eagle Con	301	314
white Bear	43	41/2
B. C. Gold Fields		4/2
Gold Hills		
Can. G. F. S		TOO
SALES-Afternoon-Hammo	nd Reef,	500 at

SALES—Afternoon—Hammond Reef, 500 at 27½c; Minnehaha, 500, 500 at 25, 500, 500 at 26; Dardanelles, 500, at 18; Noble Five, 2,000 at 23½; Big Three, 5,000 at 20; sellers 10; Victory Triumph, 1,000, 1,000, 500 at 5½; 5,000 at 4½; 5,000 at 4½

ROLL BUTTER---DRIED APPLES

If you have any roll butter, dried apples or any other produce to offer let us know your lowest price and quantity. CHAS. ABBOTT, Wholesale Produce and Commission Merchant. Phone 1288. 172 King St., London Ont

Local Market.

London, Saturday Feb. 11.
Wheat, white fall, per bu, 691/2c to 70c
Wheat, red fall, per bu691/2c to 691/2c
Peas, per bu54c to 63c
Oats, per bu301/2c to 301/2c
Corn, per bu
Barley, per bu38½c to 48c
Buckwheat, per bu45c to 48c

Oats sold at 90c per 100 lbs today, and wheat at \$1.15. One small lot of barley came in and sold at private Eggs were firm at 17c by the basket,

and butter 1c to 2c higher, selling at 18c wholesale. Chickens were higher at 50c to 80c; turkeys sold at 9c to 10c per lb.

Hay was scarce, and sold at \$7. Dressed hogs sold at \$5 to \$5 25. General receipts were light; the demand was good; weather very cold.

	GRAIN.			
	Wheat, white, fall, per 100 lbs 1	15	0	1 15
	Wheat, red, fall, per 100 lbs 1	15	(0)	1 15
	Wheat pring per 100 ing		@	-
	Oats, per 100 lbs. Peas, per 100 lbs.	90	100	1 00
	Peas, per 100 lbs	90	(0)	00
	Corn, per 100 108	70	0	80
	Barley, per 100 lbs	82	0	1 00
	Rye, per 100 lbs	85	0	85
	Bean,s per bu		0	
	Bean, s per bu. PROVISIONS.			
	Honey, comb	9	@	12
	Honey, extracted	7	(0)	10
	Cheese, per lb	10	0	12
	Eggs, single dozen	20	a	22
	Eggs, fresh, basket, dozen	15	(9	16
	Eggs, per dozen. basket, p'kd.	14	(4)	14
	Eggs, fresh, store lots, doz	00	0	. 00
	Butter, per lb. retail	18	(0)	20
	Butter, pound rolls, baskets	15	a	16
	Butter. ib, large rolls or crocks	14	0	15
	Butter, per lb, tube or firkins.	10	@	14
	Lard per lb	9	0	10
	VEGETABLES AND	FRU		4
	Pumpkins, per doz	50	(2)	1 00
-	Potatoes, per bag	75	(00	80
	Apples, per bag		(0)	
	Apples, per basket		(0	
	Apples, per barrel	••	@	
	Beets, per dozen bunches	20	(0)	20
	Onions, per bu	60	a	90
	Celery, perdoz bunches	40	@	50
	Turnips, per bag	25	a	30
	Carrots, per bu	123		25
	Parsnips, per doz. bunches	40	0	50
		30		
	LIVE STOCK.		•	
	Young pigs, per pair	00	@	3 50
	Cows, eac 1 20 Beef, per ib	00	@	40 00
	Beer, per 10	21/4		4 60
	Hogs, light, per 100 lbs	50	(0)	4 00
	Hogs neavy, per 100 lbs	30	@	5 00
	Pigs, young, per pair		(C)	4 00
		3 25	. 0	8 50
	Ducks, per pair	50	(4)	25
	Chickens, per pair	30	(0	40
	Hen per pair	40	. @	50
	HAI AND SEE	D.		- 50
	Hay, per ton	500	(0)	7 50
	Hay, per ton	2 30	(4)	2 50
	MEAI, HIDES, I	LIC.	10	
	Beef, front quarters, per lb	45		5
	Beef, hind quarters, per lb	23	2 60	6
	Mutton, quarters, per ib	5	(0)	6
	Veal, quarters, per 15 Lamb, quarter	55		
	Lame, quarter	0	(4)	5 50
	Dressed nogs, 100 ins, light	00	@	5 50
	Dressed hogs 100 lbs, heavy .	90	0	5 00
	Hides, No. 1, per lb	7		1
	Hides, No. 2, per 15	6	0	6
	Hides, No. 5, per lb	5	(00	5

St. Thomas Narket. St. Thomas is arket.

St. Thomas, Feb. 9.—Wheat, per bu, 70c; oats, per bu., 30c to 32c; peas, per bu., 45c to 50c; barley, per bu., 35c to 40c; corn. per bu., 35c to 40c; beans, 80c to 90c; clover seed, \$3 25 to \$3 60; timothy, \$1 75 to \$1 85.

 Dressed hogs
 100 lbs, heavy
 100

 Hides, No. 1, per lb
 71

 Hides, No. 2, per lb
 62

 Hides, No. 3, per lb
 53

 Calfskins, green
 8

 Wool, washed, per lb
 13

 Wool, unwashed, per lb
 9

 Chickens, per pair
 25

 Ducks, per lb
 7

 Turkeys, per lb
 8½

The Oil Market. PITTSBURG, Pa., Feb. 10.—Oil opened \$1 15. PETROLIA, Feb. 10.—Oil opened and closed at \$1 40.

English Markets. Ruling prices for the past four market days— The following table shows the quotations per cental at Liverpool for the three previous market days. In the case of wheat highest prices are given.

#49. T. C.	100000	eb. 7.		eb. 8.	100000	eb. 9.		eb. 10.
WHEAT-		-	24	4		- 114		-
Red Winter		1	6	034	6	034	6	0
No. 1 Nor. Spring	5	111/2	5	10%		10%	5	10%
No. 1 Cal	6	8	6	8	6	8	6	8
March			5	736		81/8		734
May	5	7 7/8		7	5	81/8		71%
CORN-	193					,,		
New	3	81/2	3	7%	3	734	3	7%
Old	3		3	8%		81/	3	73/
March				51/4		534	3	43%
May	3	9%		54		534	3	43%
Flour	19		19		19		19	0
Peas	5		5	10	5	10	5	914
			50		50		50	
			29		29		28	
Lard								0
Tallow			23		23		23	
Bacon, light	121	0	27		0		27	0
Cheese, white			49		49		49	
Cheese, colored	149	0	149	0	49	0	149	0

Wheat—Spot steady; No. 1 Cal., 6s 7½d to 6s 8d; No. 1 red northern spring, 5s 10½d; spot No. 22 red western winter. 6s.

Corn—Spot, steady; American mixed, new. 3s.
7d; do old, 3s. 8d; futures, steady; Jan., old.
3s. 10d; March, 3s. 53/d; May, 3s. 53/d.
Flour—St. Louis fancy winter, dull, 7s. 6d.
Peas—Canadian. 5s. 93/d.
Beef—Dull; extra India mess, 65s; prime mess, 60s.

ess, cos. Pork—Dull; prime mess, fine western, 50s. Pork—Dull; prime mess, fine western, 50s.

Bacon—Cumberland cut, 23 to 30 lbs, firm,
26s 6d; long clear middles, heavy, 40 to 45 lbs,
steady, 27s 6d; short clear backs, 16 to 18 lbs.
steady, 28s; long clear middles, light, 35 to 38
lbs, steady, 28s; short ribs, 20 to 24 lbs, dull,
27s 6d; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, dull, 27s 6d.

Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs, firm, 36s.
Lard—Prime western, dull, 23s 9d.
Butter—Finest United States, 86s; good, 65s.
Cheese—American, steady, finest white 49s; de
colored, 49s.

Tallow—Prime city, 23s,
Tallow—Prime city, 23s,
Turpentine spirits—32s,
Rosin—Common, 4s 1½d.
Petroleum—Refined, 6s 8d.
Linseed oil—18s 6d.
Cottonseed oil—Liverpool refined, 15s 6d.

American Markets.

CHICAGO, Feb. 10.—Opening—Wheat, May, 73c; July, 71%c. Corn, May, 36%c; July, 37c. Oats, May, 28%c; July, 26%c. Pork, May, \$10 10. Lard, May, \$5 70. Ribs, May, \$6 05; July, \$5 15.

May, \$10. Lard, May, \$570. Rios, May, \$605. July, \$515.

CHICAGO, F.b. 10. — The leading futures closed as foll vs: Wheat—May, 72½c to 73c; July, 73½c to 73½c; Sept., 73½c. Oats—May, 27½c to 73c; July, 73½c to 73½c; Sept., \$60; July, \$577½; Sept., \$587½. Ribs—May, \$50; July, \$577½; Sept., \$587½. Ribs—May, \$50; July, \$512½; Sept., \$587½. Ribs—May, \$50; July, \$512½; Sept., \$525. Cash quotations: Flour, little better demand; steadier; No. 2 spring wheat, 68c to 71c; No. 3 spring wheat, 65c to 70c; No. 2 red, 72c to 73c; No. 2 corn, 35½c to 36c; No. 2 yellowcorn, 35½c to 36½c; No. 2 oats, 25½c to 23½c; No. 2 white, 30½c to 31c; No. 3 white, 30c to 30½c. No. 2 rye, 55½c. No. 2 barley, 43c to 51c. No. 1 flax-seed, \$115; Northwest, \$119. Frime timothy seed, \$12½. Pork, \$985 to \$990. Lard, \$50 to \$552½. Ribs, \$470 to \$490. Shoulders, 4½c to 4½c. Short clear sides, \$505 to \$515. Sugars, cut loaf, \$570; granulated, \$520. Clover — Contract grade, \$60; March, \$645. Eggs, firm; fresh, 20c. 55 15. Sugars, cut loar, \$570; granulated, \$520. Clover — Contract grade, \$650; March, \$645. Eggs, firm; fresh, 20c. RECEIPTS—Flour, 14.000 barrels; wheat, 95,000 bushels; corn, 499,000 bushels; oats, 225,000 bushels; rye, 7,000 bushels; barley, 47,000 bushels; rye, 7,000 bushels; barley, 8HIPMENTS—Flour, 13,000 barrels: wheat, 24,000 bushels; corn, 173,000 bushels; oata, 210,006 bushels; rye, 2,000 bushels; barley, 8,000 bushels.

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Dairy Markets.

MONTREAL, Feb. 10.-Cheese, 9c to 10c. Butter-Townships, 19c to 20c;

western, 14c to 15c. NEW YORK, Feb.-Butter firm; western creamery, 161/2c to 22c; do factory, 111/2e to 14e; Elgins, 22e; imitation creamery, 13c to 17c; state dairy, 13c to 19c; do creamery, 16c to 211/2c. Cheese steady; large white, 10½c; large colored, 10½c; small colored, 11c to 114e; light skims, 8e to 9c; part

skims, 7c to 8c; full skims, 3c to 4c. CHICAGO, Feb. 10. - Butter firm; creamery, 14c to 20c; dairies, 11c to 17c. Cheese steady; creameries, 9%c to 11c.

Live Stock arkets

TORONTO, Feb. 10-There was not too heavy a supply in the cattle market today and everything was pretty well cleared off. A few loads were not de-livered, owing to a C. P. R. train being delayed by the snowstorms. Good butcher cattle are in demand; very choice will fetch \$4 25, but they have to be the choicest at this figure. Export average about \$4 50; choice up to \$4 25. Stockers steady at Tuesday's prices. No change in sheep and hog quotations. Export cattle-Choice, \$4 40 to \$4 75; light, \$4. Bulls-Medium export, \$3 40 to \$4; heavy export, good quality, \$3 75 to \$4. Loads of good butchers and exporters mixed, \$3 75 to \$4. Stockers and medium to good, \$3 25 to \$3 65. Feeders, heavy, \$3 60 to \$3 75. Butchers' cattle, picked lots, \$3 50 to \$4 25; good, \$3 60 to \$4; medium, \$3 to \$3 50; common, \$3 25 to \$3 50; inferior, \$2 75 to \$3. Milch cows, each, \$25 to \$45. Calves, each, \$3 to \$8. Sheep, per cwt, \$3 to \$3 25; bucks, per cwt, \$2 50 to \$2 75; spring lambs, each, \$4 to \$4 40. Hogs-Best, \$4 50; light, \$4 25; tat, \$3 84.

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.-Beeves-Receipts, 294 head; firm to 10c higher; bulls steady; steers, common to extra, \$4 50 to \$5 90; oxen, \$4 to \$4 45; bulls, \$3 to \$4; cows, \$2 25 to \$4. Cable steady; top prices for live cattle at Liverpool, 111/2c; at London, 12c; live sheep, 11c to 12c; refrigerator beef, 81/2c per lb. No shipments today. Calves—Receipts, 101; veals steady; westerns slow and easier; veals, \$6 to \$8 25; western, \$3 50 to \$3 75; no barnyard calves. Sheep and lambs-Receipts, 5,019; sheep steady; lambs moderately active and unchanged; sheep, common to prime, \$3 to \$4 50; lambs, medium to prime, \$3 to \$5 60. Hogs-Receipts, 1,650; nominally firm

at \$4 to \$4 30. EAST BUFFALO, Feb. 10.-Cattle-There was only one load of sale cattle, and no particular change in the position of the market. Calves were in moderate supply, fair demand and a quarter higher; choice to extra, \$7 75 to \$8; good to choice, \$7 to \$7.75. Sheep and lambs-The market fairly active, with a total of 24 loads on sale, and prices generally quite firm; lambs, choice to extra, were quotable at \$5 15 to \$5.25; good to choice, \$5 to \$5 15; common to fair, \$4 75 to \$5; sheep, choice to extra, \$4 27 to \$4 50; good to choice, \$4 to \$4 25; common to fair, \$2.75 to \$3.75; the of-ferings were pretty well cleaned up. Hogs—On the early market the of-ferings were 7 loads, and the demand was active; Yorkers sold at \$4.10 to \$4 20; medium and heavy, \$4 15 to \$4 20; light Yorkers, \$4 to \$4 05; pigs, \$3 90 to \$4; roughs, \$3 40 to \$3 60; stags, \$2 75 to \$3 25; these were cleared up, and towards the close about 15 loads were received, which sold about steady.

CHICAGO, Feb. 10.—The small of-ferings of cattle today were quite sufficient to meet the limited requirements of buyers; prices were barely steady in some cases and dull in others; fancy cattle, \$6 to \$6 15; choice steers, \$5 30 to \$5 95; medium steers, \$4 80 to \$5 10; beef steers, \$4 65 to \$4 75; stockers and feeders, \$3 30 to \$4 75; bulls, \$2 75 to \$4 25; western fed steers, \$4 35 to \$5 66; Texas steers, \$3 50 to \$5; calves, \$5 to \$7 50. Trade in hogs was active encugh to put prices 5c higher on an average; fair to choice, \$3 87½ to

\$4 021/4; packing lots, \$3 65 to \$3 85; mixed, \$3 75 to \$3 90; butchers, \$3 721/2 to \$4; light, \$3 65 to \$3 921/2; pigs, \$3 40 to \$3 70. he market for sheep was active at unchanged prices; inferior to prime sheep, \$2 50 to \$4 50; yearlings, \$4 20 to \$4 60; lambs, \$4 to \$5. Receipts—Cattle, 2,000; hogs, 14,000; sheep, 6,000.

THERE'S WHEELS WITHIN WHEELS

Complicated Mechanism of London's Municipal Machinery.

A Surplus of Committees-How the Number Could Be Still Increased.

It is thought that the city council this year will manage to get along with at least four more special committees. The division of the work of No. 1 committee into a special legislation and reception committee, a special manufacturers' committee and the regular finance committee (to pass the accounts) is the basis of the calculation that at least four additional committees will be required. No. 2 and Good Showing Made by the No. 3 committees would naturally expect to be treated the same as No. 1 committee. It is just possible that another special committee may be deemed necessary, to be known as the account committee, the duties of which would be to pass the accounts. This arrangement would leave No. 1 committee pleasantly free to go on deputations. They would then be in such a position that no charge of shirking duty (?) could be brought agains

them. 2 committee (the board of No. works) should unquestionably be relieved. A special committee to look after the stone crusher is considered by many an absolute necessity. The appointment of a special committee to superintend the expenditure of the appropriation for streets and general improvements also has its advocates, who argue that such a step would greatly benefit the city, because the regular committee could then give its undivided attention to the expenditure of the money to be taken from the sewer debentures.

As to the division of the work of the fire, light and market committee (No. 3) the farmers of Middlesex give some good advice. They say that if a special committee were appointed to listen to their complaints against the market clerk they will guarantee to keep the stock rose from % to 1½.

Of the other committees which constitute the seven now existing, the hospital committee at least has its ands full. But as the mayor would no doubt be perfectly willing to constitute himself a committee of one and take charge of the work, the rest of the committee would then be able to spend the required time "walking the hospitals" of other cities.

The sewer committee, if its funds are gobbled up by the board of works to the same extent as last year, will worry through without calling in ex-Alderman Cooper.

With four more committees, all the Conservative aldermen can hope to enjoy a chairmanship. Come 7, come 11.

DK3MA DJUOW **CERTAIN LAWS**

Initial Meeting of the Special Legislation and Reception Committee-The Council's Counsel.

The special legislation and reception committee of the council held its inaugural meeting last night. Ald. McPhillips, Parnell, Plant and Winnett, City Solicitor Meredith and Assessment Commissioner Grant were present. The election of the chairman was interesting. Ald. McPhillips, who was the mover of the committee in council, called the members to order, and reminded them that under the bylaw he, as mover, could claim the right to be chairman. However, he would waive the right if the committee wish-

ed to elect another chairman. Ald. Parnell thought that it would be well to distribute the chairmanships and named Ald. Winnett for the posi-

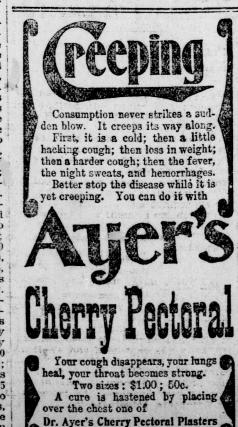
Ald. Winnett (to Ald. McPhillips)-Are you chairman of a committee now

Ald. McPhillips-Of the sewer committee Ald. Plant would second Ald. Parnell's motion if it were distinctly understood that Ald. McPhillips waived his right to the chair. Ald. McPhillips again referred to the

bylaw-and the result was that he was not called upon to waive his right. Mr. Bell was appointed permanent Mr. Meredith explained the petition

secretary. Mr. Grant acted pro tem. for legislation respecting the assessment of street railway, telegraph, telephone and gas companies. He advised sending a large deputation to Toronto as the big corporations would make a big fight. He suggested interviewing Leys to obtain his views.

Ald. Winnett, Plant and Parnell were appointed to wait upon the colonel,



J. C. AYER CO., Lowell, Mass.

who will be asked to keep the committee advised upon legislation in which the city is interested.

The mayor was recommended to add the name of the city solicitor to the council deputation going to Toronto next week if Col. Leys advises so. The city treasurer will report upon arrears of taxes owing by insurance companies in the city.

The city solicitor will prepare the usual petition re Ald. McPhillips' resolution to apply for legislation fixing the minimum assessment for munici-

pal voters at \$200 insted of \$400.

The members seemed satisfied that as a legislation committee they would have some work, and cast about for something to do as a reception committee. It would be a good thing if they could succeed in bringing conventions to London they said, and it was decided to formulate some scheme for bringing the claims of London as a convention city before various bodies.

AN ALARMING SITUATION

Albanian Chiefs Threaten War Against the Bulgarlans.

Grand Trunk Company.

Mild Weather in England and France -But Fierce Storms Sweep the At lantic-Don Carlos Calls a Halt.

London, Feb. 11.-A dispatch from Vienna says: The situation in the Balkans is becoming alarming. It is decided to declare a holy war on the Bulgarians. The situation of the Christians in Macedonia grows precarious, and the sultan's envoys find it constantly more difficult to prevent Mohammedan revolt against them. English newspapers in the Balkans express much alarm.

GRAND TRUNK DOING WELL. The directors of the Grand Trunk Railway Company of Canada today have announced a dividend of 4 per cent on guaranteed stock, and 3 per cent on first preference shares. They are enabled to carry forward a sum of £4,000. The stock market received buoyantly the Grand Trunk's statement, showing an increase of over £10,000 in the traffic returns. The

MILD IN ENGLAND.

The weather in the south of England phenomenally warm. The lowest point reached by the mercury in London yesterday was 58 degrees, which is 12 degrees above the average tem-perature of February. Dispatches from France show that the weather there is even warmer. In Paris the thermometer registered 60 degrees, and in Biarritz, 72 degrees.

THE IRISH PARTY.

The resignation of John Dillon, anti-Parnellite-Nationalist, from the leadership of the Nationalist party in the House of Commons, has strengthened Irish unity. The favorite candidate for leader is Thomas Sexton, chairman of the Freeman's Journal, and an orator and organizer of the first order. A Nationalist convention planned to take place in Limerick on

BRITISH TRADE The Daily Chronicle says: "We have

reason to believe that important modifications are contemplated in the American tariff in favor of British trade." PERILS OF THE PASSAGE.

London, Feb. 11.-The British steamer Sedgmore, from Boston, Jan. 24. in 1897, were fatally shot Thursday for this port, has arrived at Graves-night. They had been summoned to for this port, has arrived at Gravesend, and reported lost a boat and 38

horses washed overboard. The British steamer Colorado, of the Wilson Line, from New York, on Jan. 28, for Hull, has arrived at Fayal, Azores, and reports having passed the British steamer Pavonia, of the Cun-ard Line, from Liverpool, on Jan. 24, via Queenstown on Jan. 25, for Bos ton, in a disabled condition about 300 miles from here.

The British steamer Martello, from New York, on Jan. 23, for Hull, has arrived at Hull. The Martello encountered fearful weather. She lay to in a hurricane on Jan. 30, and a huge wave fell on her deck, killing the chief officer and boatswain, washing the quartermaster overboard, and carry-ing away the crow's nest with the seaman who was on the look-out inside of it. Another sea hurled the second officer against the steam winches and broke his leg. The captain was smashed against the side of the brig and stunned. He would have been swept overboard had he not been re-scued by the man at the wheel.

A HALL

The Rome correspondent of the London Daily Chronicle says he learns from a good source that Don Carlos has instructed his agents in Spain to stop the agitation on his behalf.

The supreme military court of Spain, which has had under consideration the loss of the Spanish squadron at Santiago de Cuba, on July 3 last, has decided to prosecute Admiral Cervera and Commandant Emilio Diaz de Moreu, former captain of the destroyed cruiser Cristobal Colon.

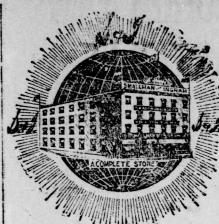
The Spanish Government, it is announced, has decided not to sell the Caroline Islands.

WILL MEET AT THE HAGUE. United States charge here, cabled the state department at Washington that the conference proposed by the czar looking to a disarmament of the nations would be held at The Hague. The budget committee of the German reichstag, by a vote of 11 to 10,

agreed to increase the strength of the German artillery by 65 howitzer batteries and also to increase the strength of the foot artillery. IS IT THE ANDREE PARTY? Kravonvarsk, Siberia, Feb. 11.-A gold mine owner here named Maoasteristien has received a letter, saying that a tribe of Tongusos inhabiting the Timur peninsula, North Siberia,

recently informed the Russian police chief of the district that on Jan. 7 last, between Komo and Piet, in the Province of Yeniseisk, in latitude \$2.02, north, they found a cabin constructed of cloth and cordage, apparently be-longing to a balloon. Close by were the bodies of three men, the head of one badly crushed. Around them were a number of instruments, the use of which were not understood by the Tunguses. The police chief has started for the spot to investigate, as it is believed that the bodies are those of the Aeronaut Herr Andree and his panions.

CABLE NOTES. new Prussian loan has been subbed for many times over. Appliions have been received from Lon-



WEATHER PROBS: Fair and very cold.

13 Only Children's **Ulsters**

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ef	ft, at the following prices:		
	Two only, 24 inches long—One worth \$4, at		
	Three only, 30 inches long—One worth \$6, at	3 25	
	One only, 27 inches long, worth \$4 50 at.	2 20	
	One only, 29 inches long, worth \$4, at.	4 00	
	One only, 33 inches long, worth \$7, at. Three only, 44 inches long—One worth \$6, at. One worth \$6, at.	8 50 8 60	
	-One worth \$0, at		
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don, New York and Paris. The script is quoted at 92%. At Bombay two native brothers of Dravida, informers against the murderers of English officials at Poonah give evidence against the murderers. Gen. Reyes, who has rebelled against the government of President Zelaya, of Nicaragua, and who is now at Bluefields, proclaimed himself gener-al-in-chief of Nicaragua on Feb. 1,

and has declared war against President Zelaya. 00000000000000000

NO WORD WASTED

Joseph Bailey, a patient from Marmora, fell down a shaft at the Rockwood asylum for the insane and was killed.

Dr. James Etheridge, professor of gynecology at Rush Medical College, and one of Chicago's oldest practicing physicians, is dead. President McKinley sent a message

to congress Friday calling attention to the urgent necessity for the construction of a cable across the Pacific Ocean. Mr. Arthur Dansereau, postmaster of Montreal, confirms the report that he will resign his position, which is worth \$4,000 a year, to take the editorial management of La Presse.

At the nomination held Friday in Walkerville to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Mayor Russell, Robert Kerr, of the Kerr Engine Company, was elected without opposition.

A report from Bancroft, Shiawassee county, says a disastrous fire broke out in the business part of the town, and that the whole place is threatened. Bancroft is a town of 900 inhabitants, nine miles southeast of Corunna.

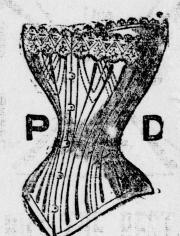
A chambermaid in the Griswold House, Detroit, took from Mrs. A. E. St. Petersburg, Feb. 11.-Mr. Pierce Morey's room a pair of diamond earrings valued at \$100. She confessed, returned the property and was dismissed.

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VONIA. Liverpool, Feb. 11.-There is considerable anxiety in shipping circles regarding the Cunard Line steamer Pavonia, which sailed from Liverpool on Jan. 24 for Boston, and which was reported by the British steamer Colorado to have been sighted 300 miles from Fayal, Azores Islands, in a disabled condition. No further news concerning the Pavonia has been received.

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