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WEDNESDAY, Dec. 18. USH GRAIN TRADE LAST WEEK. Liverpool cable despitch of Friday to the New A Liverpool cable despitch of Friday to the New Fork press quotes a leading grain circular of that day as follows:—"The wheat trade is dull and inactive, some of the leading markets showing a decline of 6d to is per quarter. Cargoes off coast are almost in no demand, while those on passage and for shipment are quite neglected. At this market to-day the demand for wheat was improved, and the price was reduced 1d per cental from Tuesday. Flour sells slowly and has declined 6d per sack and bol. There is no great business in corn, but it closes firm at fully Tuesday's rates.

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those at seaboard ports have been 3,599,444 bushels, achiest 5,890,271 bushels last year. We have here				sold on Saturday at \$3.59 on track. Oarweal,—No improvement has occurred; lots	42c, but since then several lots of 500 boxes, and one of 200 boxes, have sold at 42c, and are held today at	log
a decrease of 54,676 bushels at lake ports; a decrease of 895,549 bushels at Buffalo and Oswego, and				have been offered at \$3.50 and \$3.00 with \$3.40 bid but no sales reported until to-day when it was ac-	with sales of lots of 100 boxes at \$1.50; and London layers, in lots of 25 boxes, have brought \$2. Sul-	-
exports from seaboard por	te for	Europe	since Sept.	cepted and a car sold at \$3.40 f.o.c. Small lots are unchanged at \$4 to \$4.25.	tanas are now very scarce, and held firmly at 81 to 9c. Prunes have sold in lots of 100 kegs at 41c. Cur-	ab
1, 1878, have been 6,46 bushels for the correspon	ding pe	eriod in	1877. The	WHEAT—Dullness and inactivity with weak prices have been the distinctive marks of the trade; very	rants have been steady, with sales at 41 to 42c for round lots of new. Nuts are offering at quotations.	La
imports of foreign barley : let have been 158,000 bush	nels T	he rece	ipts at sea-	little enquiry has been heard and sales have been very small. No. 2 fall sold on Friday at 90c f.o.c.,	Lemon and Orange Peel remain steady but un-	ea
board ports since Sept. 1, 1878, have been 2,310,827 bushess less than for the corresponding period in			g period in	but was offered at 90c with 87c bid on Saturday; there was a lot of No. 3 fall sold outside on Tuesday	for retailers' lots:—Raisins, Layers, \$1.50 to \$1.70;	
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The following is the offic			ne Toronto	sold on Thursday at 86c f.o.c.; No. 2 spring has been in some little demand and sold at 81c f.o.c. on Satur-	changed. Prices are as follows, the outside being for retailers' lots:—Rasisns, Layers, \$1.50 to \$1.70; Valencias, 5 to \$1c; new seedless, none; Sultanas, new, \$4 to 9c; loose Muscatelles, new, \$1.67\) to \$1.55; Currants, 187S, \$4\) to \$c; choice, 6 to \$6\) cold, \$2\) to \$4\) c; Filberts, \$7\) to \$c; Walnuts, \$4\) to 9c; Almonds, 14\) to 15c; Frans, \$4\) to 5c; Razil nuts, 7\) to 7\) c; Lesson peel, 25c; Orange do, 21\) to 24c; Citron do, 24\) to 37\) c.	fa
Stock Exchange, Dec. 18th, 1878 :				day. No. 3 spring has been weak; it brought 78 c on track on Thursday but was subsequently offered at	7 to 71c; Lemon Deel, 25c; Orange do, 21 to 24c;	F
Post in	ers.	É		78c f.o.c. with no buyers. The market to-day closed very dull with No. 2 spring offered at 82c with buy-	Citron do, 24 to 27c. RICE—Has been dull and inactive with 100-bag	go
Banks.	Sellers	Buyera	Trans	ers at 81c; but all other grades neglected and prices nominal at quotations. Street prices stood to-day at 80c to 90c for fall and 75 to 85c for spring.	lots offering at \$4.30 to \$4.35, and small lots selling slowly at \$4.50.	Lo
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Montreal	120	118		American sold last week and on Tuesday at 28c on track. Canadian was inactive and was not offered	small sales at \$2.75 for trout and \$3 for white fish. Salt water fish has been unchanged. Quotations	Gr
Ontario	682	67½ 80	******	until to-day when a car brought 23c on track. On the street to-day 30 to 31c was paid.	stand as follows, the outside prices being for retail-	15
Consolidated	104	102	ex div. 3 at 59%	BARLEY—The market has been fairly active at ad-	ers' lots:—Herrings, Labrador, bbls, \$5.00 to \$2.25; Salmon, salt water, \$15.50 to \$16.00; Codfish, new,	fir -
Dominion		108		vancing prices, with holders not very anxious to	per 112 lbs. \$4.75 to \$5.00 : honeless per lb 6 to 61c :	1
Hamilton	977		ex div.	sell. No. 1 has remained scarce and quiet with buyers at . No. 2 has been fairly active and	Whitefish, half-bbls, \$3.00 to \$3.25; Trout, \$2.75 to \$3.00; Mackerel, bbls, \$10; half-bbls, none; Sardines, ½'s, 10 to 10½c; do. ½'s, 18½ to 19½c.	sta
Federal	101	993	7 at 993	firmer with sales last week and on Monday at 78c f.o.c. Extra has been steady with sales at 67 and	dines, 4's, 10 to 10jc; do. 4's, 18j to 19jc.	Wa
Imperial		98	ex div.	68c the latter being paid on Monday No 9	Tobacco—There has been no movement reported	Te
Molson's. Logn and Savings Cos. Canada Permanent			*****	ooc, site mosts being pain on monday. Ho. 5	in job lots, and prices of them remain nominally	-
Freehold.	189			68c, the latter being paid on Monday. No. 3 has advanced and sold on Monday at 60c f.o.c. There have also been sales of cars by sample at 90c	unchanged. Quotations are as follows:-Manufac-	4
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WREKLY REVIEW OF TORONTO WHOLE-SALE MARKETS.

WEDNESDAY, Dec. 18. PRODUCE. The market has been decidedly dull and inactive in everything except barley all through the week. Buyers have held off, notwithstanding the very low no orders in the market. The absence of orders for wheat can readily be accounted for by the large inports and home deliveries in England; but the absence of orders for flour from the Maritime Prowinces is not so easily understood, though it is thought by some that they have large stocks on hand. At all events duliness seems likely to influence this market until we have a change in either or both of these circumstances. Railway rates have been advanced from 2½ to 5c since our last, but ocean rates remain unchanged at last week's figures. Stocks have gone on declining; and steod on Monday morning as follows:—Flour, 5,520 bbls; fall wheat, 32,906 bushels; spring wheat, 56,076 fall wheat, 32,906 bushels; barley, 120,537 bushels; peas, 27,322 bushels, and rye, nd bushels. Outside markets have generally been inactive. English markets have been decidedly so and show a fall of 3d on white, and 2d on club, and 4d on the inside price of spring wheat; cargoes seem to have been duital over. The supply has continued to be large and in excess of the consumption; that for the week ending cn. be 7th inst., including home-grown and foreign wheat and foreign wheat and loveign wheat and seeing wheat how was equal to 490,000 to 517,500 qrs of wheat, vs. \$11,000 to 420,622 qrs weekly consumption, indicating a surplus in supply of maize for the week was equal to 720,000 to 760,000 bush, against an average weekly consumption in 1876. The amount of wheat and flour on passage for the United Kingdom, Dec. 12th, 1287, shows an increase of 50,000 qrs on the week, and was equal to 17,50,000 qrs on the week, and was equal to 17,50,000 qrs on the week, and was equal to 17,50,000 qrs on the week, and was equal to 17,50,000 qrs on the week, and was equal to 17,50,000 qrs on the week, and was equal to 17,50,000 qrs of wheat, against 1,612,000 qrs for man and oregon, and 21,000 qrs from Nov. 25 to Bec. 25 is 284,000 qrs of wheat, comprising 50,000 qrs from Azov and Black Seas and Danube, 68,000 qrs from Azov and Black Seas and Danube, 68,000 qrs from Azov and Black Seas and Danube, 68,000 qrs from merican Atlantic ports, 142,000 qrs from American Atlantic ports, 142,000 qrs from Equipment of the province of the foreign for the ports of the foreign for the sease of fall wheat, 32,906 bushels; spring wheat, 56,076 bushels; oats, 12,150 bushels; barley, 120,537 sushels; peas, 27,232 bushels, and rye, nil bushels-

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Wheat,bu 17,045,020 16,320,035 10,327,158 10,320,443

Corn..... 8 124,150 7,539,633 5,424,171 6,655,314

Oats 2,423,417 2,455,965 3,578,667 2,962,178

Barley... 5,205,152 5,117,484 4,704,757 4,397,701

Rye..... 1,290,820 1,191,963 618,072 618,680 Total bu. 33,997,559 32,496,011 24,617,425 24,912,326

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Spring Wheat, extra ... 3 60 BAG FLOUR, by car lot f.o.c. GRAIN, f.o.b. Fall Wheat, No. 1, per 60 lbs.....\$0 93 ... No. 2, ... 0 89 ... No. 3, ... 0 84 Red Winter 0 85

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Barley, No. 1, per 48 lbs... Peas, No. 1, per 60 lbs. .. No. 2, PRICES AT FARMERS' WAGGONS

Turnips, per bag. 0 30 0 9 45
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PROVISIONS.

TRADE—Has remained dull and inactive through the week.

BUTTE—There has been some demand heard at the reduced prices and sales have been made at 3½ to 45 for grease; at 6 to 85 for medium parcels and at 11 to 185 for selections of whoice fail dairy. The es sales, however, must not be taken as indicative of any permanent improvement; for in one instance the to buy medium at the above prices has been stopped, and there are large quantities of all sorts now offering at them without finding a sale. Boxlot have been enough of them offering, as they are weak and have gone off slowly at 9 to 12c. Street receipts have been on the increase and prices described have been enough forward.

Tallow—Remains dull and nuchanged at former quotations, with a good deal coming forward.

Quotations stand as follows:—No. 1 inspected, choice, 86.00; No. 2 inspected, 84.00; Calfakins, dry, none; Sheepskins, show no improvement; the fact seems to be that the quality of nearly all of our Canadian butter must be raised if it is to sell in English markets.

CIERRES—There has been very little doing even in small lots, which sell as before at 8½ to 9c for selections at the quality of nearly all of our Canadian butter must be raised if it is to s CHEESE—There has been very little doing even in small lots, which sell as before at 8½ to 9c for choice; inferior can be had down to 4c. EGS—Offerings have been small particularly of fresh which have been steady at 20c; limed have been in fair supply and unchanged at 15 to 16c. Street receipts small and prices steady at 22 to 25c for new-laid, but no other sort.

cars and \$10 for small lots but not much selling.

Bacox—Has been very quiet, and prices have been rather unsettled, with new and old on the market. Cumberland has sold to a very small extent at 4½ to 5c for old, and 5½ to 6c for new. Long-clear is inactive; old held at 5½ cand short-clear at 6½c. New rolls and bellies have been in demand and selling at 9 to 9½c. Old shoulders are offered at 4c, but no sales reported.

Hams—There has been but little doing in any sort, but the chief movement has been in new smoked at 9 to 9½ for small lots.

Lard—A steady demand has been maintained for small lots at 8c for tinnets; at 8½ for pails and 7 to 7½ for tierces; there was one round lot of tinnets and pails seld on p.t.

Hogs—Receipts have been of fair amount, but all

and pails sold on p.t.

Hoss—Beceipts have been of fair amount, but all offering have gone off steadily at \$3.50 to \$3.60 for railway lots, which prices were paid to-day. Street receipts have been considerable and prices have ranged from \$3.50 to \$4.25.

Salx—Prices of Liverpool coarse have advanced to \$5 to 90c, and those of fine dairy to \$1.40 to \$1.70, the latter for small lots; sales have been few and small. Goderich remains unchanged at \$5c for cars, and 90 to 95c for small lots.

GROCERIES.

TRADE—That with the country has improved considerably during the week.

TRA—The sequity for lines has been more active and sales have been made on English account at firm prices. The chief demand has been for seconds, and sales of Hines of this grade have been made at 30 to 32c for poor, and at 34 to 33c for good; other grade of Young Hyson quiet. Blacks also have been quiet, but one line of coarse sold at 25c and one at 25c Japans have been inactive; one line of good common sold at 294c. Quotations are as follows, the outside figures being for retailers lots:—Young Hyson, common to fair, 25 to 30c; Young Hyson medium to good seconds, 30 to 374c; Young Hyson ordinary to choice extra firsts, 45 to 55c; Twankays 20 to 25c; Gunpowder and Imperials, common to good, 25 to 40c; Fine to Extra Choice, 55 to 66c Blacks—Congous, 25 to 70c; Souchong, 35 to 65c Scented Pekces, 45 to 55c.

off at \$7.50 to 8.50.

POTATORS—Car lots have been in steady demand, and prices have advanced, with sales of early rose at 75 and 80c on track. Street receipts have been small and prices decidedly firm at 85 to 95c.

AFFLES—Have shown very little change; the supply has continued to be abundant and prices have been anged from \$1 to \$1.75, the great bulk of good cooking qualities selling at \$1.25 to \$1.50.

DOUGLES OF STATES AND TRUNK RATES —An advance of about 2½ to 5c in Grand Trunk rates was announced on Montangly for the points they now stand as follows:—Flour to Kingston, 25c per bbl; Gananouge to Frescott, 3cc to \$2.50 to to 5c in Grand Trunk rates was announced on Monday, and from Toronto to the undermentioned
points they now stand as follows:—Flour to Kingston, 25c per bbl; Gananoque to Prescott, 3ue;
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tal.

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CATTLE. TRADE—Has been active since our last, as is usua at this season.

at this season.

BERVES—Receipts were rather small in the latter part of last week, but have since shown an increase which has tended to make prices close somewhat casy. Christmas cattle have been scarce all over the country, in consequence of many of this class having been previously sold for export; any offering have readily brought 36, with prize-cattle going still higher. The supply of export cattle has been small, but readily taken at \$5 with light-weight steers selling down to \$4.50. Second-class have been in fair supply and taken as before at \$3.75 to \$4. Third-class have been unchanged and steady at \$3 to \$3.50.

Sheep—Offerings have been on the increase and class have been unchanged and steady at \$3 to \$3.50.

SHEEF—Offerings have been on the increase and fully equal to the wants of the market. The demand for export-lots has been maintained, but buyers seem more cautions and are offering only from \$3.50 to \$4 per cental, according to quality. Lots for the local market sell as before at \$6.50 to \$6 for first-class; but second-class seem slightly firmer, probably from skins ruling rather higher, at \$4 to \$4.75. Nothing doing in third-class.

LAMES—Have been abundant, but a steady demand has been maintained at firm prices. First-class, dressing from 45 lbs upwards, have been in active demand and have advanced to \$3.50 to \$4, the latter price being for selections. Second-class have been

Calvas.—There have been as usual some few very choice sold at fancy prices for the Christmas market; but prices of average qualities remain unchanged and steady. First-class, dressing from 120 lbs upwards, have been steady at \$7.50 to \$10. Second-class, dressing from 75 to 110 lbs, have been quiet at \$4.50 to \$6. Third-class have been purely nominal.

HIDES, SKINS AND WOOL.

BOOTS AND SHOES.

Trade is now very quiet, being limited to a sorting-up business; even in that, sales have been small, and are expected to remain so during the rest of the year. There has been no change whatever in prices. Travellers are now out with samples of spring goods; orders have been fair, but buyers generally seem inclined to hold off until the new year; prices of spring goods will be low, but not lower than before, as bottom seems to have been touched here as elsewhere. Factories are not all started on spring goods, and consequently are not all on full time as yet. Quotations are as follows:—Men's Thick Boots, \$1.65 to \$2.85; Men's Kip Boots, \$1.96 to \$3.15; Men's Calf Boots, \$3.09 to \$3.16 yet. Started on Gaiters, \$4.25 to \$5; Men's Machine-sewed Gaiters, \$4.25 to \$5; Men's Machine-sewed Gaiters, \$4.25 to \$5; Men's Machine-sewed Gaiters, \$4.25 to \$5; Men's Buff Alex, \$2.25 to \$2.75; Men's Pru. Cobourgs, \$1.5 to \$2.00. Boys' Work—Boys' Compress, \$1.35 to \$2; Boys' Cobourgs, \$5.50; Men's Cobourgs, \$1.5 to \$2.50; Men's Low, \$1.60 to \$1.30; Men's Prunella Sal, \$1.60 to \$1.70; Boys' Bunkums, \$1.05 to \$1.30; Men's Buff Alex, \$2.5 to \$2.75; Men's Prunella Bal, \$1.60 to \$1.30; Women's Prunella Bal, \$1.60 to \$1.50; Women's Prunella Cong., \$0c to \$2.00; Women's Pebbled and Buff Sewed, \$1.25 to \$2.50; Women's Batts, \$0c to \$1.30; Women's Batts, \$0c to \$1.30; Women's Batts, \$0c to \$1.30; Women's Calf Bals., \$1.45 to \$2.50; Women's Cong., \$1.60 to \$1.60; Women's Batts, \$0c to \$1.30; Women's Calf Bals., \$1.45 to \$1.75; Misses' Work—Batta, \$0c to \$1.10; Peb and Buff Balmorals, \$0. to \$1.60; Misses' Calf Balmerals, \$1.25 to \$2.50; Women's Calf Bals., \$1.50 to \$1.50; Misses' Calf Balmerals, \$1.50; Miss

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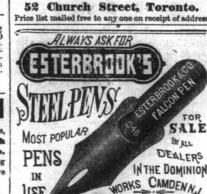
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ELECTION RIOTS IN IRELAN

Presentation From Californians Lord Beaconsfield.

Collision in the Sea of Marmo

London, Dec. 19.—Election riots curred in New Ross, Ireland, on Tues night, and many persons were woun The disturbances were caused by the H Rulers, whose candidate was defeate the election, parading the town, thro stones and otherwise disturbing the pethe police being unable to cope with the Their defeat was quite unexpected them. They carried the place at the election, when Mr. John Dunbar was turned by 225 majority. and they had

replaced an increased majority at the conservative of treatay, but the Conservative of the conservative of

ore his departure for India. LONDON, Dec. 22.-It was repor night in club and military circle Count Schouvaloff had notified the Government that the Czar intends to pose the Duke of Edinburgh as Prin Bulgaria. This proposal is intended Bulgaria. This proposal is intended special sign of the friendship of Russis wards England. Lord Beaconsfield's marks to the gentlemen who presente

address of the Californians constitute first English reply to the new and a Mark Addy, the sculler, has received Albert medal for saving thirty-seven sons from drowning. With the medal a letter from Lord Beaconsfield. A Dublin despatch says :- The Mapress startled the city this morni publishing the following circumstanti

port of an attempt to assassinate Sebastian Nolan, brother of Capt. No M. P. for Galway:—

"Another extraordinary and myster attempt at assassination was made yes day. While Mr. Sebastian Nolan, day. While Mr. Sebastian Nolan, brother of Capt. J. Nolan, one of the H Rule members of Parliament for Gal was riding in his carriage near Tu three masked assassins sprang from bel a hedge, and fired at him. The coach and horse were killed. The assassins sprang forward, seized Mr. Nolan dragged him from the carriage. He magallant resistance, but the assas knocked him down and were cruelly it ing him when they were alarmed by approach of some other persons. It fled, firing their guns as they retrea The injuries received by Mr. No. The injuries received by Mr. N. are very serious, and his condition is critical, but hopes are entertained of recovery. Up to this moment no rea able cause for the attempted ssassing has been assigned. It was even suggesthat Mr. Nolan might have been miste for another person. Captain J. Noland brother, was returned at the last elect after a very exciting canvas by a vot 512 and, it has not been supposed

unpopular in the country."
LATER,—It now turns out that the M story was a clumsy hear invented by Express for the fun of seeing what Home Rule people would say about it. LONDON, Dec. 24.—There is said to serious movement going on among working classes in many of the town the midland counties and north of Engli having fer its purpose an organized attention. for the disestablishment and disendow of the Established Church, and the a priation of its large revenues to reliev inding distress now pressing upor ople. A tentative manifesto which prepared in aid of this movement yet printed, shows that the air sums paid to the Archbishop of Car bury, the Archbishop of York, the twe six Bishops, the twenty-nine Deans and Canons of various cathedrals, amount \$1,684,000, and it is argued that thi nual sum, if invested for the ameliors of the industrial classes, would produc sults of almost incalculable eco

either the captain or his brother was a

social value. An evening paper says:—"The upreparation for Christmas festivities going on, but they are much clouded dampened by the sad condition of busi and trade, by the almost unexampled sety of the weather, and by the apprehent that the forthcoming bank statements show a desperate state of things, customary Christmas trade has been greatly curtailed, and many of the skeepers say they do not remember has eepers say they do not remembe assed through so hard a season."

A telegram from Glasgow and the State Line steamship State of Mouisi Captain Johnstone, which left this port New York on Saturday last, went as at the island of Magee, while enter Larne Lough this morning during a different fog, and will probably become a wreck. Her crew and passengers and planded.