The Dominion Savinus and Investment Society. DIVIDEND NO. 67

Notice is hereby given that a dividend at the rate of 4% per annum upon the paid-up capital stock of this society has been declared for the current nalf-year, and that the same will be payable at the offices of the society, Masonic Temple, Richmond street, London, on and after the second day of Jan-

uary, 1906. The transfer books will be closed from the 15th of December, 1905, to Jan. 2, 1906, both days inclusive. London, Dec. 14, 1905.

NATHANIEL MILLS, 98k 15 16 23 30 Manager.

Friday mornings, delivered at the

The Canadian Packing Co. LONDON JUNCTION.

LOCAL MARKET.

London, Saturday, Dec. 23. Many of the citizens expected that today's market would be the largest of the year, but the dealers and other frequenters of the market were not disappointed when the attendance did not exceed that of Thursday. Perhaps if the weather had been more favoradvanced, the attendance was in- 22c pound. creased by a large number who were PHONE 151. brought in by the different railroads. The most of those who came by train brought in baskets of poultry, butter and eggs. Sales were brisk in every line, and prices were unaltered to any

Vegetables and Roots-Potatoes sold mostly at 90c per bag. There were not my inquiries today. Sales will problery sold well at 30c to 50c per 30c to 60c per dozen. Onions were at 75c per bushel.

les-There was quite a large tity offered. There was some nice the mills; shorts, \$17 to \$18; M offered which were purchased mostly for table use. Some extra choice sold as high as \$1 and \$1 25 per bushel. Ordinary stock sold at 60c to 45c to 46c, and No. 3 at 42c to 43c, at out-90c per bag, of \$2 to \$2 50 per barrel. Sales were reported as a trifle slow. Grain-Oats were in keen demand at side.

\$1 05 to \$1 07 per ewt. The supply was very small. Wheat sold at 81c per bu. vel market.

ine was large. Sales were brisk for pound rolls, good to choice, 21c to 22c outter. There was no change in pulse tubs, 21c to 22c; do medium, 20c to 21c outter. There was no change in price. Crocks sold at 21e and 22c per pound; for pound rollsi by the basket 22c and for twins 23c were most frequently paid. Eggs Eggs-About steady, with a slump exto be easier; fresh laid sold at Te to 30e and packed at 23e to 24e

Poultry-Of course this line was the dressed, \$8. feaure of the market; there was not quite as much offered as on Thursday; most of the large buyers had laid in their stock, and this made sales a trifle slow today as most of the buying was confined to private citizens, who only purchase one or two birds; turkeys ruled at 13c to 15c per ib; most of the sales were ducks sold at 10c to per lb; geese, 10c per lb, wholesale; there were some fine geese offered, one lot averaged 16 lbs; chickers were easier, at 2c to 10c per lb; by the pair, 60c to 31.

Dressed Hogs—Not many offered, and more could be the beauty for any more could have been sold; sales were made at \$8.50 to \$8.50 per cwt. Live Hogs—There will be no shipment til Thursday: prices have not yet be settled; several carloads have been ship-ped here from Buffalo; after the New

Year the shipment of hogs in bord fro United States will be prohibited. which, no doubt, will raise prices in this

supply offered, and not a great vanted, as the butchers had laid r their supply for the Christmas trade. Farmers' Poultry.

Highest prices paid for all kinds, alive and dressed. Write today for quotations. FLAVELLES, LIMITED. 664 BATHURST STREET, LONDON.

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Trusts Company

Notice is hereby given that a

dividend at the rate of 5% per annum

for the current half year, has

been declared upon the paid-up capital stock of this company, its office on and after Tuesday the second day of January, 1906. Transfer books will be closed from the 20th to the 31st inst, inclusive.

JOHN S. MOORE,

London, Ont.

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STOCK BROKER. Stocks. Bonds, Grain and Provisions bought and sold for cash or on margins. Phone 180. Office, Market Lane. Dressed hogs, per cwt..... 8 50

LIVE STOCK. Hogs, per cwt..... 6 00

 Stags, per cwt
 1 50

 Export cattle, per cwt
 3 90

 Milch cows, each
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 Ø 50 00 POULTRY, ALIVE.

 Chickens, per pair.
 45

 Chickens, per lb.
 7½

 Hens, per pair.
 50

 Hens, per lb.
 5

 Ducks, per lb.
 7

 Turkeys, per lb.
 10

Turkeys, per lb..... FARM PRODUCE. Straw, per ton...... Straw, per load..... HIDES AND SKINS. Wool, washed, per lb..... 25 @ Wool, unwashed, per lb..... 15 @

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Ducks, per pair. 90 6 110
Ducks, per lb. 9 6 16
Geese, each. 75 6 110

T. A. Faulds PROVISION MERCHANT

Good Fresh Eggs, 24c dozen; good able the attendance would have been Cooking Eggs, 20c dozen; choice, large considerably larger. As the forenoon roll, Butter, 24c pound; second quality,

TORONTO. Dec. 23.-Grain markets are all

be brisker after the holidays.

y so'd well at 30c to 50c per bags, at outside points; domestic prices

Cabbages were in fair demand are easier, at \$3.20 to \$3.45; Manitoba, \$4.50

Millfeed-Ontaroi bran, \$16 in bulk at

side points. Peas-78c to 79c, at outside points.

per ton. There should be an extra

Rolled Oats—Barrels at \$5 and bags at

34 75, on track here; 25c more for broken
lots here and 40c more outside.

Butter—Firm and unchanged; cream-Butter and Eggs—The supply in this ery, 24c to 25c; do, solids, 23c to 24c; dairy medium, 20c to 21c; Cheese-Firm, at 13c for large and 131/2c

SUGAR MARKETS. TORONTO.

Acadia, 34 28; vellow, \$3 98; bags, 5c less; Ontario, \$4 28; bags, 15c less. NEW YORK.

New York, Dec. 22.—Sugar—Raw strong; fair refining, 31/sc; centrifugal, 96° test, %c; molasses sugar, 2%c; refined steady.

London, Dec. 22.—Raw sugar—Nominal; centrifugal, 9s 3d; Muscovado, 8s 3d; beet sugar, December, 8s 11/2d.

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OIL MARKETS.

LONDON.

Pittsburg, Pa., Dec. 22.—Oil opened and closed at \$1.58.

DAIRY MARKETS.

NEW YORK. New York, Dec. 22.-Butter-Firm; re- to those who spent so much time and

CHICAGO. Chicago, Dec. 22.-Butter-Firm: cream cries, 17c to 24½c; dairies, 17c to 20c. Cheese—Firm, 11½c to 13c.

FLAXSELD. CHICAGO.

GRAND TRUNK Shares bought and sold. Private wire system of Bartlett, Frazier & Carrington, members New York Stock Exchange, Chicago Board of Trade, etc. H. C. BECHER,

> LIVE STOCK MARKETS. OLD COUNTRY PRICES.

London. Dec. 22.-Cattle are quoted at to 111/2c per lb; refrigerator beef, 8%c;

Detroit. Dec. 22.-Beans-December. 51 57; January, \$1 57 bid; March and May,

TORONTO. Baled Straw-Quiet, at \$6 per ton for

car lots on track here. The white flag which was hoisted on to the happy youngsters. the Russian destroyer Biedvoi, when Admiral Rojestvensky surrendered to ones to receive gifts, a number of the the Japanese has been sent to Tokio. adults being remembered.

placed on exhibition in the military Anthem, and then dispersed. museum at Tokio. The top of the wireless telegraph pais, San Francisco Bay, will be 2,000 the iron interests of James J. Hill and

Hill Conveys \$3,000,000. feet above sea level, and so will the pole on a tower to be erected near Honolulu. The messages will be sent 2,100 miles.

The iron interests of James J. Hill and conveying to the United States Steel conveying to the United States Steel conveying to the United States Steel to the Mesaba Range owned by the Hill syndicate, said to represent 1,100 miles.

ANNUAL MEETING FOR TONIGHT, TRAVELERS PREPARE TO ELECT

Markham.

The committees having in charge the arrangements for the travelers



MR. C. W. McGUIRE, Very Popular Traveler, Who, if He said: Decides to Remain in the City, Will Probably Be Elected President

of the Travelers' Club.

ball to be held on Jan. 12, are working 13 Market House hard, and the affair promises to be a splendid success. Keep the date in

Mr. Douglas McPherson leaves after dull, with hardly any changes.

Wheat—Dull and unchanged; No. 2 red and white, 78c to 79c, outside; goose and spring, 74c to 75c; Manitoba, 89c for No. 1 hard. 86c for No. 1 northern, and 83c for No. 2 northern, at lake ports.

Flour—Best export bid is \$305 to \$310, friends in this section will miss him very much.

Last Market Before Christmas

Day Was Not Up to

Expectations.

The market square was not nearly as

well filled today as many would expect

keys, prices opened at 141/2 to 15 cents

that the demand was below expecta-

There was not as much buying in

Geese sold at 10 cents a pound

chickens at 9 to 10 cents a pound, and

ducks at 10 cents. Plenty was offered

railways brought large crowds of

farmers, who came principally to do

CONCERT AT BRYANSTON

Successful Affair in the Methodist

Church-Santa Claus Figured.

The Christmas tree and concert, held

on Thursday night under the auspices

of the Methodist Sunday School, was

a decided success. Much praise is due

energy in training the scholars, of

whom it must be said, they acted their

Although the night was very dis-

agreeable, a large crowd turned out,

and all available room in the church

was taken up. The decorations were

very pretty, consisting of evergreen,

holly and bunting. Mr. Wm. Dann

acted as chairman, and after his open-

ing address, an excellent programme

was presented, consisting of recita-

tions, vocal and instrumental selec-

address by Rev. Mr. Tyler.

furnished music.

tions, dialogues and a very instructive

The old favorite Hudson Orchestra

was in attendance, and the applause

and encores which followed each se-

Bryanston audience of good lively mu-

sic. Miss Powell and Mrs. Hudson also

Recitations were given by many of

humorous dialogue entitled "Women's

Rights" was given by several adults.

Selections by the Boy Chorus, and a

solo by Mr. Edward Butler, were much

appreciated, as was also a flag drill,

About 11 o'clock, when the "kiddies"

were getting anxious, a jingle of bells

was heard, and to the delight of all,

no snow, the old fellow was obliged to

make his trip in an airship. But that

did not affect his good humor, and

he was soon busy distributing presents

in which ten boys took part.

their Christmas purchasing.

75 lots were picked up.

in these lines.

on the last market day before Christ-

that of Thursday.

Mr. A. S. Savage and family, Ayl- Corson Elliott, representative of the mer, are spending the holldays in American Harrow Company, in Maseastern states, is spending Chrisimas with H. W. Lind, South Lendon.

> Mr. E. R. C. Struthers leaves Wed nesday to resume his duties as representative of Wm. Ayers & Son. of Philadelphia. His headquarters will be Indianapolis, Ind.

The annual meeting of the Travelers Club will be held this evening at 8:30 at their clubrooms. There is considerably rivalry for the several offices, and a strong executive will be chosen. The travelers were telling some experiences of hotels. Here's one:

He had ordered his dimer, and with some exertion, had dug a spoonful from the contents of the side dish. tato I usually get here." "It is different," said the waitress,

inspecting it. "It's the chunk of putty, by Canadians. for a broken window pane, that the old man has been making a fuss about for the last ten minutes. He'il be glad to get it back. Thanks."

glancing around, he skulked to the bar. Stepping up to the bartender, he "You wouldn't take a man's last

"Anybody who gets a drink here pays for it," said the bartender. 'You'd take a man's last cent?"

"You bet I would." The other sighed: "Well, I've got to have the whisky," he said. He was served with the drink. "You meant it when you said you'd take a man's last and ewe in that class. cent?" he asked. "Sure," said the bartender.

The other pitched a penny on to the bar. "Well, there it is," he said, and

bags, at outside points; domestic prices are easier, at \$3 30 to \$3 45; Manitoba, \$4 50 to \$4 80 for first patents, \$4 30 to \$4 0 for second patents, and \$4 20 to \$4 30 for CHIEF OFFERING A Novel Stock of Musical

Supplies to Choose From. Mr. J. J. Callaghan Seems to Have Found the Pulse of Christmas

Shoppers.

Christmas stocks as a rule are a bewilderment to the average citizen. The worry of buying presents is in-While the square was pretty well creased rather than lessened by the Belgium, imported this year by Duntaken up with farmers' rigs there was confusion of goods offered by most still room for more. In fact, the market as a whole was not larger than

Christmas counters, and Mr. Callion class. Major is said to be the
look to Nordheimer best Relgion stallion ever shown in

Look management of the Nordheimer best Relgion stallion ever shown in Poultry was the principal offering, Piano and Music Company, 188 Dun-Poultry was the principal offering, Plano and Music Company, 188 DunTruman's Ploneer Stud Farm, of Bushand on every hand citizens were to be
ers' lots, dressed, \$8 to \$8 50; car lots,
dressed, \$8.

Poultry was the principal offering, Plano and Music Company, 188 DunThombais got second honors in this
class. This day and London, Ont, have won a large proportion of the Shire prizes as is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. R. Pick.
Thombais got second was secured by
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dressed, \$8.

Poultry was the principal offering, Plano and Music Company, 188 DunThombais got second honors in this
class. Third award was secured by
else of the graph o make up Christmas dinners. The holiday trade. He has shown an in- breeder.

supply was in excess of the demand. sight into the public Christmas wants Shorthorn Cows. Toronto. Dec. 22.—Sugar—Prices here are unchanged; extra granulated. \$4.38; made their purchases earlier in the gathered together a most useful and horn cow won a signal victory in the week, and consequently today there artistic stock of musical instruments. aged matron ring. She was third at was an easing off in prices. For tur- In the beautiful concert hall he has the Minnesota state fair last year. on exhibition the largest and finest Prince I. to II., son of Pierce's \$10,000 a pound, but later, when it was seen assortment of new pianos ever shown Prince Ito, was adjudged champion in Canada-some of the latest designs tions, 13 cents was accepted by many. being particularly attractive. All visitors will receive a warm welquantities as on Thursday, when over

NO ELECTION THERE

All incoming trains on the various Westminster Township Chooses 1906 Council by Acclamation.

> The electors of Westminster Township will not be called upon to vote for reeve and councilors on Monday, the 1st of January.

The nominations were held at Lambeth yesterday, when the entire council was elected by acclamation. Mr. T. Hardy Shore declined to seek re-

election as reeve, and Mr. Angus Beattie, a member of this year's council, was elected in his place. Mr. Beattie's place as councilor will be taken by Mr. James Murray, a former member of both the township and county councils. The other three members of the council - Messrs. John

Crinklaw, Robert Brown and Dale,

To the Electors.

were re-elected.

My name is before you as a candidate for Public School Trustee. Having spent nine years in public school teaching (three in an ungraded, six in a graded school), I should have some knowledge of the requirements of our public schools.

For the past twenty years I have conducted in your midst what is known lection showed the appreciation of a as The Forest City Business and Shorthand College. My record is before you. I am not the nominee of any partyhave no object in view other than the best interests of our public schools, and, if elected, shall to the best of my the Sunday school scholars. A very

ability, serve you. J. W. WESTERVELT. Strathconia Salls.

Liverpool, Dec. 23. - The steamer Campania, which sails from here for New York today will take among her passengers Lord Strathcona and Mount Old Santa Claus arrived. There being Royal, the Canadian high commis-

An Emmet Dead.

New Rochelle, N. Y., Dec. 23 .- Wil-

business in 1880. At 76 years he was

still quite an athlete, and he sailed

racing yachts in the summer and ice

liam M. Jenkins Emmet, the oldest member of the Emmet family in Amer-The young people were not the only ica, and a collaterial descendant of Robert Emmet, the Irish patriot, died After the tree was stripped, the audiyesterday at his home in New Rochelle Mr. Emmet was 80 years old and was ence joined in singing the National born in New York city. His father was Judge Robert E. Emmet, the eldest son of Thomas Addie Emmet, who was the only brother of the Irish patriot and martyr. Mr. Emmet retired from

ships. 34 first and 26 second prizes. hotel, when the seediest-looking tramp

one could well imagine, came in, and cent for a drink of whisky, would Ill., won the blue ribbon for the chamthe Cotswold breeding class.

J. T. Gibson, Denfield, Ont., won firsts in the Lincoln breeding classes and also presented the champion ram

the champion ewe. Taking advantage of the 1-cent-a-

show to almost 80,000.

It was officially announced that the United States Government is determined to go ahead with its experimental work of seeking to produce a distinctly American type of general utility horse. Representatives of the Government are in Chicago to try to secure possession of the champion trotting-bred stallion, Burlingham, owned by James Hobart Moore. This animal was prepared for carriage purposes by M. H. Tichenor, who a year ago sold Uncle Sam the trotting-bred carriage horse, Carmon, for, \$10,000.

ham & Fletcher, of Wayne, Ill., was Claremont, won third money with a adjudged champion of the aged stallaghan, manager of the Nordheimer best Belgian stallion ever shown in

bull of the Angus ring. Martin's Heliotrope of Iowa won grand championship honors in the cow class, Mincome, and it would pay you to call, nesota won in the Galloway ring, Clark's imported bull. Worthy III., even if you do not intend purchasing.

> to any Britain has ever produced. Horses and cattle were examined by 350 students of the Chicago Veterinary College, in charge of Dr. Joseph Hughes. Dr. W. H. Dalrymple, veterinarian of the Louisiana College of

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pats in the winter up to last season. The winter is the winter was a miser.

MORE HONORS FOR ONTARIO BREEDERS

sachusetts, Rhode Island, and other In Splendid Exhibit of Shorthorns at Chicago.

TAKE BLUE RIBBON FOR EWES

Attendance at the Big Show Breaks All Records-Pinal Results of Sheep Judging.

Chicago, Dec. 22. - American exhibitors carried off the honors yesterternational Live Stock Show, winning "Walter," he said, "this tastes dif- the largest number of championships ferent, somehow, from the mashed po- and first and second prizes. Heretofore this honor has always been won

American exhibitors won 13 championships, 36 first and 36 second prizes. Canadian exhibitors won 7 champion-

One night a bunch of fellows were The judging of sheep ended when smoking in the sitting-room of a final awards were made in four of the breeding classes George Truesdell. Deer Park, Md., presented the champion ram, and Hastings Bros., Ontario, the champion ewe in the Leicester class. Lewis Bros., Camp Point, pion ram in the breeding Cotswold class, F. W. Harding, Waukesha, Wis., had the champion Cotswold ewe. Harding also won four first prizes in

In the breeding Hampshire classes, James West, Montpelier, Ind., had the best ram, and Telfer Bros., Paris, Ont.,

mile rate which went into effect on 8 poured into Chicago, swelling the hith-Tuesday, thousands of stockmen erto record-breaking attendance at the

America McLaughlin's Sampson De

taking the blue ribbon. Andrew Montgomery, chief of the Clydesdale horse industry in Scotland, declared the car lots and fat cattle exhibited at the exposition are superior

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and water color effects, in floral and embossed effects. Hundreds to choose from. Come early while the assortment lasts. always fresh, and our regular 15e and 20c candies are selling this week at

Agriculture, was in charge of a dele-

gation of students from that institu-

More Canadian Triumphs. Each day's judging adds new triumphs

10c a pound.

to the Canadian banner. Today the winner in the senior yearling class of Shorthorn bulls was John Dryden's Bertie Hero, the only entry of the Shade Herd, himself of Scottish the holidays home. blood, first imported into Canada over a quarter of a century ago from the Cruickshank herd at Sittyton. The championships in Shorpshires were won by Canadians-as were those in Dorset, Leicester, Delhi friends. Lincoln and Southdown sheep.

In the Clydesdale mare today, Bud Tisdale, of Beaverton, took old last year for \$700. Graham Bros., of his grandmother, Mrs. Conlin. animals

under way.

A FINANCIAL COUP. Control of Canadian Rubber Company Wrested From the Allans.

W. Stephens, M.P.P., and D. One man was also badly hurt. Lorne McGibbon, have succeeded in a big financial coup and have secured the controlling interest in the Canadian Rubber Company, without even the directors of the company knowing any-thing about their action. The capital of the company is \$1,500,000, and the control of the company has been in the Allan most alarming total of \$30, according family, and Sir Montagu Allan has been to a report issued by the deputy corpresident for some years past. The new syndicate has been buying up the stock of the company wherever they could get it, starting on Oct. 11 last buying some stock at 75, and completing their work of getting control yesterday, by securing several blocks of stock at 140. Representatives of the new syndicate cars, 51; burned to death, 26; killed by waited on the board of directors today vehicles, 14; falls, 24. and notified them that they had secured O'Brien Makes he controlling interest in the company.

the business of the company by the addi-tion of several plants. The company is the largest rubber company in Canada, and had been held by old estates for

RUN DOWN BY TRAIN Well-Known Woodstock Hotelman

Horribly Mutilated. Woodstock, Dec. 22.-Henry Hurlick, proprietor of the C. P. R. hotel in this place, was struck by an eastbound

and instantly killed.

highly respected.

of it until two young men walking Unionists. Some Liberals asked him along the track came upon the hor- to stand as a candidate on non-party ribly mutilated body of Hurlick. The grounds, He has gratefully declined entire train had passed over his body the invitations other candidates of both It is supposed that he was walking ing been already chosen.

from the temperance hotel, which he was running, to the town. Whether he was preoccupied or slipped and fell and was struck is not known. The accident occurred just past the end of New You the station platform. The late Mr. Hurlick was about 50 years old, and is survived by his wife, York two sons and one daughter. He was At Havre-La Savoie, from New York.

coroner, ordered an inquest.

Chief Zeats immediately notified Dr.

Weds Crippled Flancee. Pittsburg, Dec. 22.-James T. McCorkle, an attorney, of Pueblo, Col., and Miss Lulu May Nesbit, of Oakdale, were married here. Miss Nesbit met with a married here. Miss Nesbit met with a york.

At Copenhagen—Heilgolav, Hola New York.

At Cadiz—Buenos Ayrean, from New York. railroad accident which necessitated the amputation of one of her feet. Miss Nes-bit wired that she would release him from his engagement. His reply was to hurry to her bedside and plead that the sarily an emblem of wisdom.

Fight Over Miser's Gold. Buffalo, Dec. 22.—A fight is on in the surrogate court here relative to the appointment of an administrator of the estate of the late David McCormack, who has a brother and sister at Amherst only thing you can fill any empty bar-

ceremony be performed.

DELHI.

Delhi, Dec. 22. - Mrs. C. E. Caulton is improving slowly. Frank Burkhart has returned from

Mr. George A. Smith and wife spent Sunday in Simcoe. Bert Quance, of Toronto, is spending Mrs. Wm. Corlett, of Norwich, was

here last week. Mr. Wilson, of Conneaut, is visiting Mrs. Barnes and son Norman are

visiting Mrs. Barnes' parents at Sar-Major, one of the Beigian stallions second ribbon with Donna Roma, chamfrom the stable of King Leopold of pion at Toronto this year, who was Karl Schmidt, of Toronto, was called bought at auction in Toronto as a 2-year- home last week owing to the illness of

Mr. J. Hotson is the guest of his

Watertown, N. Y., Dec. 23.-The Windsor Hotel and several smaller fire this morning, resulting in a less o about \$50,000. Miss Jennie Baker, a milliner, an occupant of the hote Montreal, Dec. 22.-A syndicate of Mon- jumped from a third story window treal and Toronto capitalists, headed by and is believed to be fatally injured

Montreal's Fatalities.

Montreal, Dec. 23.—The fatalities

O'Brien Makes Overtures. Major Stephens, in making the announcement of the coup, stated that plans would at once be made to greatly extend is making overtures to the Farlia-The overtures have been received in a friendly spirit, but so far there has been no interview between the leaders. Mr. Redmond and John Dillon have

issued an announcement that nothing has yet resulted from Mr. O'Brien's action.

Curzon Will Not Stand. London, Dec. 22. - The bankers and train shortly before 10 o'clock tonight merchants who a few days ago invited Lord Curzon, former viceroy of India, No one appears to have witnessed to stand as a parliamentary candidate the accident, and nothing was known for the city of London, were mostly the Unionist and Liberal parties hav-

STEAMERS ARRIVED.

Dec. 21.—At Cape Race—La Lorraire from Havre; Caronia, from Liverpool Liverpool-Baltic, from New York: At Antwerp-Kroonland, from New

London-Philadelphia, from Bost Naples-Cretic, from New York. Naples-Cretic, from New York, St. Johns, Nfld.-Siberian, from McLeay of the accident, and he, as Glasgow.

Dec. 22.—At New York—Columbia, from Glasgow: La Lorraine, from Havre. At Glasgow-Montevidean, from Port-

At Liverpool-Sylvania, from Boston.
At Copenhagen-Heligolav, from New

At Moville-Furnessia, from New York.

No. Alonzo, a bald head isn't neces. Poets are born because their ances. tors escaped hanging.

Island, Ont., and scores of nephews and rel full of to make it weigh less is nieces elsewhere in Canada. McCormack was a well-known Buffalo lake captain, and amassed considerable property, but testimony.

2,100 miles.

Geese, each.....

PRODUCE MARKETS.

Oats—34c to 35c outside.

Barley—No. 2, 47c to 48c; No. 3 extra,

Buckwheat-Nominal, at 51c to 52c out-Corn-New Canadian quiet, at 42c to 44c. Chatham freights; American, No. 3 yellow, 51c, at Toronto, with 2c to 3c more A couple of loads of hay sold at \$8 50 at outside points, according to freights.

LONDON

London, Dec. 22.-Petroleum, American refined, 6%d; spirits, 8%d. ANTWERP. Antwerp, Dec. 22.-Petroleum, 19 francs PITTSBURG.

ceipts, 4,504 packages; street prices, extra creamery, 25c to 251/2c; official prices un-Cheese—Firm; receipts, 1,055 boxes; state full cream, large and small, colored and white, October, best, 13c to 134c.

Parts in a very pleasing manner.

Although the night was very agreeable, a large crowd turned

Chicago, Dec. 22.-Flaxseed-Northwest,

Bond and Stock broker. Free Press Bldg.

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HAY MARKET. Toronto, Dec. 22.—Baled Hay—Easy in tone and quoted unchanged, at \$8 per ton for No. 1 timothy, in car lots here, and

It was a tablecloth in the wardroom, the size being about 9x5. It will be