## A SAIL ON GALILEE.

That Famous Sea of Palestine Furnishes the Subject for

THE SERMON OF REV. DR. TALMAGE.

Why Jesus Himself Devoted So Much Time to This Neighborhood.

LESSONS TO BE DRAWN PROM MIRACLES

(SPECIAL TELEGRAN TO THE DISPATCH.) BROOKLYN, Nov. 30,-Dr. Talmage preached to-day the tenth of his series of sermons on his Palestine tour, describing his experiences on the lake whose waters were once stilled at the command of Christ. The sermon, which was delivered in the Brooklyn Academy of Music in the morning and as usual repeated before an enormous audience at service in New York, in the evening, was from the text: "He entered into a ship, and sat in the sen; and the whole multitude was by the sea on the land." Mark, 4: i.

It is Tuesday morning in our Palestine expeviences, and the sky is a blue Galilee above, as in the boat we sail the blue Galilee beneath. It is 13 miles long and six miles wide, but the atmosphere is so clear it seems as if I could cast a stone from beach to beach. The lake looks as from the heavens and were a section of the sea of glass that St. John describes as a part of the celestial landscape. Lake Galilee is a depression of 600 feet in which the Hiver Jordan widens and tarries a the River Jordan widens and tarries a little, for the River Jordan comes in a fits north side and departs from its southside, so this take has its cradle and its grave. Its white satin cradle is among the snows of Mr. Hermon, where the Jordan starts, and its septichre is the Dead Sea, into which the Jordan empties. Lake Come of Italy, Lake Geneva or Switzerland, Lake Lomond or Scotland, Lake Winnipesauloce of America are larger, but Lake Galilee is the greatest damend that ever dropped from the floger of the clouds, and, whether encamped on its banks as we were yesterday and worshipping at its crystal alters, or wading into shiping at its crystal altars, or wading into waves, which make an ordinary bath solemn as a baptism, or now putting out upon its spark-ling surface in a boat, it is something to talk about and pray about and sing about, until the lips with which we now describe it can neither latk nor pray nor sing.

NOT AN ANCIENT GALLEY.

Of the 229 war ships Josephus manenvered on these waters—for Josepheus was a warrier as well as a historian—there remains not one piece of a bulk, or one patch of a canvas, or one spinter of an oar. But return to America we never will until we have had a sail upon this inland sea. Not from a whart, but from a beach covered with black and white pebbles we go on board a boat of about 10 or 12 tons, to be propelled narrly by sail and partly by water. The mast leans so far forward that it seems about to fall, but we find it was purposely so built, and the rope through a pulley manages to hoist and let down the sail. It is a rough locat and as far as possible removed from a Venetian gondels or a sportsman's yacht. With a common saw and hammer and ax many of a common saw and hammer and ax many of come within speaking distance they shout at Of the 229 war ships Josephus manenvered a and let down the sail. It is a rough nd as far as possible removed from a ian gondels or a sportsman syacut. With common saw and hammer and ax many of ou could make a better one. Four bare-footed Arabs, instead of setting down to their oars, tand as they always do in rowing, and pull way from shore. I insist on helping, for there is nothing more exhibitating to one than row-ing, but I seen had enough of the clumsy ears and the awkward attempt at wielding them

and the awkward attempt at wielding them while in standing posture.

We put our overcoats and shawls on a small deck in the stern of the boat, the very kind of a deck in the stern of the boat, the very kind of a deck where Carist lay on a fisherman's coat, when of old a tempest pounced upon the fishing stance of the affirinted disciples. Oppreys and wild duck and kingfishers fly overhead or dip their wings into the lake, mistaking it for a fragment of fallen sky. Can it be that those Bobe stories about sudden storms on this lake are true? Is it possible that a sea of such seeming placedity of temper could ever rise and rage at the heavens? It does not seem as it this happy family of elements could have ever had a falling out and the water strike at the clouds and the clouds strike at the water.

Pull away, carsmen! On our right bank are the hot suiphur baths, so hot they are scalding, and the waters must cool off a long while before hand or foot can endure their temperature. Volcanoes have been boiling these waters for centuries. Four springs rol! their resources into two great swimming reservoirs. King Herod there tried to bathe off the results of his excesses, and Pliny and Josephus describe the spuriting out of these volcanicheats, and Joshua and Mones knew about them and this moment long lines of pilgrims from all ports of the earth are waiting for their turn to step into the steaming restoratives.

### SUCH ANTIPODES. Side by side are the two great characters of

this lake region: Jesus and Herod Antipas. And did any age produce any such antipodes, any such antitheses, any such opposites? Kindness and cruelty, holiness and filth, generosity and meanness, self-sacrifice and selfishness, the supernal and the infernal, midnoon and midnight. The father of this Herod Antipas was a genius at assassination. He could manu-facture more reasons for putting people out of this life than any man in all history. He sends for Hyrcanus to come from Babylon to Jerusalem to be made High Priest and slays him. He has his brother-in-law while in bathing with him drowned by the king's attendants. He slavs e, and all art, and all earth, and all re put to the utmost effort in trying to he mercy of Christ, the other blasted by the grath of God; the one full of finny tribes porting in the clear depth-, the other forever bifeless; the waters of the one sweet and pleas-ant to the taste, the other bitter and sharp and disgusting. Awful Dead Sea! Glorious Gen-

into the lake, and bringing down on Christ for permitting it the wratt of all the stock raisers of that country, because of this ruining of the pork business.

A CHANGE OF DIET NEEDED.

Infidelity scoffs at the idea that those swine should have run into the lake. But it was quite matural that under the beat and burning of that demoniac possession they would start for the water to get cooled off. Would that all the swine thus possessed had plunged to the same drowning, for to this day the descendants of some of those porcine creatures retain the demons, and as the devils were cast out of man into them, they now afflict the human race with the devils of scrotuls that comes from earth are the Israelites, because they follow the bill of fare which God in the book of Levitius grave to the human race, and our spleedid French dector. Pasteur, and our glorious German doctor. Koch, may go on with their good work of killing parnsites in the businan system, but until the world corrects its diet, and goes lack to the dwine regulation at the beginning, the human race will continue to be possessed of the devils of microbe and parasits. But I did not mean to cross over to the eastern side of Lake Galilee even in discussion.

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Full away, ye Arab oarsmen! And we come along the shore nearby which stand great precipices of brown and red, and grey limestone crowned by basalt in the sides of which are vast caverns, sometimes the biding place of bandits, and sometimes the home of honest shepherds and sometimes the dwelling place of pigeons, and valtures, and eagles. During one of Herod's wars his enceines hid in these mountain caverns and the sides were too steep for Herod's army to descend, and the attempt to climb in the face of armed men would have called down externination. So Herod had great cages of wood, from-bound made and filed them with soldiers and let them down from the top of the precipies sutil they gave signal that they were level with the caverns, and then from these cages they stepped out to the mouth of the caverns and laying act.

Bible was closed now, and it was as much as we could to do hold fast, and wish for land. If the winds and the waves had continued to increase in violence the following 15 minutes in the same ratio, as in the first five, and we had been still at their mercy, our bones would have been bleaching in the bottom of Lake Gennesaret instead of our being here to tell the story. But the same Power that resented the fishermen of old, to-day safety lauded our party. What a Christ for rough weather! All the sailor hors ought to fly to Him as did those Galifean mariners. All you in the forecastle, and all you who run up and down the allopery ratines, take to sea with you Him who with a quiet word sent the winds back through the mountain gorges. Some of you Jack Tars to whom these words will come need to "tack ship" and change your course if you are going to get across the sea of life safely, and gain the heavenly harbor, Belay there, keady about! Helm's a-lee! Mainsail hau! You have too valuable a cargo on board to run into the Goodwins or the Skerries.

"Star of peace! beam o'er the pillow
Helss the soul that sighs for thee! the winds and the waves had continued to in

cargo on board to run into the Goodwins or the Skerries.

"Star of peace! beam o'er the billow Hless the soult that sighs for thee; Bless the sailor's lonely pillow.
Far, far at sea."

Here at Capernaum, the Arabs having in their arms carried us ashore to the only place where our Lord ever had a pastorate, and we stepped amid the ruins of the church, where He preached again and again, and again, the synagogue, whose rich sculpturing lay there, not as when others see it in spring-time, covered with weeds and loathesome with reptiles, but in that Decomber weather, completely uncovered to our agitated and intense game. On one stone of that synagogue is the sculpturing of a pot of manna, an artistic commenoration of the time when the Israelites were fed by manna in the wilderness, and to which sculpturing, no doubt, Christ pointed upward while He was preaching that sermon, on this very spot, in which He said: "Not as your fathers did eat manna and are dead; he that eateth of this bread shall live forever." Wonderful Capernaum. Scene of more miracles than any place in all the earth! Blind eyes kindling with the morning. Withered arms made to pulsate, Lepers blooming into health. The dead girl reanimated.

ONE OF THE MIRACLES. These Arab tents which on this December day I find in Palestine, disappear and I see Capernaum as it was when Jesus was pastor of the church here. Look at that wealthy home, the architecture, the marble front, the upholstery, the elaves in uniform at the doorway. It is the residence of a courtier of Herod, probably Chuza by name, his wife Joanna, a Christian Chuza by name, his wife Joanna, a Christian disciple. But something is the matter. The slaves are in great excilement, and the courtier living there runs down the front steps and takes a horse and puts him at full run across the country. The boy of that nobleman is dying of typhoid fever. All the doctors have falled to rive relief. But about five miles up the country, at Cana, there is a Divine Doctor, Jesus by name, and the agonized father has gone for Him, and with what earnestness those can understand who have had a dying child in can understand who have had a dying child in the house. This courtier cries to Christ; "Come down ere my child die!" While the father is absent, and at 1 o'clock in

meet the returning father and as soon as they come within speaking distance they shout at the top of their voices: "Your boy is getting well." "Is it possible?" says the father, "When did the change for the better take place." "One o'clock." is the answer. "Why," says the courtier, "that is just the hour that Jesus said to me 'Thy son liveth.' One o'clock."

As they gather at the evening meal what gladness on all the countenances in that home at Capernaum! The mother, Joanna, has not had sleep for many nights, and she now falls off into delightful slumber. The father, Chuza, the Herodian courtier, worn out with anxiety as well as by the rapid journey to and from Cana, is soon in restful nuconsciousness. Joanna was a Christian before, but I warrant she was more of a Christian afterward. Did the father, Chuza, accept the Christ who had cured the bay? Is there in all the earth a parent so ungrateful for the convalescence or restoration of an imperiled child as not to go into a room and kneel down and make surrender to the almighty love that came to the rescue.

rescue. THE POWER OF PRAYER

The michtiest agency in the universe is prayer and it turns even the Almighty. It decides the destinies of individuals families and nations. During our sad civil war a gentleman was a guest at the White House in Washington and he gives this incident: "I had been spending three weeks in the White House with Mr. Lincoln, as his guest. One night—it was just after the battle of Bull Run—I was restlers and could not sleep. I was repeating the part which I was to take in a public performance. The hour was past midurbt. Indeed it was

and could not sleep. I was repeating the part which I was to take in a public performance. The hour was past midnight. Indeed, it was coming near to the dawn when I heard low tones proceeding from a private room where the President slept. The door was partly open. I instinctively walked in and there I saw a sight which I shall never forget. It was the President kneeling before an open Bible. The light was turned low in the room. His back was turned toward me; for a moment I was silent as I stood looking in amazement and wonder, Then he cried out in tones so pitiful and sorrowful: "Oh thou God that heard Solomon in the night when he prayed for wisdom, hear me! I cannot lead this people. I cannot guide the affairs of this nation without Thy help. I am poor and weak and sinful. Oh God who dids, hear Solomon when he cried for wisdom, hear me and save the nation." You see we don't need to go back to Bible times for evidence that prayer is heard and answered.

But some one may say that Christ at Capernaum healed that courtier's child, yet He would not have done it for one in humble life. Why, in that very Capernaum He did the same thing for a dying slave, belonging to the man who had made a present to the town of the church of which Jesus was the pastor, the synagogue among whose ruins I to-day leap from frequent to fragment. This was the cure of a Roman soldier's slave, whose only acknowledged rights were the wishes of his owner. And none are now so enslaved or so humble or sick or so sinful, but the all-sympathetic Christ is ready to help then, ready to cure them, ready to emancipate them. Hear it! Pardon for all. Heaven for all, the synagogue pathizing with the sick, and raising the dead, ment for Christ it must have been after sym-pathizing with the sick, and raising the dead, and preaching to the multitudes all day long to come down on these banks in the night-time and feel the cool air of the sea on His hot face, and look up to the stars, the lighted lamps around the heavenly palaces from which He

CALILEE THEN AND NOW.

we will not attempt to cross to the eastern side of this lake, as I had thought to do, for those regions are inhabited by a thieving and murderous race, and one must go thoroughly armed, and as I never shot anyone and have no ambition to be shot, I sai; "Let us stay by the western shere." But we look ever to the hills of Gadara, on the other side, down which 2,000 awine, after being possessed by the devil, ran into the lake, and bringing down on Christ for permitting it the wrath of all the stock raisers of that country, because of this ruining of the pork business.

GALILEE THEN AND NOW.

"But," says some one, "why was it that Christ toming to save the world should spend so much of His time on and around so solitary a placeas Lake Galilee? There is only one city of any size on its beach, and both the Western and Eastern shores are a solitude, broken only by the sounds coming from the mud bovels of the degraded. Why did not Christ begin at Carbo the historic, at Theles the hundred-park business.

"Here mingling blood with pure and sparkling foam, In her last throcs Judies fought with Rome." Upon those sea fights looked Vespasian, and Titus and Trajan, and whole empires. From one of these naval encounters so many of the dead floated to the beach, they could not soon bandits, and sometimes the binne of honest stephierds and sometimes the dwelling place of orgeons, and vultures, and cagles. During one of Herod's wars his enemies hid in these mountain caverns and the sides were too steep for Herod's army to descend, and the attempt to climb in the face of armed men would have great cages of wood, iron-bound, made and filed them with solidlers and let them down from the top of the precipines until they gave signal that they were level with the caverns, and then from the secapes they stepped out to the mouth of the caverns and taving set enough grass and wood on fire to fill the caverns with ameake and strangulation, the hidden people would come forther than submit to the attacking army, flung his wife and seven children down the precipice, and then leaped and the form the forber of DANGER.

I had all along that morning been reading from the New Testament the story of occurrences on, and around that lake. But our

## A REVIEW OF TRADE.

Bad Weather the First Part of November and Tight Money,

THE LAST ADVERSE TO JOBBERS. Cereals and Produce Are Now Certainly

Down to Bed Rock. HIDES LOWER AND LEATHER QUIET

OFFICE OF PITTSBURG DISPATCH, SATURDAY, Nov. 29, 1890.

Produce and Cereals. In lines of country produce trade has been unusually quiet since Thanksgiving. The faith of shippers of poultry to Pittsburg markets proved too strong this week, and commission men have abundance left over, which will prove a loss. The month of November, of which this is the last business day, has not been very satisfactory to obbers in any line. The first 20 days of the month were about as dismal as steady rains could make thom, and the last 10 days, though bright and pleasant, have been clouded by financial storms, and a tight money market. With depression of stocks and financial uncertainties which prevail of late, buyers are very naturally inclined to pursue the hand-tovery naturally inclined to pursue the hand-tomouth policy, and hence transactions are light.

In the lines of cereals and general produce
markets have been slow and drooping for the
past week. Receipts of cereals are heavy and
sales light, with the general situation in favor
of the buyer. The stock of flour in the hands
of Pittsburg jobbers is unu-ually large, prohably never larger, and while prices are maintained outwardly, there is little doubt that
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At sources of supply flour is firmly held and
they who sell under present quotations will
find it difficult to replace stock to advantage.
All along cereal lines bottom is certainly
reached and blessed is the jobber who can hold
on a little longer, as he is certain to reap a
good harvest. In produce lines the strong
factors are potatoes and apples. Both have
shown an upward tendency the past few weeks,
and prospects are for still higher prices. There
has been no marked change in dairy preducts for several weeks past. Country butter
of any quality below fancy brands
is very poor stock and prices are only
nominal. Consumers prefer oleo to butter
that has a taint of suspicion on it. Even the
best creamery butter is quiet, and while prices
are maintained the demand has been unusually
light all this season. The prices of choese
which ruled at the beginning of the month prevail at the close. Provisions will stand for the which ruled at the beginning of the month pre-vail at the close. Provisions will stand for the week to come at the same figures as prevailed the last week. Packers are strong in the faith that bottom price of ham and lard has been reached, and that any future changes must be upward. The run of hogs, both here and Chicago, has fallen off the past week, and prices are 25c per cwt. above the lowest point.

lowest point.

At the local stock yards markets this week were the best of the season.

All offerings of cattle were promptly taken, at an advance of 10c to 20c per cwt. over last week's prices. With a clearing of financial skies prospects are good for a prosperous season to jubbers of produce and cereals. Hides and Leather.

Buff hides are now down within 1/4c per lb of the lowest price reached last spring, when they were lower than they had been since before the war. For a number of weeks past there has been a steady decline of about 1/2c each week. Tanners and hide dealers are now paying from 41%c to 5c per B for buff hides and 71%c to 79%c for heavy steer hides, according to selection, quality, condition and freight points. Calf skins are holding up fairly well, but they, too, are a shade lower and weaker the past few weeks. The late decline in stocks and financial uncertainties have aggravated the depression which already prevailed in the hide trade. Advices from Bostoo, which is the Eastern center of the hide and leather trade, indicate the same situation there as here.

Said a representative of one of the leading tanneries of Allerhony: "Light hides are now almost to their lowest point for a generation or more, and it looks as if bottom was hardly reached. As to leather trade, demand is light, but we always look for quietness at this season of the year. There is little accommitation of stock in harness or sole leather lines, and prices remain unchanged. We look for no active movement now until after the new year opens." for heavy steer hides, according to selection,

### LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Condition of Trade at the East Liberty Stock Yards.

By Telegraph.

OMAHA—Cattle—Receipts, 1,500 head; market on beeves very active and 15@35c higher than last week; butchers' stock active and 20@30c higher than last week; feeders scarce and steady with little demand; the quality is good and some prime steers among them sold at \$5 15; fancy 1,400 pound steers, \$4 00@4 15; extra fair to good 1,200 to 1,350 pound, \$3 00@4 15. Hors—Receipts, 11,000 head; market slow and 10@15c lower; rance, \$3 25@3 75; bulk at \$3 55@3 60; pigs, \$1 00@2 5c; light, \$3 25@3 65; heavy, \$3 50; 63 75; mixed, \$3 30@3 63. Sheep—Receipts, 500 head; unchanged; natives, \$2 30@3 40; Westerns, \$2 00@4 00.

CINCINNATI—Bogs in better supply and

CINCINNATI-Bogs in better supply and Cincinnati—Bigs in better supply and steady; common and light, \$3 30@3 70; packing and butchers' \$3 55@4 60; receipts, 6,150 head; shipments, 2,100 head. Cattle in light demand and easy; common. \$1 25@2 00; fair to choice butchers' grades, \$2 25@3 75; choice shippers, \$4 60@4 50; receipts, 620 head: shipments, 500 head. Sheep—Demand light; market easy; common to choice, \$2 50@4 75; extra fat wethers and yearlings, \$4 75@5 00; receipts, 340 head; shipments, 370 head. Lambs—Spring in fair demand and steady; good to choice shipping, \$5 25@5 75; common to choice butchers', \$4 60@5 75 per 100 pounds.

CHICAGO - Cattle - Receipts, 3,500 head CHICAGO — Cattle — Receipts, 3.500 head; market steady to strong; steers, \$3.50@ 4.40; native burchers' stock, \$1.00@3.00; Texas cattle, \$1.50@3.25. Hegs — Receipts, 40,000 head; shipments, 58,000 head; medium and fair packers 10@15c higher: light, 20c lower; mixed, \$3.50@3.50; heavy packers, \$3.70@3.80; hight, \$5.00@3.70. Sheep—Receipts, 6,000 nead; shipments, 3,000 head; market steady; natives, \$4.00@4.80; Texans, \$4.00@4.50; Westerns, \$8.50 @4.75; lambs, \$4.50@4.75.

@4 75; lambs, \$4 50@4 75. ST. LOUIS—Cattle—Receipts, 600 head; shri ST. LOUIS—Cattle—Receipts, 600 head; shipments, \$400 head; market strong; good to fancy native steers, \$44065 00; fair to good, \$3 8564 50; stockers and feeders, \$2 0929 2 90; Texan and Indian steers, \$2 2563 60. Hogs—Receipts, 2,800 head; shipments, 3,000 head; market lower; fair to choice heavy, \$3 80 62 90; mixed grades, \$3 3063 75; light, fair to best, \$3 4563 55. Sheep—Shipments, 1,000 head; market steady; good to choice, \$4 0065 00. KANSAS CITY—Cattle—Receipts, 2707 head; shipments, 1,470 head; market steady. steers, \$3 40@4 75: cows, \$2 05@2 60; stockers and feeders, \$2 00@3 10. Hogs—Receipts, 11,360; shipments, none; market 10c lower; bulk, \$3 50@3 65: all grades, \$3 00@3 85. Sheep—Receipts, 1,640 head; shipments, none; market steady and unchanged.

INDIANAPOLIS—Cattle—Receipts, 1,000 head; market active; shippers, \$3 25@4 50; butchers, \$1 1963 06; bulls, \$1 50@2 60. Sheep—Receipts, 500 head; market active; sheep, \$2 50@4 50; lambs, \$4 00@5 50. Hogs—Receipts, 12,000 head; market lower; choice heavy, \$3 90@4 00; choice light, \$3 40@3 65; mixed, \$3 50@3 80; pigs, \$2 00@3 90.

BUFFALO-Cattle steady; receipts, 101 loads through, 9 sale. Sheep and lambs active, firm, higher, receipts, 4 loads through, 12 sale; sheep, cholee to extra, \$6 0005 30; good to choice, \$4 75.64 95; lambs, choice to extra, \$6 1006 40; good to choice, \$4 7506 65. Hogs slow and lower; receipts, 66 loads through, 173 sale; mediums, heavy and mixed, \$3 75.

New York Coffee Market. NEW YORK, Nov. 29.—Coffee options steady and 5 points down to 5 up. Naies, 16,250 hags, including December, 17,25@17.30c; January. 18,45@18.50c; February, 18,90c; March, 15,40 @18,45c; May, 15,15@15.25c. Spot Rio quiet and firm; fair cargoes, 19%c; No 7, 17%c.

Drygoods. New York, Nov. 29.—Extreme quiet pre-vailed in the drygoods market to-day. A more active market is looked for during the next two works. There was no change of any kind, prices remaining steady and still showing but little accumulation.

Mining Stocks. New York, Nov. 29.—Alice, 175; Consolidated California and Virginia, 340; Homestake, 800; Horn Silver, 325; N. Commonwealth, 125; Standard, 100.

Metal Markets, NEW YORK-Pig iron neminal; American, \$16018.

## MARKETS BY WIRE.

The Trend of Prices in the Grain Pit Still Downward - A Decline in All the Cereals, and Also in Provisions.

CHICAGO—The grain and provision markets opened weak and lower than they closed on Friday, and while the day's business had a few hard spots interspersed the final result was a decline in all the speculative articles. The leading futures ranged as follows, as cor-rected by John M. Oakley & Co., 45Sixth street, members Chicago Board of Trade:

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Flour unchanged. No. 2 spring wheat, 92@ 92%; No. 3 spring wheat, nominal; No. 2 red, 62@92%; No. 2 corn, 50c; No. 2 cars, 43@43%; No. 2 ryc, 60c; No. 2 barley, 78c; No. 1 flaxseed, \$1 19. Prime timothy seed, \$1 21@1 22 Mess pork, per bbl, \$0 00. Lard, per 100 lbs, \$5 85. Short ribs sides (loose), \$5 25@5 30; dry salted shoulders (boxed), \$4 75@4 87%; short clear sides (boxed), \$4 75@4 87%; short clear sides (boxed), \$4 50@5 80. Sugars unchanged. No. 2 white cats, 44%; No. 3 white cats, 44c; No. 3 barley, f. o. b., 62@80c; No. 4 f. o. b., 58@ 70c. Flour unchanged. No. 2 spring wheat, 92@

No. 3 barley, f. o. b., expect: No. 11. c. b., one 70c.
On the Produce Exchange to-day the butter market was easier and prices lower: creamery, extra. 252(26:: girra firsts, 252(24:: firsts, 1922)c; firsts, 152(1c. Eggs firm at 252(24c.

NEW YORK-Flour quiet and unchanged: low grades in moderate demand. Cornmeal steady: moderate demand; yellow Western, \$2 50@3 20. Wheat-Spot market dull; weaker MEW YORK—Flour quiet and unchanged: low grades in noderate demand; vellow Western, \$25063 20. Wheat—Spot market dull: weaker on winter and spring: No. 2 red, \$1 63% elevator; \$1 04/201 04/2 afloat; \$1 04/201 04/2 (10/2) afloat; \$1 04/2 (10/

Was no demand for round lots of dry salt meats to arrive, and only a small spot business in bacon and dry salt meat was reported. Pork, \$11 25. Lard, \$5.78. Dry salt meats—Boxed shoulders, \$4.25, @4.75; longs and ribs, \$5.60; clear, \$6.25; longs and ribs, \$5.60; clear, \$6.25; longs and ribs, \$5.60; clear, \$6.25; longs and ribs, \$6.60; longs and ribs,

THE Bostonians follow the Emma Juch Grand Opera Company at the Duquesne Theater. The repertoire includes "Luzette." "Robin Hood," "Fatinitza" and "Bohemian Girl." LOTTA will follow "The Sea King" at the Billon. She will present her

Bijou. She will present her new musical comedy "ina" all the week except on Saturday evening, when she will be seen in "Musette." "SHENANDOAH." Bronson Howard's grand military drama, will be seen here before the holidays. It will be presented in all its com-pleteness that is characteristic of all the Froh-man enterprises.

The Christmas attractions at the three prin-

cipal theaters will be as follows: Lawrence Barrett at the Duquesne, Maggie Mitchell at the Brjon, and Elsie Leslie in "Prince and Pauper" at the Grand Opera House. MINSTRELSY follows Cora Tanner at the Grand. W. S. Cleveland's Consolidated Com-

panies are announced for the week beginning December 8. Billy Emerson, Barney Fagan, Hughey Dougherty, Luke Schoolcraft, Griffin and Marks, Fields and Hanson and the Crang family are announced as among the stellar lights with this party.

The Ladies Delighted. The pisasant effect and the perfect safety with which ladies may use the liquid fruit laxative. Syrup of Figs, under all conditions make it their favorite remedy. It is pleasing to the eye and to the taste, gentle yet effectual in acting on the kidneys, liver and bowels.

## DOMESTIC MARKETS.

Over Supply of Poultry and Prices Lowest of the Season.

GENERAL PRODUCE TRADE QUIET.

Tightness of Money Causes Retailers to Buy Sparingly.

A FREE MOVEMENT OF GROCERIES

OFFICE OF PITTSBURG DISPATCH, SATURDAY, November 29, 1890. Country Produce-Jobbing Prices. Markets are overstocked with poultry and prices are the lowest of the season. Several thousand pounds were unloaded yesterday by commission men at mere nominal prices. Fresh eggs are a shade bigher. Nearby stock is very scarce. Creamery and country butter are quiet. There is a good demand for choice apples and potatoes, and markets are likely to advance before long in both lines. All commission men report quiet trade since Thanks giving. The approach of settlement day has much to do with present quietness. Retailers uniformly buy sparingly at the close of the month, as all purchases made on the last days of the month are payable on the first of the in-

of the month are payable on the first of the in-coming month.

APPLES—53 50@4 50 a barrel.

BUTTER—Creamery, Elzin, 31@32c; Ohio do, 27@25c; common country butter, 10@15c; choice country rolls, 18@30c; fancy country rolls, 25@25c.

country rolls, 18@20c; fancy country rolls, 23@25c.

FRUITS—Grapes, Concords, 23@25c a basket: Catawbas, 30@35c; cranberries, \$3 00 a box; California quinces, \$2.75 a box.

BEANS—New crop neans, \$2.50@2.55; marrowfat, \$2.00@2.75; Lima beans, 66@4c.

BEESWAX—28@30c \$ b for choice: low grade, 22@25c.

CIDER—Sand refined, \$9.00@10.00; common, \$5.00@5.50; crab cider, \$12.00@13.00 \$ barrel; cider vinegar, 14@15c \$ galion.

CHEESE—Ohlo choese, fall make, 10%c: New York cheese, 10%@11c; Limburger, 12%g13%c; domestic Sweitzer, 13%g14c; Wisconsan brick Sweitzer, 14; imported Sweitzer, 27%c.

EGGS—22@23c for Western stock: 17@28c for strictly fresh nearby eggs.

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FEATHERS-Extra live geese, 50@60c; No. 1 40@45c; mixed lots, 30@35c \( \mathbf{R} \) in May-Mailard ducks, \$5 00@5 50 a dozen, Butter ducks, \$2 00@2 50 a dozen; pheasants; \$5 00@5 50 a dozen; squirrels, \$1 75@2 00 a dozen; woodcocks, \$4 25@4 50 a dozen; quail, 75c@81 00; rabbits, 25@30c a pair; venison saddles, 15@18c a pound; whole venison, 10@12c a pound, HONEY-New crop white clover, 20@22c \( \mathbf{R} \) in MAPLE \$70@25c a can; maple sugar, \$2000 \( \mathbf{R} \) in MAPLE \$70.000 \( \mathbf{R} \) in Mathbf{R} in M

HONEY—New crop white clover, 20@22c \$\ \mathbb{B}\$,

MAPLE SYRUP—75@35c a can; maple sugar,

9@10c \$\mathbb{B}\$.

NUTS—Chestnuts, \$\ 350@4 00 a bushel; walnuts, 70@75c a bushel; shell bark hickory nuts,
\$\ 150@1 75 a bushel.

POULTEX—Spring chickens, 40@50c a pair;

old, 65@70c a pair; dressed, 11@13 a pound;

ducks, 50@70c a pair; dressed ducks, 11@12c a

pound: live turkeys, 9@10c a pound; dressed

turkevs, 10@13c: live geese, 50@65c apiece;

dressed geese, 9@10c a pound.

TALLOW—Country, 4c: city,rendered, 5c.

SEEDS—Recleaned Western clover, \$\ 500@

5 25: country medium clover, \$\ 400@4 25; timothy, \$\ 150@1 55; blue grass, \$\ 250@3 00; orchard

grass, \$\ 150 \text{imility} 150; Jamaica oranges, \$\ 500@

65.50 a barrel: Florida oranges, \$\ 400@4 50 \text{a box};

bananas, \$\ 150 \text{ firsts}, \$\ 100 \text{ good} \text{ seconds}, \$\ \text{ box};

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bananas, \$\ 150 \text{ firsts}, \$\ 100 \text{ good} \text{ seconds}, \$\ \text{ box};

bunch; California peaches, \$\ 200@2 50 \ \text{ box};

malaga grapes, \$\ 550@8 50 \ \text{ half barrel, ac
cording to quality; California plums, \$\ 200@2 25

\$\text{ box}; tox, \$\ 100 \text{ good} \text{ figs.}

17c \(\text{ bi: dates, }\ 5@06c \text{ m.}

VEGETABLES—Potatoes, \$\ 100@4 50 \text{ box}; tox,

\$\ 50@4 00; cabbage, \$\ 4 00@3 50 \text{ a bushel; parsnips,}

\$\ 35c \ a dozen; carrots, 30c \ a dozen; parsley, 10c \ a dozen; spinach, 35c \ a bushel; horseradish, 50@

75c \ a dozen; lettuce, 25c \ a dozen; parsley, 10c \ a dozen; spinach, 35c \ a bushel; horseradish, 50@

Staples are steady, and prices are practically as they were at the beginning of the week. With a week of favorable weather following a month or two of rain, orders are coming in more freely than for some time past. The principal drawback to trade is slowness of col-GREEN COFFEE-Fancy Rio, 2414@2514c;

choice Rio, 2234@2334c; prime Rio, 23c; low grade Rio, 2034@2134c; old Government Java, grade Rio, 2034@2115c; old Government Java, 2034@30c; Maracaibo, 2534@275c; Mocha, 30@32c; Santos. 22@25c; Caracas, 25@27c; La Guayra, 25@27c.

Roasted (in papers)—Standard brands, 25c; binh grades, 25@305c; old Government Java, bulk, 35@345c; Maracaibo, 25@29c; Santos, 20@30c; peaberry, 30c; choice Ro. 25c; prime Rio, 25c; good Rio, 24c; ordinary, 215.@2234c.

SPICES (whole)—Cloves, 15@16c; alspice, 10c; cassia, 8c; pepper, 13c; nutureg, 75@80c.

PETROLEUM (jobbers' prices)—110° test, 74c; Ohio, 120°, 83c; headight, 150°, 83c; water white, 105c; globe, 14@145c; elaine, 145c; carnadine, 115c; rodo; purity, 14c.

nadine, 11/4c; royaline, 14c; red oil, 11/211/4c; purity, 14c.

Miners' OIL—No. I winter strained, 43/345c mgallon; summer, 38/340c; lard oil, 55/38c.

Syrup—Corn syrup, 39/32c; choice sugar syrup, 37/34ic; prime sugar syrup, 32/33c; strictly prime, 35/38c.

N. O. Mollasses—Fancy, new crop, 46/248c; fancy oild, 45/246c; choice, 43c; medium, 35/3640c; mixed, 40/242c.

Soda—Bi-carb in kegs, 3/4/34c; bi-carb in 1/4s, 5/4c; bi-carb assorted packages, 5/4/36c; sal soda in kegs, 13/c; do granulated, 2c.

CANDLES — Star, full weight, 9c; stearine, 3/4 set, 5/4c; paraffine, 11/2/2c; choice, 6/4/26c; prime, 6/3/6/3c; Lauisiana, 5/4/3/6c; Starch, 6/4/27c; gloss starch, 6/4/27c. 

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cash, 64c bild, Hutter steady and unchanged.
Eggs firm at 20c. Hay steady and unchanged.
CINCINNAII — Flour duil. Wheat scarce and firm: No.2 red, 86c. Corn active; No.2
mixed, 32@55c. Oats firm: No. 2 mixed, 48c.
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Rye firm; No. 2 fred, 86c. Stead and baconsteady. Butter quitet, Eggs easier at 2c.
Cheese in mederate demand.

DULUTH—Wheat was again dull and weak, closing 45c lower than yesterday. Receipts were 185 cars. Closing quotations were as follows: 13½c for December; \$1 01 for May: 13½c for No. 2 Northern, cash: 83½c for No. 2 Northern, No. 2 white, on track, 54c. Oats quiet; cnsh, 48c. Cloversed active; cash \$100 December; \$407½c; January, \$112.

TOLEDO—Wheat lower: cash and December, 85½c; No.1 sorted \$6c; May, 55½c; Oats quiet; cnsh, 48c. Cloversed active; cash \$100 December, \$407½c; January, \$112.

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MINNEAPOLIS—No.1 hard, November, 35c; on track, 56c. No. 1 Northerr, November, 35c; on track, 58c.

\*\*Wool Market.\*\*

St. LOUIS—Wool-Receipts, 16,100 pounds; market quiet and steady.

\*\*Wool Market.\*\*

\*\*STAGE NOTES.\*\*

The Bostonians follow the Emma Juch Grand Opera Company at the Duquesne Theater. The repertoire includes "Luzette," "Robin Hood," "Fatinitza" and "Bohemian Girl."

LOTTA will follow "The Sea King" at the Bijou. She will presson ther new musical comedy "ina" all the week excent on Saturday and and accept the same and accept to th

OATMEAL-\$7@7 25% bbl. Grain, Flour and Feed.

There was but one sale on call at the Grain Exchange, namely: a car of No. 2 timothy hay at \$7 50, 5 days, Baltimore and Ohio. Receipts as bulletines, 37 cars. By Pittsburg, Ft. Wayne and Unicago, 3 cars of oats, 2 of middlings, 2 of haf, 5 of corn, 2 of flour. By Pittsburg, Cincinnati and St. Louis, 1 car of rye, 2 of hay, 6 of corn, 4 of oats, 1 of bran. By Pittsburg and Lake Erie, 1 car of middlings, 4 of rye, 1 of hay, 2 of corn, 1 of flour. Cereal markets are in the same quiet condition as they have been for some days past. The flurry in stocks and tightness of money have no doubt had some-thing to do in creating the present quietness. Old ear corn is very scarce. Common and low grade hay is too plenty, and markets are very dull. High grades are steady. Prices are for carload lots on track: WHEAT—No 2 red, \$1 02@1 03; No. 3, 98c@ \$1 00.

\$1 00. CORN-No. 1 yellow ear, old, 70@71c; No. 2 CORN-No. 1 yellow ear, old, 70@71c; No. 2 yellow ear, old, 60@70c; now ear, 56@57c; high mixed ear, old, 60@67c; No. 1 yellow sitelled, 64%@65c; No. 2 yellow, shelled, 65%@64c; high mixed shelled corn, 62@62%c.

CATS-No. 1. 52%@53c; No. 2 white, 51%@52c; extra, No. 3, 50@50%c; mixed oats, 48@49c. RYE—No. 1 Pennsylvania and Ohio, 76@77c;
No. 1 Western, 74@75c.
FLOUR—Jobbing prices—Fancy spring and winter patent flour, 26 00@6 25; fancy straight winter, \$5 50@5 50; fancy straight spring, \$5 50% 50; fancy straight XXXX bakers', \$4 70@5 00. Rye flour, \$4 25@4 50; Buckwheat flour, 2½@3½c 2 B.

MILLFEED—No. 1 white middlings, \$25 00@2 25 50 \$2 ton; No. 2 white middlings, \$22 00@2 300; brown middlings, \$20 00@2 100; winter wheat bran, \$18 50@19 00.

HAY—Baled timuthy, choice, \$10 75@11 00; No. 1, \$10 00@10 25; No. 2 do, \$7 50@8 00; loose from wagon, \$12 00@13 00, according to quality; No. 2 prairie hay, \$7 25@7 50; packing do, \$7 00.

STEAM—Oat \$6 50@7 00; wheat and we \$6 00.

The local money market ruled strong the past week, Calls from merchants and manu-

STRAW-Oat, \$6 50@7 00; wheat and rye, \$6 00

Provisions.

Sugar-cured hams, large, 13c; sugar-cured hams, medium, 101/4c; sugar-cured hams, small, 1634c; sugar-cured breakfast bacon, 834c; sugar-cured shoulders, 634c; sugar-cured boncless cured shoulders, 0%c; sugar-cured boneless shoulders, 8%c; skinned shoulders, 7%c; skinned hams, 16%c; sugar-cured California hams, 7c; sugar-cured dried beef flats, 9c; sugar-cured dried beef rounds, 12c; bacon, shoulders, 7%c; bacon, clear sides, 7%c; bacon, clear sides, 7%c; bacon, clear sides, 6%c; dry sait shoulders, 6%c; dry sait clear sides, 6%c. Mess pork heavy, 512 50; mess pork, family, 512 50. Lard—Refined, in tierces, 5%c; half-harrels, 5%c; 60-5 tubs, 5%c; 20-5 pails, 6%c; 50-5 tin pails, 6%c; 55-5 tin pails, 6%c; 55-6 tin pails, 6%c; 56-6 tin pails, 5%c. Smoked sausage, long, 5%c; targe, 5c; farge, 5c. Fresh pork, links, 9c. Boneless hams, 10%c. Plgs feet, half-barrels, \$4 60; quarter-barrels, \$2 15.

### NEW YORK STOCKS.

Market Opens Irregular, Rules Quiet and Closes Lower on Almost All Shares-What Becomes of Specie From the

Banks a Puzzling Question. NEW York, November 29 .- To-day's market was very quiet, especially for Saturday. The powers of depression went to work, and, with some liquidation of long accounts, prices drooped all along the line, while the properties to which the bears paid particular attention were decidedly weak, and scored marked losses as the result of the day's operations.

London had no buying orders this morning, and the market, while very quiet at the opening, was inclined to continue the downward novement of yesterday afternoon, but Sugar was up I per cent on the report of the deposit of the Mathiessen stock, and rose 13/2 per cent farther to 60.

The general list opened irregular and shaded off slightly, and when the denial of the deposit of the certificates reached the street, Sugar dropped away sharply, nearly 3 per cent, and the general list followed. The bears attacked Lackawanna and Union Pacific, with Atchison and St. Paul, and each of those stocks dropped about 11 per cent while Glaveland. Claratery

Lackawanna and Union Pacific, with Atchison and St. Paul, and each of those stocks dropped about 1½ per cent, while Cleveland, Clincinasti, Chicago and St. Louis lost over 2, and Wheeling and Lake Eric preferred even more.

The buying was of a good character, but could not stem the tide of the offerings of short stock, and the decline was not checked, the market closing weak at about the lowest prices, though there were a few feeble rallies toward the end of the session, but they had no influence upon the general list.

The Post says: Technically the bank statement was favorable, because it showed an increase in the surplus reserve, and also because the liquidation of loans nearly corresponds to the decrease of deposits, but the continued loss of specie indicates a drain to some quarter which has continued for months, and in the last month has taken nearly \$7,000,000 of specie out of the New York banks. None of it has gone to Europe, and the question as to where it does go is as puzzling as the one as to what has become of the \$22,000,000 of currency put out by the Treasury in September and October. While the banks of New York, Boston and Philadelphia are obliged to resort to clearing house certificates, and the banks of Chicago are said to be discussing the same policy, it is apparent that the vast increase of circulating capital is not lodged in banks.

The following table shows the prices of active stocks on the New York Stock Exchange yesterday. Corrected daily for The Dispractic by WHITNEY & STEPHENSON, oldest Pittaburg members of New York Stock Exchange, & Fourth avenue:

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Boston Stocks. 

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Philadelphia Stocks.

IN BAD SHAPE

Local Stocks Find Another Bottom

and had no bids.

There was nothing new in conditions. The well-worked rumors of the past work or two were bandled about. Even the Gasers had their friends. The slump was mainly due to the difficulty of getting money on stock collateral and to the weakness of the Eastern markets. The close was generally at or near the lowest point of the week. Brokers were by no means confident that bottom had been touched. That depends upon the financial standing of

The local money market ruled strong the past week, Calls from merchants and manufacturers were promptly responded to, but the common herd got very little comfort and less money. The inability of outsiders to borrow was the main cause of the depression in stocks. Everything else held its own,

The business situation, as shown by Clearing House reports, is all right. It has not even been touched by the hem of the "pania." Bank clearings the past week, five days, were over \$5,000,000 in excess of the corresponding week of last year. The month also shows up hand-somely. Some encouraging figures are appended:

### MUSICAL SCRAPS OF INTEREST. ADELE AUS DER OHE is making a tour of the

Pacific coast. JOHANNES BRAHMS has composed a new

THE New York Chorus Society will give "The Golden Legend" at the Lenox Lyceum, December 4.

RUBENSTEIN'S latest—a new volume of songs, ten in number—has just been published by Barthold Senff, of Leipsic, as Anton Rubin stein's op. 115. The Lieder are mostly written for a high voice. MR. LEOPOLD GODOWSKI, who was a prodigy planist but has redeemed himself by five years

of foreign study, returned to New York a fort-night ago and has won remarkable praise for his virtuosity and varying opinious as to the higher qualities of head and heart.

It is understood that Mr. D'Oyly Carte has now decided, if all his preparations are completed at that date, to open his new theater in Cambridge Circus, England, with Sir Arthur Sullivan's new opera, "Ivanhoe," on December 18. They say that Gilbert and Sullivan have decided to make friends and joint operettas again. What fine "ads" the many recent obituary notices on their now resuscitated copartnership will make! THE National Conservatory of Music of America has added to its faculty as professor of violin, Mme. Camilla Urso, who is particu-

larly interested in conservatory work. It is well known that, according to the rules of the Paris Conservatory, boys only were admitted to its violin classes until the talent of Camilla Urso was recognized by Auber, the director. Since then the conservatory has opened its loors to all girls of promise. HERE XAVER SCHARWENKA, the eminen? pianist and composer, will make his first ap-pearance at the New York Metropolitan Opera House on the evening of January 24. Herr Scharwenka will have the assistance of Mr. Anton Seidl and the Metropolitan Orchestra, together with a grand chorus of mixed voices and several distinguished soloists. Here is just the man to fill W. T. Best's place in the Star course: Pittsburg must hear Scharwenka at all hazards.

at all hozards. FRANCHETTI'S "Asrael," which had its first A merican production at the opening of the German opera season in New York last Wednesday, was conceded to be an interesting example of the modern Italian school with its example of the modern Italian school with its strongly Wagnerian tendencies, but not suffi-ciently inspired to claim high and permanent rank. Mr. Stanton's new singers in this cast were well received and pronounced an im-provement upon last year's importations. Next Friday will witness the American first-night of another opera in the same category, Smareg-lia's "Vassal of Szigeth."

MR. FRANZ WILCZEK, a not infrequent visitor to Pittsburg, where he made his temporary home on first coming to America, apsubject of an excellent portrait out and the fol-lowing well-earned praise: "Mr. Wilczek posseslowing well-carned praise: "Mr. Wilczek posses-ses a beautiful tone, his technic is polithed and his style impas-ioned and full of verve. He has played with overwhelming seccess at many of the musical festivals throughout the country, and is in constant request at such concerts as Thomas and other leading musical organiza-tions. He played in the Taunton Festival last week and was highly praised by the Boston newspapers. Mr. Wilczek has a bright future before him."

THE cantata "Ruth" will be given at the Sixth Avenue Theater in Beaver Falls on Thursday and Friday evenings next, and a particularly fine performance is looked for, as the principals and chorus have been in activ the principals and chorus have been in active rehearsal for many weeks under the direction of Mr. John A. Rosensted. The cast is arranged as follows: Naomi, Miss Marion Gaston: Ruth, Miss Jessie Warq; O pah, Miss Eitith Fry and Miss Bianche Craighead, Miss Sylvia Johnston and Mrs. E. P. Sleppy; Boag, Mrs. George W. Gray: First Reaper, Mrs. W. R. Gaston and Messrs, W. R. Harris and E. W. Young, Miss Sarah H. Ward will be the accompanist. Miss Gaston and Mrs. Gaston are residents of Sewickley, and are highly appreciated there and in Pittsburg as promising preciated there and in Pittsburg as prevocalists.

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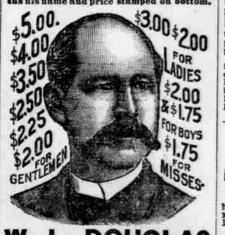
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Scrape—Sellers Heavy Losers.

The wreckers obtained full control of the local stock market Saturday, and almost run it into the ground. The most pronounced buils became rattled, and some of them sold. Philadelphia Gas had no support and reached a point hitherto thought impossible. It sold down to 18½, but closed a fraction better on a late order. Other natural gas stocks let go in sympathy with the leader, Chartiers selling at 19 and Wheeling being bid down to 13½. Manufacturers' Gas held its own. Electric took utacturers' Gas held its own. Electric took backward step, while the Tractions backward step in the step of the backward step in

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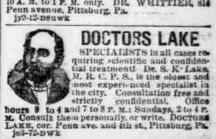
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