# MONEY AND STOCKS.

Revival of Gold Exports the Financial Feature of the Week.

ANOTHER GOOD BANK STATEMENT.

Course and Features of the Market for Local Securities.

ALL THE LATEST FINANCIAL NEWS

SATURDAY, Nov. 26.

Money has ruled fairly easy for the season at all important points excepting Chicago, and the testimony of all whose opinions are entitled to consideration is to the affect that there will be nothing like tight money during the remainder of the year, and that after New Year's idle funds will begin to pile up. The most important feature of the past week has been the revival of gold exports. The amount shipped this week was small, but gold shipments at this season are so unusual that the inovement caused considerable uncasiness. In their weekly letter on stocks and money Henry Clews & Co. say: The one thing about which Wall street is more sensitive than any other is the export of gold, and that movement seems to be returning upon us. The foreign exchanges point ominously in that direction. The exports of home products are declining; no important amount of bills is being made against exports of securities; and Russia is drawing gold from London at a rate which inclines the Bank of England to put the Money has ruled fairly easy for the sesson trawing gold from London at a rate which inclines the Bank of England to put the screws on borrowers and, the padlock on its vaults. These signs indicate the possibillty of our being subjected to a moderate drain of gold. The importance of this contingency lies in the fact that so many people exaggerate the importance of gold to be extent of maring it the foundation and support of everything, whereas it is merely tool by which we conduct a small portion of our business. Not on his account, however, is it the less likely bring about a selling movement in Closely related to this feeling stand on was already opened its proceed is likely to occupy the interested n of financiers the world over for nation of financiers the world over for any six weeks or two months. Such rescions of opinion as have reached us a Europe within the last few days are ability and encouraging to an expectation of early important advantages to result the conference. The only really computation of the question—free coinage er an acroscoral among several of the meant of the present among a small enthusiastic many but there can be listle doubt that, are more closely without leaving a so of more distinctly revealing the dan-

wing this action as a good one, and hope wing this notion as a good one, and hope shullar notion in Massachusetts. Some, aver, think that to abolish the three so grace on time loans would be too ead a sinuage, but that it might well be want first on sight drafts. An effort was locked sear by some of the leading bank to have but from the properted ab dissining the tom, but it did not meet with success, ever, the effect or Vermont's law may be contained and ease many Boston bankers who would live hills part in any movement of this inke part in any movement of this A prominent wask easilier says. "Days go are in on place ical value to either wer or leader, and are hardly in keep-in these progressive times. If there is into est allowed it might be of some entie he was first passed allowcrace it was necessary, because

# LOCAL SECURITIES.

Trading on 'Change During the Past Week Reaches a Good Total Despite the Hollday -Galus and Losses Mostly Fractional, With the Former in a Majority.

The transactions on 'Cuange for the five business days of the week ending to-day ag-BAILBOAD STOCKS. gregated 5,137 shares of stock and \$1,000 aunds, strainst 1,812 shares of stocks, \$15,000 onds and 510 worth of serip for the six have of last week. Brokers have com-COAL STOCKS. N. Y. & C. Gas Coal Co. slamed birrerly of duliness, but the foures BRIDGE STOCKS. draw that a fair average volume of busi-Hand street..... Northside Bridge Co many was completed at the regular daily is was completed at the regular daily the Tare was also considerable office adding hounts in P. & B. traction, Pointage, a liverage, Else rie and switch and not southat there probably was very little set ground for complain. The market, previously to be duffer than it really as The closing quotations to-day, consider with a occ. On a week ago, show the daying of changes in the leading active MINING STOCKS. Westinghouse..... dimmers-Gitizons traction, 34: La Noria al Company, 4c; Luster Mining Com-y, 5; Union Switch and Signal common, a received, 35: T. & B. traction, 35; polices-Philanoippun Company, 35; Wheel-ton, 5; Presson Varley Railway, 36; Du-sing traction, 35; Alribrake, 25.

The annual mentings of the Pittsburg and Cirinens traction companies sailed to develop much of anything to stimulate interm street railway group. Very little of what tunn-pired at the meeting of the Pitts-Traction Company was permitted to on the public, but it was stated that a was read which snowed a t at 5,000,000 passengers carried about \$100,000 passengers carried about \$400,000 gross carnings. The quite such a star commber session as sburg meeting was, for, besides per-a good many official figures to get one spapers, a resolution was passed ag the reports rend to be printed out to stockholders, which resoluint out to stockholders, which resolu-iremated with and was pressed to a by Mr. S. S. Pinle-gion. Mr. Pinker-a pactiv heavy stockholder, and is not acceptable of the impression that the avishould be a little more libera, in the of the dividend rate. The re-read ar the meeting showed that an number of passengers carried existent for the year was nting expenses were shown to be a the net earnings \$227,594. The for the cable line. This latter was a revelation, as it render to disprove strong caued assertion that electric lines of be operated or loss than cable lines, as tannoni report of the Pleasant Validation of the present of the multiple during the few days developed the fact using operated or anything like what things cable line was operated for

Street Railways.

strong throughout, Duquesne was rather weak and Citizens, after a little decline, advanced and closed at the highest of the week on a good gain. The others were generally weak, Pieasant Valley closing to day the weakest member of the group.

Some of the Pieasant Valley people are getting somewhat uneasy over the delay in finally closing up the deal in the Northside lines, and it was intimated to-day that if the delay continued much longer a number of them might grow disgrunted enough to combine and place some formidable obstacles in the way of the deal. "If I knew of anything likely to prevent the deal, or if the moguls would only say that the scheme was of," rather significantly remarked a gentleman who has favored and worked for the consolidation all along, "I would step in and load up with Pieasant Valley, as I regard it the best stock of the two. I have an idea, however, that the directors of the two companies will get together during the coming week and formally close up the deal and agree upon its going into effect the first of January next."

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La Noria Mining Co..... Luster Mining Co..... ELECTRIC LIGHT STOCKS. MISCELLANIOUS STOCKS.

# SPECIAL MARKET LETTERS.

The Situation in Local Securities Outlined by a Brokerage House, and the Wall Street Correspondent of a Pittsburg Firm Sends in the Usual Grist.

The following is A. J. Lawrence & Co.'s regular weekly letter: The market has fully justified the observa tion made last week, namely: "The indications at present are that prices may go lower before they advance," and we are still of the oninion then expressed that "our friends will make money by keeping close watch on the better class of securities and making purchases on a scale down." During the week we have been frequently asked whether, in this view of the situation, it would not be good policy to sell now and buy in again at a lower level. In a broader market this course might prove profitable; but the fact is our market is so narrow that it is impossible to execute orders with any degree of satisfaction. An example of this was given by Citizens tracexample of this was given by Citizens traction. A block of the stock was pre-sing on the market, and so long as it remained unsold, buyers held aloot. The moment it was disposed of, however, the fact was developed that there were numerons orders to buy, and there was an immediate and substantial advance. Airbrake 's another example. It has declined to 13. Two weeks ago it was in excellent demand at 134 to 134. But the street got the impression that there might be a considerable "wad" yet to come out, and is waiting to see how how it can be sold. The same thing happened a month ago, when the price declined to 125 on pressure to sell and railled to 136 on comparatively light buying. We cite these two instances to show that while values may go lower, there's no assurance that the seller will be able to get his stock back at such a concession as will make the operation worth the trouble.

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The decline of a dollar per share in Philadelphia Gas was one of the prominent features of the week. Of itself the decline was insignificant, but it excited remark, first because that a good deal of money assigned to improvements and extensions bless was charged to expense account and off out of the earnings.

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will justify this position. A year ago this month, when the stock was quoted at 11½ and 12, we foreshadowed the resumption of dividends. We have no official authority for the statement now, but we believe that for the coming fiscal year the company will increase the rate to 6 per cent, and on that basis the stock will not 12 ber cent on \$25.

A word as to our money market. Just now the mills and factories are running ful, and a resumption of operations in additional departments of the Carnegie Steel Company has taken place. This activity has increased the demand for discount from manufacturers who quite naturally have the call over stock brokers who frequently represent more transient borrowers in securing accommodation at banks. This demard has slightly and, we believe, temporarily, enhanced the rate for money and there has been some calling of 5 per cent funds to put out at 6 per cent. This action has provoked very drastic criticism from certain quarters, but it is not at all general. In fact, the bank officer who would neglect to charge the full legal rate when the conditions justified it would be very properly subject to criticism on the part of the stockholders whose servant he is. From all we can learn there will be a more generous surplus for the use of stock dealers. If, in the meantime, there be any forced liquidations, it will be the investor's opportunity to secure bargains.

Optinions From Wall Street.

J. S. Bache & Co. to Ockley & Co.

Opinions From Wall Street. J. S. Bache & Co. to Oakley & Co.: "The most important item in speculation this week has been the question of gold exports; \$500,000 in gold were withdrawn from the Treasury on Wednesday, but after weighing some of it was found to be lightweighted, and it was at first thought that this would necessarily some of the second of the

The rise in cotton has improved the feeling in the South. From the advices received business has taken a very invorable turn down there, and we think that, the gloom which has been langing over the South for two or three years has at last been lifted and that the boom which the West has had for the last few years will now be confined to the Southern part of this country. Iron is improving any prices are from \$2 to \$3 better than a month ago. We are bulls on the South and all Southern securities.

"The market to-may was one of continuous bear manipulation and it must be said that they were successful in dislodging some stock; still, the short interest is so large that we think a rally near at hand. The old, stale rumor about the severe illness of Mr. Gould was again freely circulated, but found few believers. The street is bearish and the snort interest in the room and outside is heavy. We therefore advise our triends to buy stocks for the rally."

Financial Notes.

ber increa-ed \$54,000.

A Chicago distiller figures that the profits of the Distillers' Trust on the basis of current prices for its products are at the rate of \$20,000 daily. After the five distilleries recently purchased have been taken in by the rust earnings will increase, he says, to \$25,000 a day. This is at the rate of over \$3,000,000 par wars, or considerable over 20 par. 000 per year, or considerably over 20 per cent on the total capital stock of the Dis-tiliers' company. The directors of the New York, Lake Erie

The directors of the New York, Lake Erie and Western will meet next Tuesday to take action on the dividend on the preferred stock. Rumor has it that 3 per cent will be distributed. The point is made, however, that the Erie has spent a great deal of money this year in preparations for World's Fair traffic, and that on this account the directors may resolve to pass the dividend or declare a dividend less than the figure mentioned above. Holders of the certificates of the National

Cordage Company, the value of whose stock in the open market is now based on the pre-sumption that the concern has an absolute and lasting monopoly, called all to con-template with alarm the rapidgrowth of op-position, which must in time, by compet-tion, make serious inroads into the profittion, make serious inroads into the profits available for dividends. As is well known, the company was organized on the "trust" principle of destroying all competition, and less than a year ago the manipulators of the stock were proclaiming to the world that the trust would absolutely control the manufacture of every dollar's worth of cordage products, because arrangements had been products, because arrangements had been made with the foreign and American man-ulac urers of machinery the result of which would prevent ou side people from obtain-ing the required machinery for new plants. a The imports of specie at the port of New York for the week were \$371.408, against \$931,155 in 1891 and \$558,158 in 1890. Of last week's imports, \$312,196 was in gold and \$59,-212 in silver.

At the sub-treasury it is stated that for the At the sub-treasury it is stated that for the present the appartionment of orders for gold will be as follows: Double eagles, 45 per cent; eagles, 15 per cent; half eagles, 40 per cent. At the time of the last shipments the proportions unrished to shippers were: Double eagles, 40 per cent; eagles, 40 per cent; half eagles, 20 per cent. The financial complications of the Columbus, Lima and Milwaukee Railroad under construction have been settled by the sale of the road. Reports differ as to the purchaser, the Baltimore and Ohio and John Rockaieller being named.

# MONETARY.

Discount rates have been quoted at 500 per cent all week in Pittsburg, with funds in good supply and the demand somewhat broader. No discrimination has been reported as yet, which is one of the first sign ported as yet, which is one of the first signs here that money is tightening.

NEW YORK, NOV. 26.—Money on call easy at 4 per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 526.

Sterling exchange firm, with actual business at \$4 85% for 60-day bankers' bills, and \$4 87% for demand.

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Clearing House Figures.
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Exchanges to-day
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The figures for the past two weeks compare as follows:
Exchanges this week (5 days)
For the week of 1891 corresponding withis week the exchanges were \$12,246,103 87.  Total exchanges to date this year, \$695,57,828 51; same time last year, \$616,276,426 2 gain to date, \$74,271,402 21.

balances, \$3,220,321. Money quiet at 6 per cent. Exchange on New York, 20@75c precent. Exchange on 1.76.—Bank clearings mium.
PHILADELPHIA, Nov. ?6.—Bank clearings today, \$12,750,680; balances, \$18,10,901. For the week, clearings, \$66,992,195; balances, \$10,137,268. Money, 5 per cent.
Baltimork, Nov. 26.—Bank clearings, \$2,408,741; balances, \$432,9.9. Rate, 6 per cent.
NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 28.—Clearings, \$2,841,767. New York Exchange, commercial, \$1 50 per \$1,000 discount; bank par.

Foreign Financial. PARIS, Nov. 28.-Three per cent rentes, 990 PARIS, NOV. 26.—Intro per control of the account.

London, Nov. 26.—Amount of builton withdrawn from the Bank of England on balance today, £21,000.

BERLIN, Nov. 26.—The statement of the Impresse.

BERLIN, Nov. 26.—The statement of the Imperial Bank of Germany shows an increase a specie of 15,040,000 marks.

LONDON, Nov. 26.—2 F. M. close—Consols money, and account, 97 9-16; : New York Pennsylvania and Ohio Ista, 22½; Canadian Pacific, 22½; Erie, 26½; 2nds, 103½; Illinois Central, 104½; Mexican ordinary, 22½.

### \$1,300 PER FRONT FOOT.

The Property 427 Liberty Street Sold for Over \$30,000-Another Large Business Block Will Be Erected-An Increase of

Baird for Mrs. Mary B. Foster, and Messrs. Laird & Ray, the well-known shoe merchants, were the pur-

known shoe merchants, were the purchasers. This property adjoins the piece which was sold by the same firm to Messrs. Chaddock & Owens a few day, before the election for \$1,200 per foot frout, and is exactly similar to it in every respect. Therefore, the last sale shows an increase in value of \$100 per front foot in that very short space of time.

These two sales are very important, mainly because two elerant business blocks will be creeted and occupied by the purchasers. The building to be erected by Laird & Ray will be a six-story warehouse, and work will be commenced on it at once. As has been mentioned in this column before, the plans for the Chaddock & Owens building are completed and work on their new house will likely be started next week, probably Monday.

A Real Estate Exchange.

A Real Estate Exchange. Representatives of nearly every real estate house in the city were present at a

meeting in the Chamber of Commerce rooms this afternoon to consider the ques-tion of organizing a Real Estate Exchange on a substantial basis. One of the great on a substantial basis. One of the great drawbacks to the real estate business of Pittsburg within recent years has been the lack of unity among those who do the work, petty jealousies which moved them to pull in different directions when united action would have been productive of good for all. But a change has come over the real estate men, as was demonstrated at today's gathering. There was a general agreement among those present as to the necessity for such an organization as that proposed, and also as to the preliminaries. The discussion was full and comprehensive, and about all the ground wook for the organization was completed. An adjourned meeting will be held at the same piace on Thresday afternoon at 2 o'clock to fluish it up.

Mr. Olin B. Rich, a prominent real estate operator of Buffalo, N. Y., and a member of the national organization, came to Pittsourg expressly to attend this meeting, but was called home unexpectedly yesterday morning. He will return for Tuesday's meeting, however, and give his aid in accounting the organization. persecting the organization. Current Gossip.

The sale of the 12 acres of land on Morning side avenue for \$35,500, particulars of which were published in this column on Thursday last, was made by J. H. Coleman & Co.. of Westinghouse Electric second preferred closed at 3½ asked and the scrip was quoted at 3½ 34.

P. & B. traction closed at 2½ bid, Duquesne traction at 27228 and P., A. & M. traction at 43½ 34.

Morris & Brown were the sellers of Phillie to-day and Sproul & Co., J. B. Barbour and Fred Rinehart were the buyers.

Kuhn Bros. sold Luster and Hill & Co. bought.

In presty well informed circles it is said the Pittsburg traction, Duquesne traction and P. & B. traction companies will pay dividends in January.

The net earning of Chicago Gas for October increased \$55,000.

A Chicago distiller figures that the profits.

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J. M. Gartside, two two-story trame dwellings, Edwin street; cost, \$5,200 for both. Jacob Killian, a two-story frame dwelling, No. 129 Susquehanna street: cost, \$1,350. John McLaughlin, a two-story frame dwel-ling, Bates street, near Wilmot street: cost, \$500.

Reported by the Brokers.

Baxter, Thompson & Co. sold through the agency of Garber & Co. lots Nos, 369, 370, 371, 372 and 373, Villa Park plan, Brushton sta tion, being a total frontage of 250 feet on Frankstown avenue by 180 eet to a 20-foot alley, for \$4,000; also sold a lot 22x100 on west side of Kirkpatrick street, Thirteenth ward, in Ruch place plan, to P. Cone for \$300. J. C. Alles & Co. sold to Henry Ackerman

a lot 32x140 feet, situated on Stanton avenue, Philadelphia and Eric. for \$3,200 cash.

Peter Shields sold in William Flinn's Greenfield avenue plan, Twenty-third ward, an eight-room frame house with mansard and all modern conveniences, with a lot 36x 90 feet to an alley, located on Greenfield ave-90 feet to an alley, located on Greenfield avenue and Hoosac street, for \$4.500.

S. A. Dickie & Co. sold for Dr. J.C. Lemmer two lots on Bennett stiect, each 30x135 feet, for \$1,850; "also sold for Messrs. Melvin & Smith to George A. Morrow a lot on Kelly street, 30x135 feet, for \$450.

John K. Ewing & Co. sold for \$2,600 cash, the property on the corner of Parkylew avenue.

the property on the corner of Parkview avenue and Lanark street, Twelfth ward, Allegheny, or George W. Rape, to Frederick W. Fire, being a two-story trame house of six rooms, hall and attic, with a lot 1754x100

rooms, hall and attic, with a lot 17%x100 feet.

Piper & Clark sold for Theo. Weiss to Adam M. Goodwin, two lots situated on Hastings street, East End, each having a frontage o about 25 feet, for \$1,200.

W. M. Pollock sold for Prof. D. A. McClenahan to Win. Neison lot No. 52 in the Northside Land Association plan, avalon, fronting 35 feet on Harrison avenue by a depth of 105 feet to a 18-loot alley, for \$450.

M. F. Hippie & Co. sold for James Evans, of McKeesport, to Harry F. Rose, or \$3,200, a two story frame dwelling, with a lot 20x100 feet, situate on the north side of Dearborn street, Xineteenth ward: also, for H. E. steffler to I. A. Dve, for \$500 cash, a lot 20x100 feet, situate on the south side of Adelaide street, Thirteenth ward.

Moore & Kelly sold for Zachariah Poe to Mrs. Caroline Schade, a lot on Bennett street, Brushton, having a frontage of 00 feet and extending back 135 feet to an alley, for \$1,500 also sold for Mrs. C. McFarran to Frank H. Speer four lots in Homewood, for \$3,000; also sold for La. A. Hoke to C. Pfeideost a lot near the city line, Brushton, for \$300.

A. Z. Byers & Co. sold for Robt, W. Bissell,

\$900.

A. Z. Byers & Co. sold for Robt. W. Bissell, Esq., lot No. 147 in the Mayfield plan, Tenth ward, Allegheny, fronting 40 feet on Perrysville avenue and extending through 140 feet to a 20-foot alley, for \$1,400.

Reed B. Coyle & Co. sold for the Bellevue Land Company five lots in their plan of Sunnyside, Bellevue, being Nos. 147, 148, 148, 148, 159 and 161, fronting 230 feet on Orchard avenue by 150 feet deep to an alley, for \$3,750. The purchaser contemplates improving the property at once. The purchaser contemplates improving the property at once.

The Burrell and Kensington Improvement Companies report the following sale of lots at Kensington: Charles Colteryohn, Pittsburg, lots 807, 808, 809, block 23, for \$1,739 50 cash; lots 208, 209, 210, block 25, for \$1,739 50 cash; lots 790, 791, 792, block 25, for \$1,739 50 cash; lots 69, 70, 71, 72, 73 and 74, block 6, or \$4,975 cash; Jots 68, 70, 71, 72, 73 and 74, block 6, or \$4,975 cash; John Litschage, Pittsburg, lots 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, block 7, tor \$4,975 cash; John McIn osh, Pittsburg, lot 30, block 25, for 752 98; Lawrence Bryan, Allenport, Pa., lot 752 block 14, for \$722 50 cash; William G. Heiner, Kittnning, Pa., lots 1184, 1185, 1186, 1186, 187, 1188, 1189, 1190, 1191, 1182, 1193, 1194, block 30, for \$6,805 25 cash; J. B. and Charles Heinz, Pittsburg, lot 57, block 14, for \$722 50.

The Week's Becord.

The record for the week, compared with that of the preceding week, shows a de-crease in all the items, both in number and amount of money involved. One very enraging feature, however, is the fact that mortgage payments are still keeping up, as only a small decline in number and value is witnessed this week. Following is the sum-

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42% to 41%, respectively. The losses otherwise were fractional. The shipment of \$600,000 gold, and the talk about additional exports of the yellow metal next week, were used with low metal next week, were used with some effect against the market. Rumors that Jay Geuld was seriously ill siso induced raids on certain stocks. Toward the close a steady feeling prevailed, owing strictly iresh, 22/6@23c. 

Saturday, Nov. 28.

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The important transaction referred to in this column yesterday as having been consummated was the sale of the property No. 427 Liberty street, consisting of a three-story brick dwelling and a lot 23 feet 2½ inches by 115 feet through to Exchange alley, for \$30,170 83, or about \$1,300 per toot front. The sale was made by Biack & Baird for Mrs. Mary B, Foster, Mission as tamped as follows:

Gentral Pacific ists. 383

Gentral Pacific ists. 385

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Baird for Mrs. Mary B, Foster, Mission sharper closed as follows:

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Con, Cal. and Va. 255
Deadwood. 100
Gould and Curry. 75
Haie and Norcross. 130
Homestake 136
Mexican 155
North Star 150
Ophir. 250
Plymouth. 8
Sierra Nevada. 140
Standard. 156
Standard. 156
Yellow Jacket 75
Homestake 1370
Quick Silver 300
Quick Silver pfd 1600

tAsked. The total sales of stocks to-day were 179,-000 shares, including: Atchison, 8,310; Eric, 3,450; Louisville and Nashville, 2,800; Mis-souri Pacific, 4,000; New England, 20,200; Northern Pacific, preferred, 9,010; Reading, 51,700; St. Paul, 5,220; Union Pacific, 5,220; Westera Union, 2,272.

The following table shows the prices of active stocks on the New York Stock Exchange, corrected daily for the THE PITTSBURG DISPATCH by WH.TNEY & STEPHEN-ON, oldest Pittsburg members of New York Stock Exchange, 57 Fourth avenue:

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Am. Cotton Oil pfd.	43 81	43 81	42 81	42 80%	4234 • 81
Am. Sugar Refg. Co. Am. Su. Refg. Co. pfd Atch. Top. & S. F Canadian Pactic	100%	110%	109%	10000	1095
Am. Su. Refg. Co. pfd	10234	102%	10234	1024	1025
Cunnellan Pactific	3639	36%	36	3614	
		56%	56%	89% 56%	56% 126% 22%
central of N. Jersey	126	120			126%
Chesapeake & Ohio.	2 76	23	22% 9614	22%	905
C. Bur. & Ouiney	9614 9914	100	9934	993	99%
C., M. & St. Paul	7834 1215	1816	78	7854	75%
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Electric Stocks Boston, Nov. 26 .- [S coial.]-The closing

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Westinghouse, first ptd...
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Boston Stocks—Closing Prices.

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N. Y. & N. England. 41% West End Land Co. 18%
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Boston & Mont. 25
Calumet & Hecla. 285
B. & B. Copper. 114

DROOPING PRICES Mark the Close of the Week's Trading or

the Chicago Board. CHICAGO, ILL, Nov. 26.-Drooping prices marked the close of the week. To-night, compared with last, wheat is 1/6% lower and corn about 1/2c, while provisions within half an hour of the close dropped again they had secured earlier.

There was a little firmness in wheat at the

start, due largely to brisk buying, but on-the advance the selling became liberal, and there being little bullish news to support the market, the price gradually fell off. The receipts in the Northwest were generous, and Prime reported the condition of the winter wheat as satisfactory. The offerings of December were unusually heavy, and did much to cause the weakness, as the discount on May was at one time nearly 7 cents. Changing December to May was carried on Changing December to May was carried on very extensively. The exports from both coa-is were again liberal, amounting to 3,455,000 bushels, again - t 3,944,000 bushels the previous week and 4,082,000 bushels for the corresponding week last year. The available stocks in the United States and Canada were reported at 101,000,000. It was estimated that the visible sumply would show an increase of about 1,000,000 to 1,500,000 bushels.

oushels.
Initial trades in corn were at about yes Initial trades in corn were at about yesterday's final figures, but it soon sold off %c influenced some by the action of wheat. At the decline the demand improved and the car lots for Monday coming in light at 125 cars, prices reacted, recovering the early break, changed but little, raied easy and closed about %c lower.

In oats there was a little changing from December to January at lo and to May at 5c. Prices liad %c range and the close was easy at %6%c decline from yesterday.

Provisions showed decided strength for a time. A rise of ishilling in lard in the Liverpeol market started prices up here for that staple, and the entire market responded to a local advance of 5c per 100 pounds in hors. During the latter part of the session prices declined on larger offerings and a reduced demand. The estimated hog supply for the coming week favor only moderate offerings as the profession of the session prices demand. The estimated hog supply for the coming week favor only moderate offerings as the profession of the second of the

duced demand. The estimated hog supply for the coming week favor only moderate offerings, in marked contrast with the enormous receipts for the corresponding week of 1891.

Freights were slow with very little vessel room offered. Rates were firm, \$\frac{1}{2}\text{c}\$ being paid for corn to Buffale.

Cash questions were as \$\frac{1}{2}\text{c}\$ being

BEARS IN CONTROL

Geld Exports and Talk of More Next Week
Help Them Depress Prices—A Good
Bank Statement Checks the Deeline and
Causes a Partial Recovery.

New York, Nov. 26.—The stock market,
as on several past days, was under the control of the bear forces. Reading and New
England were the special objects of attack
and declined from 54% to 53% and from
42% to 41%, respectively. The losses
otherwise were fractional. The shipment of \$600,000 gold, and the talk
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bushels. Shipments—Flour, 11,000 barrels; wheat, 41,000 bushels; corn, 35,000 bushels; nats, 128,000 bushels; rye, 8,000; barrey, 52,000 bushels.

Range of the leading features, furnished by John M. Oakley & Co., bankers and brokers, No. 45 Sixth street:

ABTICLES.	ing.	High-	Low-	ing.	Nv.2
WHEAT.					72
November December	72%	7296	71%	71%	723
May	79	7934	78%	78% 78%	733
CORN.	78%	7814	78	78%	78%
November	42%	42%	4234	4254	423
December January	4254	42%	4236 4336	4254 4356	425
May	47%	47%	47%	4736	47%
July	47%	4776	47%	47/6	48
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## OIL FIELD DEVELOPMENTS.

The Woodland Oil Company's No. 2 Scott Doing 85 Barrels an Hour-Two Gordon Sanders Near Primrose-Big Gasser in Forward Township.

There were a number of quiet developments in the lower oil fields yesterday, but nothing of a startling character.

The Woodland Oil Company drilled its No. 2 on the Scott property for 20 minutes in the morning, and for three hours afterward it averaged 85 barrels an hour. The first hour after being agitated it put out 96 barrels. This is considered to be about the limit of its output, as 20 minutes' steady drilling when it is well in the sand should bring out its greatest possibilities. Knox Bros. & Co.'s well, on the Scott, was

reported to be making 40 barrels an hour. The Wheeling Gas company's No. 2, on the Kelso farm, which is located only a few hundred feet east of the Knox Bros. well, was near the top of the sand last evening, but they did not expect to get it drilled in beore to-morrow.

There were a couple of little Gordon sand

There were a couple of little Gordon sand wells developed yesterday near Primrose, two mile west of McDonsid. They both belong to Smith & 'o. The No.1 on the McBurney property is good for 60 barrels a day, and No.1 on the Deblander is in the sand and will make about an 80-barrel well.

Greeniee & Hartman's No.2 on the Potter farm, south of the Meise pool, was reported to be in the fifth sand two bits with the hole standing full of oil.

Some Wells Due To Worrey

Some Wells Due To-Morrow. Jennings & Co.'s No. 1 Sproul, near Oakdale, should be in the fifth sand to-morrow, but their No. 10 Bell will not get the pay for a couple of weeks at least.

The Forest Oil Company's No. 3, on the Sturzeon farm, just east of Oakdale, was on top of the fith sand last night. They will drill it in to-morrow. Their No. 2, on the Striling farm, is drilling in the fourth sand.

J. M. Guffey & Co. have just finished putting the last casing into their No. 6 on the Shane farm, which is located in the lower end of the Melse district.

The Forest Oil Company is only 19 feet in the fifth sand in its well on the A. P. Clever farm, in the eastern McCurdy pool. They have encountered very hard drilling and have made only six feet in about as many days. Their No. 10 on the W. C. Herron farm, north of Noblestown, is down 1,400 feet. but their No. 10 Bell will not get the pay for

Greenlee & Forst will drill in their No. 1

on the Rough farm at Chartiers to-morrow. Their No. 1 is just through the 100-foot. Getting New Work Started. Down around the big Scott farm wells, southwest of McDonald, the new work

southwest of McDonald, the new work which was decided upon as a result of these wells is just being started.

Knox Bros. & co. commenced to spud yesterday in their No. 3 on the Scott farm. The Woodland Oil Company had rigs up for Nos 3 and 4 on its Scott lease, but yesterday they were taking down No. 4 and moving it to the Berry farm, which joins Knox Bros. & Co.'s Scott lease on the south and west. It also adjoins the George farm, on which the Wheeling Gas Company has started to spud, and the Reed farm, on which a well was drilled about a year ago, joins it on the south and west. The Woodland will be spudding in its No. 3 Scott tomorrow.

A Tremendous Gas Well.

John A. Snee struck an enormous gas well Thanksgiving morning on the Bris Wall Thankagiving morning on the Bris Wall farm in Forward township, Allegheny county, and one mile from Monongahela City. He tapped the vein at 2,760 feet and the pressure is so great that no attempt has yet been made to guage it or get it under control. The rear of the escaping gas can be heard a great distance and many claim that it is a bigger gasser than the famous Howe farm well, which was struck a few months ago in this territory, but has since then been almost exhausted. The (arnegie Company will get the gas from the Wall well. The Philadelphia Company is also drilling on the Wall farm.

The Gauges Yesterday. The production of McDonald was 19,500 yesterday, the same as the day before; Woodland Oil Company's No. 2 Scott 85 per hour; Knox & Co./s No. 2 Scott, 40 per hour; stock in field, 45,000. The runs from the Sistersville field were 12,973 parrels on Friday.

Runs and Shipments Friday. The runs of the National Transit Company were 29,225; shipments, 22,759; Southwest runs from McDounid were 13,6-6; outside of McDonald, 7,608; total, 21,223; Buckeye Pipe Line runs from the Macksburg fleid, 5,059;

Line runs from the Macksburg field, 5,059; shipments, 333; Buckeye runs of Lina oil, not in; shipments, 65,221; Eureka Pipe Line runs, 15,001; shipments, 62,221; Eureka Pipe Line runs, 15,001; shipments, not in; southern Pipe Line shipments, 43,307.

The runs of the Western and Atlantic Pipe Lines on Friday were 4,190. The snipments were 4,595.

The runs of the Western and Atlantic Pipe Lines on Friday runs of the W. L. Mellon lines were 7,518 barrels; snipments, 7,588; receipts from other lines, none; total receipts, 7,518.

The runs of the Thiewater Pipe Line on Wednesday were 5,072; on Thursday, 2,238; total, 96,381; average, 4,916. Shipments, 26,282; total, 20,3,38; average, 4,916. Shipments, 26,282; total for the month, 100,840; daily average, 4,034.

The Oil Market -

Range of the December option: Opening Hefined oil—New York, 5.70c; London, 4%@ Refined oil—New York, 5,400; London, 4349
4364; Antwerp, 137.
Oil City, Nov. 25.—National Transit certificates opened at 55/40; highest, 52/40; lowest, 51/40; losed, 51/40; bales, 15,000 barrels; clearances 134,000 barrels; shipments, 115, 223 barrels; runs, 87.069 barrels. Rang old and very fine rye whisky at Ma.

FOUR-PLY linen collars and cuff, 2100 fine, to to-morrow at 7 cents for coll are, 11 cens or cuffs.

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The movement to secure the National Encampment of 1894 for Pittsburg was given a good start at the special meeting of the Grand Army Day Committee in Municipal Hall yesterday afternoon. After the roll call of the posts, which showed a large majority in lavor of trying to bring the encampment here, the comrades discussed the matter thoroughly. The tenor of the re-

matter thoroughly. The tenor of the remarks was that an earnest effort should be made to interest the citizens of Pittsburg and vicinity in the project.

Commade H. H. Bengough moved that a committee of five be appointed to draft a plan of procedure to secure the interest of the citizens of Pittsburg in bringing the encampment of 1894 to this city. The motion was adopted. Chairman McFarland of the General Committee will be the chairman of this committee. It was shown at the meeting that not less than \$1,000,000 would be drawn by the encampment.

The gastier will be presented to the citizens in some effective way and the result will detern ine whether or not the invitation will be given to the encampment. Fifteen posts were represented at yesterday's meeting. The committee adjourned to meet at the call of the chair.

Old Thirteenth, Attention! At the reunion of the One Hundred and Second Regiment, Pennsylvania Volunteers, held in Allegheny City, August 17 last, the original flag of the old Thirteenth Regi-

ment was presented to the association by Mr. Stuart, now of Los Angeles, Cal., and a son of the late Chaplain Stuart, of the old Thirteenth and One Hundred and Second Regiments, who has been its custodian since the close of the war. been its custodian since the close of the war. As quite a number of the members of this regiment are comrades of Colonel John W. Patterson Post No. 151 by resolution the flag was given into the care of the post for sale-keeping. The trustees were instructed to get a proper case for is, so that its intered folds might be seen to the best advantage. That work is now complete. In order to show the surviving comrades of the old Thirteenth who reside in this vicinity the pride the post takes in being the custodian of this war worn relic, they invite them to visit their hall next Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock, when an informal reception will be held in honor of the survivors of the regiment.

The Andersonville Stockade.

The proposition for the purchase of the Andersonville stockade was disposed of by the Executive Committee of the National Council of Administration in Indianapolis. t was resolved to not accept the proposition. The maintenance of the stockade would probably have cost the Grand Army

would probably have cost the Grand Army \$10,000 per year. This is an indor-sement of the action of the Pennsylvania Department at its endampment in Pittsburg last February, when it was decided to oppose the Anderson ville stockade proposition.

Another result of the Indiana meeting, which will be heard with pleasure by the commades, is that the Grant cottage at Mt. McGregor has been taken off the hands of the national organization by New York parties, and the heavy expense of its maintenance will no longer fail upon the Grand Army. Army.

An "mportant New Rule. An important new rule was adopted at the meeting of the Executive Committee of the National Council of Administration in Indianapolis. It was decided that all applications for free quarters during the National Encampment must be made through the department adjutant generals. By this method an official record of the location of each man will be kept, which will be of

National headquarters will be in the Denniston House in Indianapolis during the encampment. Pennsylvania's headquarters

Soldiers' Orphans' Schools.

The Soldiers' Orphans' School Commission of Pennsylvania will hold an important meeting in Harrisburg December 15. At that time a report will be made by the subcommittee sent to visit manual training schools in Missouri, Indiana, Illinois, Ohio, Massachusetts and New York. The report will embody the ideas of the sub-committee will embody the lucas of the sub-committee gained through these visits as they might be applied to the orphan schools of Penn-sylvania. It is the intention to continue the soldiers' orphans' schools for the benefit o all orphans, whether children of soldiers or not, the preference being given to those whose lathers were soldiers.

The Department Encampment. Expected opposition to the candidacy of Comrade Thomas G. Sample, of Post 128, for Department Commander, has not yet mabepartment Commander, has not yet ma-terialized, and there will likely be none. Colonel Geise, of Lebanon, is prominently mentioned for Senior Vice Department Commander, and Comrade Calvin, of Hunt-ingdon county, has a first-class chance for being the next Junior Vice Department

Commander.

The time of the Department Encampment has been postponed till February 28 to March inclusive on account of local reasons at Lebanon.

Post Elections. Elections will be held this week as follows: By Post 157, Thursday night: Posts 155, 236 and 206 Friday night, and Posts 128, 162 and 480. Saturday night.

Post Gossin. Post 88 will nominate officers next Tues day night. Nominations will be in order in Post 3 to

orrow night. COMBADE WASHINGTON DOWNEY, of Post 206. was laid to rest Friday. PAST COMMANDER GERWIG WAS & visitor of ost 88 Tuesday evening.

Dr. David B. Sturgeon was mustered into

Post 3 last Monday evening. Post 88 had one reinstatement and tw propositions last Tuesday evening. Post 157 did not meet last Thursday, the unbers being too busy eating turkey. COMBADE W. A. CAMPBELL, of Post 88, is quite low, but shows wonderful vitality. Ar Post 3's meeting Monday night, Com

rade Poerstel was reported still confined to Post 206 had an enjoyable time on Thanksgiving Day. The dinner and entertainment were a grand success. Noninations were made last week by Post

51 Tuesday night, Posts 128, 102 and 480 las ight, Post 206 Friday night and Post 215 A MEETING of the Washington Infantry eteran Corps will be held at the Washing on Infantry Armory next Tuesday evening, special business of importance is on the apis.

MEMORIAL services will be held by Post 162

Satur ay evening, December 17, in memory of the comfades who have died in the past year. The exercises will take place in the post room beginning at 7:30 o'clock. THE comrades and friends of General J. B. weitzer Post, No. 490, may count on a very enjoyable time at the first annual reception of the post, in Turner Hall, Butler street, near Forty-seventh, Thursday evening, De-

Post 88 had quite an interesting meeting Tuesday night. A number of the comrades discussed the question of membership in the G. A. R., qualifications necessary to the privilege and the obligations resting on

THE relief fund of Colonel William H. Moody W. R. C., No. 22, will be netted a Moody W. R. C., No. 22, will be netted a very satisfactory sum by the dramatic, musical and literary entertainment given in Grand Army Hall, Mt. Washington, Thursday and Friday evenings. Comrade C. R. Shepier as Ben Bolt distinguished himself, and the balance of the cast did very well. Dr. Simpson, Miss Julis Gardner, Miss Alice Lober and Mr. Johnson and his jubilee sing-

ers participated in a very enjoyable musical and literary programme. THE members of Chapman Circle, Ladies of G. A. R., held a surprise party on their President, Mrs. M. J. Turner, at her home, 271 Lacock street, Tuesday evening. Mrs. Turner had been invited to a neighbor's Turner had been invited to a neighbor's house on a preten-e of business. In her absence about 60 members of her circle took possession of her home. Mrs. Turner was presented with a handsome design of wax flawers the shape of a star, with the inseription "L. of G. A. R." in the center. The large company present had a very enjoyable

#### SECRET SOCIETY NOTES.

Improved Order Heptasophs. There will be no assessment next month. The entertainment given by J. H. Moor-need Concluve Tranksgiving Eve was large-

Nine assessments in 1891 and ten assess-ments for 1892 is a record unequaled by any sister organization. Supreme Archon S. A. Will returned year ter ay iron Washington, D. C., where he had been attending the annual meeting of the Fraternal Congress.

the Fraternal Congress.

J. K. Moorbeat Conclave will give its annual entertainment next Wednesday evening at Central Turner Hall, Forbes street. A large number is expected.

Invitations are extended to all Heptasophs to the fourth anniversary of Sharpburg Conclave No. 87 at Forsaith Hall, Sharpsburg, Monday, November 28.

be tendered them Thursday night.

Thangsgiving Day, 1892, will long be remembered by the Heptasophs of Allegheny county as a day well spent. Supreme Organizer John W. Cruett, Supreme Treasurer Gustavus Brown, Supreme Secretary Dr. Edwin Eareckson and J. F. Thomas, publisher of the Advocate, arrived in the city Thanksgiving morning. They were met by a delegation of Heptasophs and escorted to the Duquesne Hotel, where during the day most of the prominent members of the order called on them. In the evening a banques was tendered them in the large cafe of the hotel. Addresses were made by the visiting brothers and by the members from this city and McKeesport.

The Orders at Braddock.

Goddess of Liberty Council, Daughters of Liberty, of Braddock, held a very interesting meeting on Monday evening. Deputy National Councilor Bell, of Turtle Creek, headed a party of 25 members from Maria Frazier Council, of Turtle Creek, that attended. Two candidates were admitted.

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Monongabels Council No. 122, Jr. O. U. A. M., of Braidock, the oldest council in the Monongabels Valley, is beginning to infuse new life lito its meetings and is having a largely increased attendance each meeting night. Tuesday evening an initiating corps was organized in the lodge with the following officers: Junior Past Councilor, David McKim: Councilor, W. N. Wilson: Vice Councilior, H. E. Gunno; Warden, M. F. Michael, Conductor, Joe L. Cambell; Sentinel, Cal Hutzen; Capiain, W. J. Vance; Corporal, Harry H. Bair. The guard is made up of John W. Hanna, Joseph Phillips, William Elkins, John Harrison, Robert C. Hunter, W. S. Reed, Robert McKim, G. C. Klino, L. H. Dean, John Thomas, Charles Dougherty, John F. McCune and Andrew Thomson, There are but a very few regular initiating teams among the Jr. O. U. A. M. councils of Western Pennsylvania, Bainbridge Council taking the lend. Monongabela Council expects to have a team equal to any. On Tuesday night next the council will scare out with a series of debates. The first will be on the following question: "Resolved, That All American Citizens Should Be Admitted to Our Order." The affirmative side will be Prof. A. H. List, Rev. F. V. Brown and Harry E. Guimo, The negative will be composed of W. J. Vance, John W. Hanna and W. N. Wilson.

Junior Order of American Mechan During the month of October, State Vice Councilor Kerr visited 15 councils, presented two flags to public schools and traveled 428 miles in doing the same. State Vice Councilor W. T. Kerr visited True American Council, 196, of Homestead, on Tuesday evening and was given a hearty reception by the members, who turned out out in force.

Wednesday evening State Vice Councilor W. T. Kerr visited Valley Force Council, No. 381, accompanied by 22 members of Sons of Liberty Council, No. 452, and representatives from several other councils. The next new State Council will probably be organized in Missouri. There are already enough councils in that State to form a State body, and the National Organizer is now

periecting the arrangements. persecting the arrangements.

Arlington Council, No. 432, presented a flag to the Twenty-seventh ward public school Thanksgiving afternoon. State Vice Councilor W. T. Kerr made the presentation address. Previous to the flag presentation a parade was participated in by the Southside councils.

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