SUGAR AND WHISKY,

The Former Declines Sharply on Sales Exceeding 100,000 Shares.

THE LATTER VERY ACTIVE

On an Advance in Its Product and Other Good News.

READING IS WELL SUSTAINED

The weakness in the low grades of new corn also can some little figure in the speculative market.

Outs opened up firm but weakened with corn, the close being finally made at from 1/6 count, the close being finally made at from 1/6 count, the close started higher on smaller receipts of hogs than expected. But on the advance there was liberal realizing sales, with the Cudahy-Wright clique in the lead, and a rapid decline ensued. There was some reaction, but the gueral feeling was weak.

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour slow and unchanged. No. 2 spring wheat, 711/4c; No. 3 do. 611/6085/4c; No. 2 red, 711/4c; No. 2 corn, 415/4c; No. 2 would be 234 per cent instead of 334 per cent, as the public had been led to believe. Other conjectures are that the management of the company anticipates action by Congress on the sugar tariff unfavorable to the

The dealings in Distilling and Cattle Feeding were on a scale that made that stock second in importance. The news regarding this enterprise was favorable, consisting of an advance of five cents a gallon in the price of its product, and advices from the West that the outside distilleries recently acquired in the name of a party identified with the concern have really been for account of the company.
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Other noteworthy dealings were in Reading, the price of which was fairly well sustained on account or definite news that the suit of Arnot, a Lehigh Valley stockholder, to prevent the lease of the company's property to the Reading Company, had been decided against him, thicago Gas was moderately notive at a net decide of 1 per cont, and Atchison on comparatively light transactions suffered a similar loss. The dealings in Hilmois Central were only a third as large as vesterday, but the stock closed 25g per cent lower. Alissouri Pacific and Manhattan were neglected and suffered naterial decimes. The only stock of any importance that proved superior to the almost general

declines. The only stock of any importance that proved superior to the almost general tendency were New England and Northern Pacific preferred.

The important news of the day was the President's message, which was regarded by the street as negative in character; the withdrawal of the Rothschild proposition from the Monetary Conference; the railroad earnings, and the increase in exports of merchandise for the week. This last, in connection with the falling off in imports, which is now noticeable, indicates that the current of foreign commerce is gradually turning in favor of this country.

The closing was in the main heavy.

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NEW YORK, Dec. 6.-The stock market was weak to-day chiefly in consequence of a re-newed selling movement on a large scale in American Sugar. This stock declined from 107% to 105% on sales of up-wards of 108,000 shares. The exceptional activity and decline, coming at a time when all official and semi-official tements concur in the view that the com-ty's fluancial condition is such as to war-t the payment of larger dividends hav-completely mystified the street, a nilier feeling prevailed and there was a overy of ½ 10 ½ per cent. The short in-est was materially increased by the day's grations.

Railroad bonds were generally firm. The total sales were \$1,32,500.
Government bonds closed as follows: 113 Mutual Union 6s.... 114 N. J. C. Int Cert.... 100 Northern Pac, 1sts...

Close in mining shares: Crown Point 100 Plymonth Con. Cut. and Va. 250 Sierra Nevada.
Deadwood. 110 Standard trouif and Curry 70 Union Con. 110 S Noperosa. 150 Yellow Jacket. Homestake 150 Sier Vio Onick Silver. 150 Quick Silver. 25 Gio Quick Silver, pref. 190 Sio finiwer.

The total sales of stocks to-day were 284, 60 shares, including Chicago Gas, 20,540; irle, 2,850; Northern Paulic preferred, 8,359; New England, 8,550; Reading, 76,945; St. Paul, 436; Union Pacific, 3,740; Western Union,

| | Open ing. | High ext. | Low cst. | Clos- | Dec 5. |
|---|----------------------------------|--|---------------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------------|
| Am. Cotton Oil Am. Cotton till, pfd. Am. Sugar Refg. Co. Am. Su Befg. Co. | 51 107% 101% | 48 81 1075 1015 | 43 31 316 \(\frac{1}{2}\) | 43 81 316 30114 | 425 81 1073 1014 |
| Am. Sa. Refg. Co. ptd. Atch., Top. & S. F., Buttmore & Ohto Canadian Pacine | 30% | 25% 56 | 35 94% | 25 5434 8934 | 943 |
| Canada Southern Central of N. Jersey | 36 | 5014 | 55% | 25.534 | 90 563 127 |
| Central Pacific | | ***** | ***** | HATE STATE | 281 |
| Chicago Gas Trust C., Rur. & Quincy C., M. & St. Paul. C., M. & St. Paul. pfd C., Back I. & P. C., St. P. M. & O., pref | 90% 90% 75% | 50% 300 78% | 92% 99% 78% | 90% 99% 78% | 531 595 79 |
| C. Bock I. & P C. St. P.M.&O., pref | 12170 82% 11975 | 1215 ₂ 83 1194 ₄ | 12114 8216 12016 | 8236 | 121 829 117 |
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| D. & C. F. Trust | 82% 89 104% | 63% 69% 101% | 51% 66% 99 | 51% 97% 19% 23 | 525 681 1013 |
| Lake Erie & West L. E. & W., pref Lake Shore & M. S Louisville & Nash | 75 130% 70% | 75 130% 70% | 74% 130 70% | 74% 125% 70% | 235 745 130 715 |
| Manhattan | 34½ 56½ 139 | 38% 56% 139 | 101 34% 55% 136 | 381g 551g 13854 | 1315 34 361 1381 |
| Nat. Cord. Co., pref. National Lead Co., Nat. Lead Co., pref. | 114 47% 30 100% | 114 47% 93 109% | 11836 4696 90 10094 | 118 45% 54 100% | 47) 47) 91 1094 |
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| N.Y.C. St.L. 2 pref N.Y.L. E. & W | 24% | 24% | 2634 | 2514 2514 | 245 554 |
| National Lead Co., Nat. Lead Co., pref. Nat. Vedd Co., pref. Nat. Vork Central. N. Y. C. & St. L. I. Pref. N. Y. C. & St. L. I. pref. N. Y. L. & W. Pref. N. Y. C. & W. St. N. St. Oxfolk & Western | 42 15% 10% | 42% 18% 10% | 42 16% 10% | 47% 18% 10% | 185 105 |
| Norfolk & West, pref. North American Co. Northern Pacific North'n Pacific pref. Ohio & Mississippi | 12% 17% 45% | 3234 1795 4894 | 12 17% 48% | 38% 32 37% 48% | 17% 17% 48% |
| Ohio & Mississippi Pacific Mail. A. P. 13. & E. Phila. & Reading P. C. C. & St. L. P. C. C. & St. L. P. C. C. & St. L. P. C. T. St. L. P. C. C. & St. | 28 ½ 16% 56% | 28% 36% 55% | 28% 16% 54% | 21 28% 36% 54% | 21 h 28 h 16 h |
| P. C. C.& St. i. pref Pailman Palace Car Hichmond & W.P.T. | 59% 197% 8% | 60 19715 816 | 59% 197% 8 | 19% 59 197 8 | 20% 89% 197 83 |
| R. & W. P. T. pref., Texas Pacific Union Pacific Wapash | 935 936 37 | 956 8756 11 | 914 3614 11 | 36 916 3615 3616 | |
| Waliesh pref | 34% 89% 20% | 2016 2016 | 24% 88% 20% | 2014 854s 201s | 24% 86% 20% |

BIG RECEIPTS AND STOCKS

Depress the Cereals, and Hog Products Weaken on Rea izing. CHICAGO, Dec. 6 .- The fog smothering the

visions. Following are the declines: May wheat, \(\)c; May corn and oats, \(\)c; January pork, 15c; lard, 3236c, and ribs, 19c.
Wheat receipts in the Northwest were very heavy, 1,145 cars. Cables were generally easy. The amount of wheat and flour on ocean passage increased 240,000 bushels, and the English visible supply made a gain of 840,000 during the last week. The amount of contract wheat in store here in-

amount of contract wheat in store here increased nearly 400,000 bushels during the same week. In the face of those factors the market held up wonderfully well. This was due almost entirely to the prevalent belief that strong parties were absorbing the wheat about as last as it was offered. Later in the day it was rumored that Cudahy was selling out. Pardridge also sold freely and the feeling turned weak, with plenty of wheat for sale.

The corn market opened at about the closing quotations of yesterday, sold up 1/20/4c, due in a meaure to the unseasonable weather, but the advance did not hold, a good deal of corn coming out afterward, influenced by the decline of wheat and oats. The weakness in the low grades of new corn also cut some little figure in the speculative market.

bushels.
On the Produces Exchange to-day the butter market was steady; creamery, 19@30c; dairy, 19@26c. Eggs firm; strictly fresh, 23% @24c.

| ASTICLES. | Open- ing. | High- | est. | Clos- | Dec. 8 |
|--|------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------|--------------------------|
| WHEAT. December January May July CORN. | 71% 73 78% | 71% 73 78% | 71% 72% 78% | 7134 7235 7835 7736 | 71 M 78 78 M 78 |
| December | 42 43 47% 47% | - 42 43 47% 47% | 41% 42% 46% 47 | 41% 42% 66% 67 | 41% 47% 47% |
| December | 3114 3115 3015 | 3014 3136 35% | 30 31 24% | 20 21 24% | 30 3134 3534 |
| January, | 15 17 15 95 | 16 20 15 95 | 15 50 15 67 | 15 85 15 67 | 16 00 15 75 |
| December January May SHORT RIBS. | 10 15 9 25 | 10 15 9 25 | 9 75 9 00 | 9 70 9 75 9 00 | 10 60 10 67 9 20 |
| January | 8 30 8 20 | 8 30 8 30 | 8 22 8 17 | 8 22 8 17 | 8 32 8 22 |

Car receipts for to-day: Wheat, 257; corn, 449; oats, 341. Estimates for to-morrow: Wheat, 170; corn, 290; oats, 185. GENERAL MARKETS.

New York-Flour-Receipts, 49,000 packages; exports, 3,500 barrels, 30,400 sacks; mar-

ket duli and weak; sales, 9,200 barrels. Cornmeal steady and duli. Wheat-Receipts, 193,600 bushels; exports, 3,000 bushels; saiss, 950,000 bushels futures, 1,000 trushels spot; spot dull, lower, weak; No. red, 77c, store and elevator, 773/@78c affoat, 78@79e f. o. b.: No. 3 red, 7314@74c; ungraded red, 70@79c; No. 1 Northern,833/@833/e; maded red. 70@79c; No. 1 Northern, 834@834c; No. 2 Northern, 794@794c; No. 2 Milwaukee, 755@754c; No. 3 spring. 724@734c; options were very dull and 14@%c lower, closing weak; the decline was due to an increase in the amount on presage and in the Enrich visible; No. 2 red. December, 795@7676c, closing at 784c; January, 77 11-16@774c, closing at 784c; May, 834@834c; closing at 824c. By dull and steady.

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Cour-Receipts, 120,000 bushels; exports, 65,000 bushels; sailes, 340,000 bushels futures; 80,000 bushels spot; spot moderately active and easier; No. 2, 497,600 in elevator; 509,60 bic_afloat; optious were duit and 1,600,00 lower and weak, following wheat; December; 497,650%c, closing at 497,c; January, 501,600,c; closing at 501,c; May, 523,652%c, closing at 52%c.

closing at 32%c.

OATS — Receipts, 48,000 bushels; exports, 2,000 bushels; sales, 90,000 bushels futures; 76,000 bushels spot; spot dull: whites slower; options dull and weaker; December, 354% 35%c, closed at 35%c; January, 37,637%c, closing at 37%c; May, 394,639%c; closing at 33%c; spot No. 2 white, 41,4642c; mixed Western, 356238c; white do, 40647%c; No. 2 Chicago, 37,46374c.

Single: spot No. 2 white, 415,6340c; mixed Western, 366,385; white do, 406,475; c. No. 2 Chicago, 374,6371/2c.

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GROCERIES—Coffee options opened barely steady and 10 to 35 noints off, closed firm and unchanged to 50 points down: sales, 50,730 bars, including: December, Is. 55,6016, 10c; January, 15.556; 15 70c; February, IS.356; 15.0c; March. 15.256; 15.0c; May, 15.656; 15.25c; July, 48.56,15.05c; September, 14.96,15,10c; October, 14.80c; spot Bio dull and easy; No. 7, 16%, 617c. Surar firm and dull: refined fairly active and firm. Molasse—New Orleans quiet and easy. Rice active and steady.

Corrors SEED OIL firmer; crude, 35c bid; yellow, 38,640c.

Tallow dull and weak; city (\$2 for packages, 4%,65c.

ages:, 4%@5c.
Rosin quiet and weaker; strained, common to good, \$1 27%@1 3214.
Tutrentine until and weaker at 31@3114c.
Eggs quiet; fancy steady; receipts, 6,924

packures.
Hiddes steady and quiet.
Hos Products—Pork quiet and firm: old mess, \$14 50@14 75; new mess, \$15 50@16 00; extra prime, \$17 60@17 50. Cut meats dult; middles quiet: short clear, \$2 65. Lard quiet; Western steam closed at \$10 15 asked; sales, none: option sales, 1,250 tierces; December, \$10 25, closing at \$10 10; January, \$10 30@19 324, closing at \$10 10. -liutter quiet and steady. se fairly active and firm.

Cheese fairly active and firm.

Minneapolis—There is evidence cropping out that holders of wheat are becoming discouraged. May went down 3/c. It opened at 73/c and closed at 73/c. December opened at 67/c and closed at 67/c. There was considerable trading. There was a good weakness in the cash market. No. 1 Northern declined nearly le on the principal prices from yesterday. There were 96 cars sold early at 67/c. In No. 2 Northern 50 cars sold early at 67/c. In No. 2 Northern 50 cars sold at 61c. But weakness toward the close after most of the sales had been made brought the price down. Receipts of wheat here were 5/6 cars, and at Deluth and Superior 570 cars. Close: December, 67/s/c; resterday, 67/s/c; May, 77/s/c; yesterday, 73/s/c; on track, No. 1 hard, 68/s/c; No. 1 Northern, 66/s/c; No. 2 Northern, 66/s/c; No. 1 Northern, 66/s/c; No. 2 Northern, 66/s/c; No. 1 Northern, 66/s/c; No. 2 Northern, 66/s/c; N

Philadelphia - Flour steadily held at old Philadelphia—Flour steadily held at old rates with a fair husiness. Wheat inactive and featureless: No. 2 red, in export elevator, 74%; No. 2 red, December, for export, 74%; No. 2 red, December, for export, 74%; No. 2 red, December, 74%; March, 79%; March, 79%; March, 79%; March, 79%; March, 19%; March, 1

firm: Pennsylvania firsts, 20630c.

St. Louis - Flour unchanged. Wheat sold active early, then dropped 161%; c: later there was a partial recovery, and the close was 3/c below yesterday's: cash, 683/c: December, 673/c: January, 683/c: May, 753/c. Corn was a sinde better early, but soon broke, and closed 3/c under yesterday; cash, 673/c: December, 593/c: January. 38: February, 283/c: May, 423/c. Oats—Cash firm at 313/c: May lower at 34/c. By duli at 47c. Barley active: Minnesota soid at 54/61c. Bran lower at 60c on track. Hay quiet and unchanged. Cornmeal quiet at \$1.85.

Baltimore—Wheat firm: No. 2 and spot

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Baltimore—Wheat firm: No. 2 red, spot and December, 73% (674c; January, 746754c; May, 89% (614c). Corn steady; No. 2 mixed, spot 49640c; year, 48% (495). January, 48% (485). February, 48% (496). January, 48% (485). January, 48% (496). January, 48% (

28c. Coffee firm.

Teledo—Wheat dull and steady; No. ? cash and December, 74½c: May, 79½c. Corn inactive: No. 2 cash, 42½c; May, 47c. Oats quiet; cash, 83c. Glovorseed active and higher; prime, cash, 87 47: January, \$7 50; March, \$7 63. Receipts—Flour, 183 barrels; wheat, 33 563 bushels; corn, 1,940 bushels; oats, 1,000 bushels; cloverseed, 338 bags. Shipments—Flour, 2,541 barrels, wheat, 23,200 bushels; corn, 2,500 bushels; cass, 400 bushels; iye. 1,200 bushels; cloverseed, 250 bags.

Milwankee—Flour outet. Wheat casy Chicago, Dec. 6.—The fog smothering the telegraph wires choked off nearly all business from cutside to-day. Heavy stocks and ness from cutside to-day. Heavy stocks and receipts weighed down wheat with corn and oats sympathizing, while the manipulators appeared to be relaxing their hold on pro-

easy. Pork January, \$15.87%. Lard. January, \$9.7734. Receipts—Flour. 3.800 barrels; wheat, 61.700 bushels, barley, 73,400 bushels. Snipments—Flour, 33.400 burrels; wheat, 16,-100 bushels; barley, 20,000 bushels.

100 bushels; barley, 20,000 bushels.
Cincinnati.—Flour quiet. Wheat steady;
No. 2 red, 70c; receipts, 3,500 bushels; shipments, 2,000 bushels. Corn in moderate demand; No. 2 mixed, 42%c. Oats in good demand and steady; No. 2 mixed, 35c. Bye dull; No. 2, 54c. Pork steady at \$14.25.
Lard easier at \$9.37%. Bulkmeats strong at \$9.75. Bacon slow at \$9.623/69.75. Whisky in good demand and higher; sales, 943 barrels at \$1.20. Butter slow and easy. Cheese steady but quiet. Eggs quiet and steady. Sugar firm.

Kunsas City — Wheat active and firm.
Corn steady: No. 2 mixed, 33634c; No. 2
white, 336334c. Oats steady; No. 2 mixed,
294,63034c; No. 2 white, 31633c. Rve steady;
No. 4764734c. Receipts—Wheat, 100,000 bushels; corn, 100,000 bushels; cats, none. Shipments—Wheat, 83,000 bushels; corn, 8,000 bushels; oats, 1,000 bushels; corn, 3,000 bushels; oats, 1,000 bushels.

Buffalo-Wheat-No. 1 hard dull at 82½c; No. 1 Northern, 79c; No. 2 red, 76c; Corn-No. 2, 47c, Receipts-Wheat, 22,000 bushels; corn, 150,000 bushels. Shipments-Wheat, 183,000 bushels; corn, 180,000 bushels. New Orleans-Western produce, sugar, molasses and rice markets firm and un-

AN OIL LEASE DECISION.

The Right of Forfeiture Defined by the Supreme Court-It Is Favorable to the Oil Operators-One Producer and a Duster

Reported Yesterday.

A decision of the utmost importance to the oil operators of the country was quite recently handed down by the Supreme

the oil operators of the country was quite recently handed down by the Supreme Court. It was on the appeal of John Glasgow against H. P. Griffith, lessee, and his assignee, the Chartlers Oil Company, from the decision of the Butler county courts. It finally settles the question as to the forfeiture of leases, which has for so long been a subject of dispute and litigation between oil operators and land owners.

It has been maintained in the past, even by eminent attorneys, that the party who leases a farm for the purpose of drilling for oil or gas and agrees to drill within a certain length of time, or has the option of holding the lease by paying a stipulated amount at designated intervals, can be compelled to make these payments whether he is desirons of so doing or otherwise, during the length of time designated in the lease.

The operators have steadily maintained that they could forteit a lease, on which they were satisfied no oil or gas could be obtained, by neglecting to drill and by failing to meet the payments as required in the lease. They have been sustained by the Supreme Court. Usually the land owner receives a heavy bonus when the lease is signed, and if the lesses should be compelled to make monthly payments on a lease which was barren of oil or gas he would be giving something for nothing. If the lesse does nothing on the demised land, the penalty for his inaction is forfeiture, but he may prevent the assertion of this forfeiture by paying the monthly installments, as is generally stipulated in the lease, and thus postpone the right of forfeiture for one month or from mouth to month, as he sees fit.

In case he forfeits the lease, the farmer of lease areas when he already received a

In case he forfelts the lease, the farmer or land owner, who has already received a bonus, and possibly several payments, has the privilege of re-leasing his land When Oll or Gas Is Found If the lessee drills and finds oil or gas, the relation of landlord and tenant is estab-lished, and the tenant would be under an

implied obligation to operate for the com-mon good of both parties and pay the rent mon good of both parties and pay the rent or royalty reserved.

The action in the above case centered in the following clause:

"Provided, however, that this lease shall become null and void, and all rights hereunto shall cease and determine, unless a well shall be completed on the said premises within one month from the date hereof, or unless the lessee shall pay at the rate o: \$100 monthly in advance for each additional month such completion is delayed from the time above mentioned for the completion of such well until a well is completed."

The lessor sued on assumpett to recover three monthly payments, but the Supreme Court held that the lessee could elect whether he should hold or forfeit the lease. In the case of Ray versus the Natural Gas Company the lessor had an election whether to assert the forieture provided for or waive it and proceed upon covenants of the lessee.

The oil operators are feeling jubliant over

lessee.

The oil operators are feeling jubliant over the victory of H. P. Griffith and the Chartiers Oil Company, as they claim it will relieve them from much annoyance and litigation at the hands of avaricious land owners, who are not satisfied with a munificent bonus, but insist on their pound of fieth, though their property has suffered no damage.

One Producer and a Duster. Co.'s No. 2 on the W. G. Cook farm, south of Laurel Hill, reached the Gordon sand yesterday, and is making 13 barrels

Greenlee & Forst's No. 2 on the Oak Ridge Coal Company's property, east of Oakdale, was drilled through the fifth sand yesterday, and is absolutely dry. They were expecting the sand at every bit yesterday afternoon in their No. 1 Woods. ternoon in their No. 1 Woods.

The Wheeling Gas Company's No. 4 on the Gladden farm, was one bit in the Gordon sand yesterday and showing for 100 barrels a day. No. 2 Scott is on top of the Gordon. They located No. 3 Woods yesterday, as an offset to the well on the Dr. Miller farm.

The Devonian Oil Company's No. 2 Cubbage will be in the Gordon sand this morning.

The Tidal Oil Company's No. 10 Marshall The Tidal Oil Company's No. 10 Marshall was drilling in the bottom of the fourth sand yesterday, and No. 8 is in the Gordon. They are building rigs for Nos. 11 and 12 on the same tarm. They are rigging up at Nos. 6 and 7 on the Gladden farm.

The People's Gas Company's No. 148 on the Wallace farm is down 520 feet; their No. 150 Waihace is drilling at 1,300 feet; No. 160 Dixon is down 1,150 feet; No. 161 Dixon, 1,200 feet; No. 163 Kelso is being rigged up, and No. 162 McMurray is 1,200 teet deep.

Fighting for a Lease, There is trouble near Midway. Some time ago T. B. Robbins is reported to have sold a piece of property to a man named Bazanella. Robbins leased the off and gas right to a Mr. Miller, and subsequently Bazenella leased to a Mr. McCarty. The latter assigned his lease to "Curiy" Phillips. Miller took possession of the lease Monday and built a tank on it. Yesterday Messrs. Phillips and McCarty, assisted by 25 Italians, earried the tank off the lease, and last evening the Italians employed by Mr. Phillips were in possession.

Miller & Harrell are finishing up a well on The Gauges Yesterday. The estimated production of the McDonald field yesterday was 20,000 barrels, 500 less than the day before. The Woodland Oil

Company's No. 2 Scott was making 50 barrels an hour; Knox & Co.'s No. 2 Scott, 20 barrels an hour: Jennings & Co.'s No. 1 Sprout, 25 an Four. The stock in the field was 45,000

Four. The stock in the field was 45,000 barrels.
The runs from the Sistersville field were 15,773 barrels. Runs and Shipments Monday The National Transit runs were 26,688; shipments, 35,337. Runs of Southwest Penn-

sylvania from McDonaid, 13,187; outside of McDonald, 8,379; total ruas, 21,565. Buckeye runs of Macksburg oil, 3,772 shipments, not in. Buckeye runs of Lima oil, 48,354; shipin. Buckeye runs of Lima oil, 48,354; ship-ments, 58,390. Eureka runs, 19,997; shipments, 2,007. New York Transit shipments, 53,542. Southern Pipe Line shipments, 22,451. The runs of the Tidewater Pipe Line Com-pany on Monday were 5,224: total, 21,778; average, 4,356. Shipments Monday, 27,133; total, 56,624: iverage, 11,325. The runs on the Western and Atlantic Pipe Line on Monday were 3,777; shipments, 3,131.

The Oil Market.

Hange of the January option: Opening, 55%c; highest, 55%c; lowest, 55%c; closing,

Refined oil-New York, \$5 50; London, 434 Refined oil—New York, \$5 50; London, 4½ 624d: Antwerp, 12½c.
New York, Dec. 6.—The petroleum market opened and closed steady. Not'a single transaction was reported. The nominal quotation at the close was 53½c bid, 53½c asked. Linna oil, 17c bid.
On CITY, Dec. 6.—Market opened at 53½c; closed, 53½c; highest, 53½c; lowest, 55½c; sales, 30,000 barrels; clearances, 136,000 uarrels; shipments, 143,591 barrels; runs, 81,003 barrels.

JOSEPH WALTON'S FUNERAL

He Will Be Interred From His Late Resi-

dence Thursday Afternoon. The remains of the late Joseph Walton will be interred on Thursday afternoon in the Allegheny Cemetery from his late residence, No. 187 Western avenue, Allegheny. The interment will be private. Rev. Story, pastor of the North Avenue Methodist Episcopal Church, will conduct the services. The pallbearers will be: L. N. Bun-

LOCALS

Phillie Opens Up Firmer, but Closes on a Fractional Loss.

TRACTIONS STILL QUITE WEAK. No Important Features in Any of the Other Groups of Etocks.

NOVEMBER FIRE LOSS AND COMPARISONS

TUESDAY, Dec. 6. To-day's market for local securities opened with firmness in Philadelphia Company and weakness in Duquesne traction still the features. The latter sold down to 26%, but at that point a fairly good demand developed and the decline was checked, whether temporarily or not remains to be seen. Philadelphia Company was quoted 21@21% at the first call, which figures showed a light advance over the previous close, but later a little softening occurred, and the close was barely steady at 20%@ 20%. In the other usually active shares no changes of consequence were established, changes of consequence were established, and in a general way the market was unusually dull and uninteresting, trading being light and bids and offers about unchanged. There was no particular pressure to sell anything on the list and very little of a disposition to buy. Westinghouse electric was offered at 35% against sales at 35% after the close yesterday, but no bids were drawn out. In Boston the quotations at noon were 35% 36% airbrake, Union Switch and Signal and Underground Cable were quoted as usual, but evidently more from a desire to get the figures on the board than any hope of doing business. There was considerable skirmishing along the Luster line by the principal bear and the leader of the bull contingent, during which the merits and demerits of the stock were rather freely discussed, but nothing came of it excepting a small sale at 9 and the charge that the company's debts were largely in excess of its charter limitations.

Unlisted street railway securities were quoted as follows: P. & B. traction, 24% 24%; Duquesne traction, 26% bid; P., A. & M. traction, 43% 244; Central traction 5s, 104% bid.

Allecheny County Light Company 6s were quoted at 102 bid at the second call.

Just after the close of the last call \$3,000 Pniladelphia Company bonds were offered at par and interest, and 300 shares Luster at 9. and in a general way the market

November's Fire Loss. The fire loss of the United States and Canada for the month of November shows a to-tal of \$12,008,700. The following statistics ex-

hibit the losses during the first 11 months of 1890, 1891 and 1892;

ation regarding the condition of the coal business from all quarters, both East and

West, is of a satisfactory character, says the Philadelphia Ledger. There has been an im-proved demand for the prepared sizes of proved demand for the prepared sizes of anthracite, and the small steam coals are in short supply, the market requirements being largely in excess of the supply at present. The prices for anthracite have also stiffened, even for the inferior grades of coal, and there is now heard less talk of sluading from the circular figures. The output of anthracite is being well held in hand by the producing interests, and all of the carrying companies are said to be now working into closer harmony. Financial Notes.

Kuhn Bros. and H. M. Long sold Duquesne traction to-day, and J. B. Barbour, Law cance & Co and Hill & Co. bourbt. Morris & Brown sold Philadelphia Com-

pany to Hill & Co.

Kuhn Bros. sold Luster to Hill & Co.

The following gentlemen were t Kuhn Bros. sold Luster to Hill & Co.

The following gentlemen were to-day elected directors of the Monongabela Insurance Company: William A. Caldwell, George A. Herry, George W. Dilworth, Charles Atwell, James A. McDevitt, Charles H. Spang, J. W. Dalizell, John G. Stephenson, Charles H. Shinkle, A. D. Smith, Nathaniel Holmes, H. L. Mason, John Caldwell, Jr., R. S. Smith, Clifford D. Claney.

Secretary useorge H. Thurston gives notice to stockholders of the Pittsburg and Mexican Tin Mining Company that the certificates of Pittsburg Gold Company stock, from which a dividend was declared to the stockholders of the Pittsburg and Mexican Tin Mining Company, are now ready for delivery. It is necessary that the stockholders should come to the office of the company in person, or by attorney, to receipt for the certificates they are entitled to, and high the receipt for the dividend.

It is stated that the inte Joseph Walton carried \$200,000 life insurance in two companies, \$100,000 each in the Equitable and New York Life.

Nominations for officers and directors of the Exchange will be made on the 20th instant. Messrs. Whitney and Stephenson control a big majority of the memberships, and it is thought they will have something to do with the make-up of the ticket.

The Philadelphia Company has brought in another good gas well on the Howe farm in the West Elizabeth field.

From Sproul & Co.'s market letter: The news from Brussels to-day was exceedingly discouraging. If current reports are to be accepted, the end of the conference cannot be long deayed, and its conclusion, it furthermore seems, will be without result. A sharp drop in silver was the natural sequence of this, and though silver itself has no real bearing upon the general market, the latter was weak and declined readily. The latt of the matter seems to be that Wall street regards an agitation for the repeal of the Sherman act as inevitable and is disposed to leel dublous, not only about the result, but regarding the time which may be required to accomplish it.

J. S. Bache & Co. to Oakley & Co.: The President's message was an unimportant document. It touched upon all questions, but it does not bring forward any new ideas. The President thinks that nothing ought to be done with silver until our representatives are heard from at Brussels, and this next of the message was favorably comsentatives are heard from at Brussels, and this part of the message was favorately commented upon. It is to be hoped that the conference will get over their labors soon, so that a repeal of the 1890 law can be brought forward. The price of silver was notably weak, and it declined on small sales. Some people say that the miners at Greede are so rich with ore that they can afford to sell it at 30 and still make a profit out of it.

An authority on the matter says it will not make a particle of difference to the Union Switch and Signal Company if the Johnson Company wins in the litigation, as, of the two patents litigated, one has already expired and the other expires within two years.

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The London Times, speaking editorially of the Monetary Conference, says: "It is not going too iar to say that the Monetary Conference has already resulted in failure."

The earnings of the Buffalo, Rochester and Pittsburg for the fourth week of November, show an increase of \$18,397.

The carnings of the Wabash for the fourth week of November increased \$17,000; for the month they show a decrease of \$18,500.

The St. Paul's earnings for the fourth week of November increased \$29,325; for the month of November the increase was \$126,118.

The Board of Directors of the Commercial Cable Company have declared a quarterly dividend of 1% per cent, payable January 3, 1995. They have also resolved to redeem \$600,000 of the outstanding dependence of the

\$600,000 of the outstanding detentures of the company January 15, 1883.

For the morth of November the Pittsburg and Western's earnings were \$198,631, an inand Western's earnings were \$185,631, an increase of \$6,172.

The directors of the American Sugar Refining Company have declared the usual quarterly dividend of 2½ per cent on the common and 3½ per cent semi-annual on the preferred, both payable January 3, 1838.

Sales and Closing Quotations.

So far as transactions were concerned the

FIRST CALL-NO SALES. AFTER CALL. 5 shares Lustre Mining Company. *SECOND CALL. AFTER CALL 100 shares Philadelphia Company

THIRD CALL-NO SALES. Total sales, 160 shares. Closing bids and

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| Allemannia Ins | | 50 75 | | 50 | **** | 50 75 |
| City | 35 32 | 35 | | | 85 | |
| Western Insurance. | 25 | 38 | **** | 40 | :::: | 40 |
| Chartlers Val. Gas P. N. G. & P. Co | 936 | 11% | 956 | 1114 | 936 | 1114 |
| Philadelphia Co Wheeling Gas Co TRACTIONS. | 21 17 | 21% 18 | 20% 17% | 21 18 | 20% 17% | 20% |
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| N. Y. & C. G. C.Co | 50 | 51 | 50 | 51 | 50 | 51 |
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| U. S. & S. Co., pfd West. Airbrake Co. Standard U. C. Co. | 74% | 12014 | 127 | 130 76 | 37% 127 74% | 130 76 |

Closing Philadelphia Quotation Electric Stocks. Boston, Dec. 6.—[Special.]—Closing quo Bid. 114 . 135 . 113

Boston Electric Light Co.
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cent. New York exchange, 25c premium. Clearings, \$2.505,550. MEMPHIS, TENN., Dec. 6.—Clearings, \$720,143; balances, \$149,453. New York exchange at par.
New Orleans, La., Dec. &-Clearings,

Foreign Financial.

LONDON, Dec. 6.—Amount of builton with-irawn from the Bank of England on balance drawn from the Bank of England on balance to-day, £32,000. Paris, Dec. 6.—Three per cent rentes, 991 90c for the account. - HAVANA, Dec. 6.—Spanish gold, 2.54%@2.54%. HAVANA, Dec. 6.—Spanish gold, 2.544@2.544.

Exchange quiet.

London, Dec. 6.—Closing—Consuls, money, 975-16; do account, 977-16. N. Y., P. & O. 1sts, 934; Canadian Pacific, 913; Erie, 25; Erie 2ad., 1043; Illinois Central, 1044; Mexican Ordinary, 213; St. Paul common, 803; New York Central, 1124; Pennsyivania, 543; Reading, 283; Mexican Central New 48, 684; bar silver, 803; di money, 114 per cent. Rate of discount in the open market for both short and three months' bills, 24 per cent.

New York, Dec. 6.—[Special.]—Bar silver in London ½d lower at 38%d per ounce, New York dealers' price for assay bars, %c lower at 34%c per ounce.

Cotton. NEW YORK, Dec. 6 .- Cotton steady; middling uplands, 9%c; middling Orleans, 9 9-16c; sales, 1,045 bales.

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Galveston, Dec. 6.—Cotton steady; midding, 8%c; low midding, 9%c; good ordinary, 8%c; net and gross receipts, 7,988 bales; exports coastwise, 4,810 bales; sales, 1,885 bales; stock, 149,520 bales.

New Onleans, Dec. 6.—Cotton steady; middling, 95-16c; low middling, 8 15-16c; good ordinary, 8 7-16c; net receipts, 22,182 bales; gross, 22,630 bales; exports to, the continent, 2,200 bales; coastwise, 5,687 bales; sales, 5,300 bales; stock, 238,365 bales.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 6.—The wool market was dull; prices nominal and without was dull; prices nominal and stronge change.

London, Dec. 6.—At the wool sales to-day is 285 bales of average quality were offered. There was a fair attendance and the competition was active for the better growths of scoured and greasy. The lower grades were slower of sale. Pieces and lambs' wool of all sorts and Cane of Good Hope and Natal wools were in strong demand.

Drygoods. New York, Dec. 6.—The demand for dry-goods was fair to-day, chiefly on the part of the smaller trade. Agents made the price of Masonville 44 bleached shirting 9c and Davol 44 beached 9c. All Washington prints were advanced 5 per cent. In other directions the market was without new in-terest, but with a good demand for prints.

New York, Dec. 6.—Pig iron in moderate demand: American, \$13 00@15 59. Copper-quiet and firm; lake, \$12 10 bid. Lead quiet; domestic, \$3 75. Tin weaker; straits, \$19 55.

New York, Dec. 6.—Wool quiet and firm; domestic fleece, 25@35c; pulled, 20@32c; Texas, 15@21c. The Boy Was Kind of Dry.

The Coroner yesterday concluded the inquest on the death of Joseph Flannery, 3 years old, who died at his parents' home on Sunday night. The jury found that death resulted from acute alcoholism. Patrick Flannery, the child's father, testified that Flannery, the child's father, testified that "the boy was kind of dry, and I gave him a taste of liquor, merely to wet his lips. He lay down, and about 9:30 he got up and drank the balance of the liquor which I had left in the bureau. I was downstairs and heard a noise and went upstairs, and he said he had drank the wine. I put him to bed and went to church. When I returned he was kind of numb and unconscious. I sent for Dr. O'Brien, who did all scious. I sent for Dr. O'Brien, who did all he could for him. There was about a good glassful in the bottle."

The suit brought by the Rev. William R. Covert on Monday against George W. Harper for damages, for alleged slander, was settled yesterday and discontinued by Mr. Covert

THE MORNINGSIDE DISTRICT.

Tract on Morningside Avenue Sold For the Second Time Within a Week at a Good Profit-Building Permi's, Gossip and Late Transactions. TUESDAY, Dec. 6.

A very quick and profitable turn in Morningside avenue realty has just been made by Mr. Charles Schwan, of the East End. About a week ago Mr. Schwan pur-chased from W. C. Lyne the property on Morningside avenue, comprising 12½ acres, having a frontage of about 480 feet and extending through to Hawthorne street, a distance of about 1,400 feet, for \$36,500. On Saturday last the tract again changed hands through the agency of Messra. Skivington, through the agency of Messra. Skivington, Pedder & Co., for a price approximating \$40,000. The exact price paid is withheld for the present, as is the name of the purchaser, but it is understood and the approximate figures show that Mr. Schwan realized a very good profit. When the consideration of this deal is made known, which will be in a few days, as rapid and large an iscrease in value will be shown as has yet occurred in the East End.

Notes of Gossip. George N. Beckwith, the East End real estate agent, leaves Wednesday morning for Urbana, O., on a week's hunting trip. Urbana, O., on a week's hunting trip.

A commission has been appointed to select a site for the Allegheny postoffice.

The following gentlemen have been appointed by Secretary Foster at the suggespointed by Secretary Foster at the sugges-tion of Congressman William A. Stone: Assistant Secretary Gear, as the representa-tive of the department, and D. P. Oliver and F. J. Torrence, of Allegheny, as the citizen members. It is reported that Mr. Gear is of the opinion that the price asked for the Graham property is too high, and it is very probable that another site will be selected. The commission will enter upon its duties at once. at once.
Dixon & Hart have succeeded the former-

Dixon & Hart have succeeded the formerly well-known real estate firm of Lamb & Dixon.

Another sale of Liberty street realty occurred to-day. The several important deals in realty fronting on this thoroughfare which have been closed and are being kept quiet for the present, will be made known before the close of the present week. Building Permits.

The following permits were issued to-day: Mrs. Mary M. Thompson, a two-story brick building, S. Highland avenue, near Walnut street: cost \$6,500. Mrs. J. Meeks, a twostory frame dwelling, Home street, between Fifty-first and Fifty-second street; cost \$1,470. Andrew Cashdanler, a two-story brick slaughter house and stable, Foster street, between Thirty-eighth and Thirty-ninth street; cost \$2,500. Wilhelm J. Miller, a two-story frame dwelling, Albert street, near Bailey's farm; cost \$450. Reported by the Brokers.

J. H. Coleman & Co. sold for S. S. Wilson to H. L. Benner a house and a lot on Herron avenue, 24x130, for a price approximating \$3,500.

Black & Baird sold to A. C. Ellis lots Nos

ward, having a frontage of 40 feet on Colleges avenue and extending back 110 feet to an alley. The purchaser is W. A. Thomas, of the East End, who will erect a handsome

NO CHANGE IN CREAMERY.

Sales Made on the Elgin Butter Board a Last Week's Prices-Poultry Doing Bet ter-Hay Weaker-Other Features of the Local Wholesale Markets. TUESDAY, Dec. 6.

As was stated in yesterday's report, sales of creamery butter were made on the Elgin board vesterday at 30c per lb. This was the same price that prevailed a week ago, and, therefore, there will be no change in local quotations this week. The market is rather bare of first-class goods, however, and may be quoted firm at the figures given below. Poultry is doing a little better, but the market is still burdened with held stock. Quotations are for fresh, attractive receipts

only.

Hay is slightly weaker, owing to increased receipts and the soft weather.

Oldear corn has almost ceased to arrive and we quote the selling price of new. The arrivals of ear are hardly equal to the de-

arrivals of ear are hardly equal to the demand, hence spot ear corn is picked up promptly on arrival. Future sales have to be made at lower figures, as we learn shippers are able to get more cars now than last week.

Good, plump, well cleaned hogs sell promptly, with medium to lightweights preferred. Roasters will be wanted during the holidays and should be forwarded in time to realize best prices.

That a good, steady demand continues for prime Jersey sweet potatoes is evidenced by the way prices are being supported, holders experiencing little or no trouble in obtaining quotations for all offerings that meet requirements of buyers.

Exgs and cheese are steady to firm; game is more abundant, but continues to be well held; sugar, coffee and hog products are firm; finur is steady, and oats, while lower in the West, are unchanged here.

Grain, Flour and Feed. Only one sale occurred on call at the Grain and Flour Exchange to-day—one car half white middlings and half screenings, five days, at \$17 00 and \$11 00 respectively Bids and offers:

No. 2 white oats...... No. 2 yellow ear corn.... Mixed oats. No. 2 yellow shelled corn... No. 1 red wheat.... 77 FIVE DAYS. TEN DA'S. No. 2 yellow car corn. No. 2 white oats..... No. 1 timothy hay..... Heceints bulletined: Via the P. C., C. & St. L.—3 cars onts, 7 cars hay, 10 cars corn. 1 I car bran. 1 car wheat; via the P., Ft. W. & C.—10 cars oats, 2 cars corn, 14 cars hay, 1 car wheat, 1 car flour, 1 car barley, 1 car mait. Total, 50 cars.

The following quotations for grain, feed, hay and straw are for cariots on track. Dealers charge a small advance from store. BANGE OF THE MARKET. a small advance from store.]

WHEAT—No. 2 red.
CORN—No. 2 yellow ear.

High mixed ear.
Mixed car.
No. 2 yellow shelled.
High u ixed shelled.
Mixed shelled.
New No. 2 yellow shelled.
New high mixed shelled corn.
OATS—No. 1 white.
FXITA NO. 3 white.
FXITA NO. 3 white.
RYE—No. 1 Western.

SUGAR-Patent cut-loss, 5%c; cubes, 5c; powdered, 5c; granulated (standard), 6%c; confectioners A, 48-16c; soft A, 4894%c; takey reliow, 4%c; fair yellow, 4%giffact common yellow, 1%68-c; COFFRE-Roasted, in packages—Standard brands, 218-26c; second grades, 21%263%c; flacey grades, 27%630%c; floore, 37%630c; Mocha, 3%c630c; Marzachto, 29%c; Peaherry, 25%630c; Santos, 33%630c; Mochasts—Cholce, 34%c30c; Takey, 35%630c; cantrifugals, 26625%c; new orop New Orleans, 43646c. Mollasses—Choice, Magazic; fancy, Signess; centrifugais, 2023/c; new crop New Orleans, 439
44c.

SYRUF—Corn syrup, 2420c; sugar syrup, 20241c; fancy fisvors, 2220c; black strap, 1861fe.

FRUITS—London laver ratists, 25 50; California London layers, \$1002 15; California muscatels, bogs, 695/c; box 604, 81 1891 25; Valendar, 7/467/c; Outara Valencia, 84,694/c; California sultanas, 11 dilige; currants, 46,60c; California sultanas, 11 dilige; currants, 46,60c; California seedless raisins, 1-lb cartons, \$5 90; citron, 18219c; lemon peei, 16618/c;

HICE—Fancy head Carolina, 64,265/c; prime to choice, 84,66c; Louisinus, 54,66c; Java, 54,665/c; Java, 54,

Provisions. Smail
Trimmed.
California.
Shoulders, sugar-cured.
Bacon shoulders.
Dry salt shoulders.
Breakfast bacon.
Extra do.
Clear bellies, smoked.
Clear bellies, dry Salt.
Dried beef, knuckles.
Rounds. Sets.
Flats
Flats
Lard (refined), tierces.
Tubs
Two 50-lb cases
Lard (compound), tierces
Hall barreis. Palls. Two 50-lb cases

Butter and Cheese, BUTTER-Eigin creamery, 224@345c; other brands, 25@34c; choice to fancy dairy and country roll. 25@25c; fair to medium grades, 15@25c; low grades, 15@15c; coking, 9@11c; grease, 5@3c. CHEESE-Ohio, 1156@115c; New York, 1156@12c; fancy Wisconsin Swiss blocks, 14@15c; do bricks, 1256@15c; Wisconsin sweitzer, in tubs, 13@135c; limberger, 11@115c; Ohio Swiss, 125@13c.

Eggs and Poultry. EGGS-Strictly fresh Pennsylvania and Ohio, 28 @77c; special marks, 25c; storage stock, 12@25c, FOULTRY-Live-Spring chickens, 40@35c per pair; old chickens, 35@86c; geesc, 11 25@1 35; turkeys, 9@10c per 25, Dressed-Chickens, 10@11c per 25; turkeys, 11@15c; ducks, 10@ 12c; geesc, 8@3c.

Berries, Fruit and Vegetables. Cramberries are firm at \$3 75@3 00 per box and promise to be higher.

Apples are selling well at \$2 25@3 50 for fair

Apples are selling well at \$2.563.50 for fair to choice stock, with supplies abundant; Concord and Catawba grapes, \$2.563.90 per 190 8-1b baskets; smaller baskets, \$15620; Florida oranges. \$2.7563.25 per box; Jamaica do, \$6.0066.59 per barrel; iemons, \$3.5064.50; per box; bananas, \$1.2562.00 per bunch; Mainza grapes, \$5.5063.00 per keg; pineapples, \$6.150 cano by the bil.

Cabbage, \$5.5067.00 per 100; onions, \$2.506.275 per bbl for native and \$1.2561.35 per box for Spanish; turnips, \$1.2561.75 per bbl; rutabagas, \$1.00; beers and parsnins, \$2.0062.50; carrots, \$1.5061.75; celery, \$2.56350 per dozen.

Pointoes, 75680c per bu from store. Jarsey sweets, \$3.7564.60; seconds, \$2.5062.75.

Quail, \$1 75@2 00 per dozen: pheasants, \$7.00 @7 50: prairie chickens, \$5 00@5 50: squirreis, \$1 50@2 60: rabbit*, 25@35c per pair; venison, whole carcass, 15@14c per 1b; do, saddles, 18

BU XWHEAT FLOUR-2021ec per lb.
BEANS-New York and Michigan pea beans, \$2 15
\$2 50 per hu.; hand-picked medium, \$2 1002 15;
Lima, 45045c per lb: Pennsylvanis and Oblobeans, \$1 7661 50 per bu.
BHESWAX-Choice yellow, 20635c; dark, 25025c.
CIDER-New country, \$4 5066 50; crab, \$5 0068 50; BRESWAX—Cholce yellow, 20635c; dark, 25635c, CIDER—New country, 34 5065 50; crab, 48 0086 50; per bbl.

HONEY—New erop white clover, 20621c per lb; buckwheat, 14515c; strained honey, 869c.

TALI OW—Country rough, 31/64c per lb; city rendered, 46/45c.

FRATHERS—SEXTRA live geese, 58/690c per lb; No.2 do, 48/65c; mixed, 26/40c.

NUTS—Chestanuta, 25/695 00 per bushel, peanuta, green, 34/64/4c per lb; do roasted, 41 15/61 25 per bushel; hickory nuts, 41 0081 25; shellbarks, 41 25 green, 18/64/4c per lb; do roasted, 41 15/61 25 per bushel; hickory nuts, 40/67/c; old do, 50/65c; hollbarks, 41 25 green, 15/c; ahelled almonds, 25c; Braxil nuts, 50/63/c; for old and 50/67/c; for new; fiberts, 50/63/c; for old and 50/67/c; for new; fiberts, 50/63/c; for old and 50/67/c; pecans, 10c; Naples walnuts, 13c; drenoble walnuts, 13c; con Naples walnuts, 13c; Greenoble walnuts, 13c; c. POPCORN—35/6/4/c; per lb.

HIDES—Green steer hides, trimmed, 75 lbs and up, 7c; green steer hides, trimmed, all weights, 4c; green bullides, trimmed, all weights, 4c; green steer lides, trimmed, all weights, 4c; green steer lides, trimmed, side branded, 4c; green salt cows, No.1, 6 to 15 lbs, 45/66c; green salt kins, No. 1, 6 to 15 lbs, 45/66c; green salt kins, No. 1, 6 to 15 lbs, 45/66c; green salt kins, No. 1, 6 to 15 lbs, 45/66c; green salt kins, No. 1, 6 to 15 lbs, 45/66c; green salt kins, No. 1, 6 to 15 lbs, 45/66c; green salt coff, No. 2 lides, 15/coff; No. 2 calf, zo off.

LIVE STOCK.

Cattle Lower, Hogs Higher and Sheep Steady at the Central Yards,

EAST LIBERTY, PA., Dec. 6. EAST LIBERTY, PA., Dec. 6.
CATTLE—Receipts, 520 head; shipments, 800 head; market very slow and 10 to 15c off from yesterday's prices. No cattle shipped to New York to-day.

Hous—Receipts, 1,200 head; shipments, 1,100 head; market active and firm; Philadelphins, \$6 30@6 40; mixed, \$6 20@6 30; Yorkers, \$5 90@6 10. No hogs shipped to New York to-day.

SHEET—Receipts, 1,400 head; shipments, 600 head; market steady at about yesterday's prices.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

New York—Beeves—Receipts, 1,000 head; all for exporters and slaughterers; no trade; dressed beef steady at \$80\%c per pound; shipments to-day, 1,190 beeves; to-morrow, 350 beeves and 6,884 quarters of beef. Calves—Receipts, 153 head; market steady; veals, \$7 00\%c 25 per 100 pounds; Western calves, \$7 00\%c 25 per 100 pounds; Western calves, \$7 00\%c 25 per 100 pounds; himbs, \$5 12\%c 63; dressed mutton steady at 7\%c 40\%c 53; dressed mutton at \$5 00\%c 53 per 100 pounds.

Buffalo—Cattle—Receipts, 28 loads through, \$ sale; opened dull for common, seady for good grades, Hogs—Receipts, 16 loads through; 33 sale; opened strong and firm; heavy cornfed, 35 25\%c 53; packers and medium, \$6 15\%c 50. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, none through, 11 sale; opened steady to strong for good wethers and beet lambs; choice to fancy wethers, \$5 00\%c 50; fair to good, \$5 26\%c 50; Canada, common to lancy, \$5 75\%c 50.

Chicago—Cattle—Receipts, 9,000 head; abinument, 25,000 head; market, slow, weak

Chicago—Cattle—Receipts, 9,000 head; chicago—Cattle—Receipts, 9,000 head; shipments, 28,000 head; market slow, weak to lower; extra natives, \$5 50@6 l0; choice, \$4 50@5 25; others, \$2 75@4 50; stockers, \$1 60 62 83; cows, \$1 05@2 70. Hoga-Receipts, 1,000 head; shipments, 7,500 head; market, 5@ 100 higher; rough and common, \$5 50@5 50; packers and mixed, \$6 00@6 30; primo heavy, \$8,35@5 70; butchers, \$6 20@6 53; Sheep—Receipts, \$500 head; shipments, \$30 head; market overged steady, closed lower; natives, \$6 00@5 55; Westerns, \$4 10 and c.used lower; Texans, \$2 50@4 70; lambs, \$3 75@5 91.

Cinclunati—Hogs higher at \$5 25@6 35; receipts, 3,500 head; shipments, 600 head. Cattle steady at \$1 25@6 65; receipts, 845 head; shipments, 505 head. Super in good demand and strong at \$45 36@5 05; receipts, 400 head; shipments, 47 head. Lambs firm at \$4 00@5 25. When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria. When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.

When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.

When she had Children, she gave them Castoria

PROPLE COMING AND GOING.

A. M. Byers gave a dinner last evening at the Schloeser to M. O. Handleaur, of Indianapolis, B. F. Browie, Cleveland, and E. F. Keating, of Brooklyn. They are from mea and visited some of the Southside mills yesterday.

terday. Maud Midgley and Louise Dempsey, of Hanlon's Superba Company, went to Tren ton last evening for rehearsals. The scenery which was burned in a Cleveland fire a few

John R. Pott, traveling p assenger agent for the Chicago, Milwankee and St. Faul road, was in the city yesterday. He is one of the best hustlers in the business. Among the passengers for Philadelphia last evening were W. P. Cooley, of the Chr-cago Great Western road, G. W. Park and H. W. Hartman.

William Wanamaker, a brother of the Postmaster General, was a passenger on the limited for Chicago last evening. U. S. G. Hough, Southeastern Passenger agent of the Rock Island road, was at the Monongahela House yetterday.

M. N. Fowler, of Foxburg, and J. F. Rush, of Whitney, are stopping at the St. Charles. George B. Anderson, of Latrobe, and W. M. Eiliott, of Moundaville, are at the An-

J. H. McCrum, of Akron, and F. J. Elisworth, of Warren, are at the Duquesne. B. H. Henderson and S. Sigburn, of Sharon, put up at the Central yesterday. Ludwig and Sol. Mayer, of Oil City, are registered at Newell's Hotel

Pittsburgers in New York.

NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—[Special.]—The follow-ing Pittsburgers are registered at New York hotels: J. H. Baker, Grand Hotel; H. Buhl, hotels: J. H. Baker, Grand Hotel; H. Buhl,
J. J. Vandergrift, Imperial; E. R. Gibson,
E. D. Robinsteen, Cosmopolitan; T. B. Morris, Grand Hotel; J. A. E. Hoeveler, T. A.
Warren, Astor House; J. W. McNary, Broadway Central; C. D. Armstrong, Albert; A.
W. Hevron, L. S. Jack and wife, Sturtevant;
Miss Leggett, Miss Reid, St. Stephens; R. W.
Bones, Continental; H. M. Curry, Miss. E.
Fermson, J. B. Ford, H. W. Lash, Fifth
Avenue.

SHORT STORIES OF CITY LIFE.

Four cases of diphtheria and four of scaratina were reported to the Bureau of Health yesterday.

W. G. KAUFMAN will speak on "Prehistorie Allezheny County" at the Mt. Washington reading room on Friday ovening. Tus directors of the Monongahela Insurance Company held their annual dinner at the Duquesne yesterday.

THE St. Louis express was five hours late last evening. The train was delayed by a bad freight wreek on the Vandalia line west of Indianapolis.

The Coroner was notified last night of the the sudden death of George Plummer at his home, 655 Ohio street, Allegheny. He was eating supper when death evertook him. The Salvation Army held a farewell meet-

ing in the Southside barracks last night in honor of Captain Edward White and wife, who leaves to-day for Tonowanda, N. Y., to take charge of the work there. YAL M. FISHES, E. M. Kunze, O. A. Tanner and Dr. L. McDonald were yesterday commissioned by the State Department as special officers of the Allegheny County Association for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children and Aged Persons.

ZENO LODGE No. 740, L. O. O. P., celabrated its twenty-second anniversary last night. A musical and literary entertainment was given in the lodge hall, South Eighteenth and Sarah streets. A number of addresses were made by prominent Odd Fellows of the

PICKED UP BY THE POLICE. GoffLies Rougitch was held for court by Judge Succop yesterday on a charge of big-amy preferred by his wife. W. N. LERNER charges his neighbor,

English mastiff pups. He says they wan-dered into Baxendeli's yard and he locked them up. The case has gone to court. THE FIRE RECORD. The storeroom of the Pittaburg Tube Works was damaged to the extent of \$100 by

fire last night.

Butler-Henry Whitmire's big barns and contents, including four cows, five horses, a flock of sheep and 30 tons of hay. Raymond, N. H.—Twenty-five buildings, including the entire business section and the postoffice, Loss, \$110,000. The fire orginated in the K. of P. nail. Wilkesbarre—A flour mill, general store and a large barn belonging to John Mathers at Bunlock's Creek. Loss on stock and buildings, \$5,000; insurance, \$2,000.

Shamokin-The fire at Sterling colliery became unmanageable yesterday. The mine will be flooded by turning Carbon run into it. It will be at least six months before the colliery can be worked again,

New York—The five-story marble front building occupied by Boorum & Pesse, blank book manufacturers; the Industrial Printing and Binding Company, and Frank R. Walker, paper manufacturer. Loss, \$100,000; insured. Alexandria, Ind.—Nearly a quarter of the town in the business center. Among the buildings destroyed were Pearson's salon, Hoover's real estate office, Paterson's real Hower's real estate office, raterson's res-taurant, Burtsch's harness shop and stores, Kelly's saloon, Cartwright's fruit store, Ab-bott's bakery, Paulding's clothing house, Line Brothers' shoe store, Wiggins' restau rant and Churchill's tin store. Loss, \$120,000, half insured.

McClure Again After Sharp. The hearing in the case of J. M. Sharp, the Southside newsdealer charged by Agent McClure, of the Law and Order Society, with violating the Sunday laws, was taken up before Alderman Rohe yes-terday afternoon. Mr. Sharp was placed on the stand and denied selling any papers on Sunday, as was testified to at the pre-vious hearing. The case was then continued for two weeks.

Wrecked by a Street Car.

Michael Schultz, a driver for James Rohe, while taking a couple of horses down Carson street yesterday, was run into by Birmingham car No. 27. One of the horses was instantly killed and Schultz fatally injured. The car got out of the control of icy. Schultz was taken to the Southside Hospital.

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