



"Michie's" Good Wines

If you have not as yet selected your Holiday Wines, perhaps a hint or two of some of "Michie's" lines will assist you in your choice of them—and here they are:

40c Bottle—You can get a thoroughly sound, pure, full-bodied Native Wine, made from the pick of the Concord and Catawba grapes, and containing no added alcohol.

50c Bottle—An excellent French Claret, or a choice of several fine California Wines, including Tokay, or a pure Ginger Wine, popular as a Christmas wine for its low percentage of alcohol.

60c Bottle—St. Emilion—a superior French Claret for either dinner or after dinner.

75c Bottle—A wholesome Rhine Wine, the favorite of our German friends.

\$1.00 Bottle—Good sound dinner Port, Sherry, a rich Burgundy or a superior French Claret.

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\$1.50 Bottle—And from that up to \$3.00, a choice of the best wines of all kinds in our extensive cellars.

Michie & Co. 612 King Street W.

GREAT DEAL OF LIQUIDATION

Sugar and Steel Were the Prominent Features of the Afternoon Market on Wall Street.

LOCAL MARKETS FAIRLY ACTIVE

Yards of Yesterday's Markets in New York, Montreal and Toronto—The Money Markets.

World's Office, Tuesday Evening, Dec. 18. Cables from London to day quoted Grand first pref. at 22 1/2, second pref. at 21 1/2, and third pref. at 21 1/4.

London Stock Markets. Dec. 17, 1899. Consols, money ... 97 3/4 ... 97 1/2

Cotton Markets. New York, Dec. 18.—Cotton: Spot closed dull, middling upland, 10 1/2; middling Gulf, 10 3/4.

Foreign Exchange. Deutscher Bank, 100 marks ... 100 ... 100

Toronto Stocks. Montreal, Dec. 18.—Cotton: Futures open at 10 1/2, 10 1/4, 10 1/2, 10 1/4

Railway Earnings. Toronto Street Railway Company earnings for the past week as compared with previous year:

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Second week of December: Canadian Pacific, 100 shares ... 100 ... 100

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SHORTS ARE SELLING WHEAT

Cables Were Encouraging, But Were Offset by Argentine News and Bradstreet's Report.

SUPPORT NOT CONSIDERED GOOD.

Corn Was Active in Chicago—Dull and Featureless—Provisions Closed Steady.

World Office, Tuesday Evening, Dec. 18. Liverpool wheat futures were firmer to day, closing 1/2 higher than yesterday.

Chicago Markets. Wheat—Jan. 1, 1901, 1 1/4 ... 1 1/4 ... 1 1/4

British Markets. London, Dec. 18.—Cotton: Spot market steady, but not active.

New York Produce. New York, Dec. 18.—Flour: Receipts, 23,000 barrels; sales, 20,000 barrels.

Wheat Receipts and Shipments. Receipts of wheat at Liverpool the past three days were 14,000, 14,000, and 14,000.

GRAIN AND PRODUCE. Flour—Ontario patents, in bags, \$3.75 to \$3.85.

Wheat—Ontario red and white, 62c and over; 64c and over, 64c; 66c and over, 66c.

Barley—Quoted at 40c net for No. 2, 40c; No. 3, 39c; No. 4, 38c.

Rye—Quoted at 60c net and west, 61c; 62c; 63c.

Corn—Canadian, 41c at Toronto; American, 41 1/2c at 5c on track here.

Toronto Sugar Market. St. Lawrence sugar quoted as follows: Granulated, \$5.00, and No. 1 yellow, \$4.80.

ST. LAWRENCE MARKET. Receipts of farm produce were large, 8,500 bushels of grain, 20 loads of hay, 3 loads of straw.

Wheat, white, bush, ... 97 3/4 ... 97 1/2 ... 97 1/4

Wheat, red, bush, ... 97 1/4 ... 97 1/2 ... 97 1/4

Oats, bush, ... 22 1/2 ... 22 1/4 ... 22 1/2

Rye, bush, ... 41 ... 40 1/2 ... 41

Barley, bush, ... 38 ... 37 1/2 ... 38

Hay, per ton, ... 12 ... 11 1/2 ... 12

Straw, per ton, ... 10 ... 9 1/2 ... 10

Butter, per lb., ... 22 ... 21 1/2 ... 22

Eggs, per doz., ... 22 ... 21 1/2 ... 22

Spring chickens, per pair, ... 10 ... 9 1/2 ... 10

Geese, per lb., ... 10 ... 9 1/2 ... 10

Potatoes, new, per bag, ... 30 ... 29 1/2 ... 30

Apples, per bush, ... 4 ... 3 1/2 ... 4

Oranges, per box, ... 10 ... 9 1/2 ... 10

Lemons, per box, ... 10 ... 9 1/2 ... 10

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The Transfer Books will be closed from the fifteenth to the thirty-first of December, inclusive.

By order of the Board, WALTER S. LEE, General Manager.