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TODAY'S MARKETS

New York Stocks.

Report by F. H. Butler, 15 and 18 Masonic Temple, for The Advertiser, New York, Nov. 29.

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flour—Easy, fair to good, \$3.10 to \$3.25; choice to fancy, \$3.30 to \$3.55. Wheat—Receipts, 123,835 bu.; sales, \$25,000 bu.; options opened steady and unchanged, owing to foreign buying of December, which offset the weak cables; during the forenoon business was dull and prices unchanged; March, 74 1/2-150 to 74 1/2; May, 74 1/2-150; Dec., 71 1/2-150 to 71 1/2. Rye—Quiet; state, 57c; No. 2 western, 56c; f. o. b. abroad, 55c. Corn—Receipts, 102,550 bu.; sales, 40,000 bu.; options opened 1/4c higher and advanced 1/2c more on light Chicago receipts and less December liquidation; May, 38 1/2-150 to 38 1/2; Dec., 38 1/2-150 to 38 1/2. Oats—Receipts, 103,300 bu.; options quiet; on track, white state and western, 31c to 34c. Butter—Receipts, 3,546 pkgs.; market firm. Cheese—Receipts, 4,229 pkgs.; firm. Eggs—Receipts, 4,774 pkgs.; steady. Sugar—Steady; fair refining, 2 1/2-150; refined steady. Coffee—Easy; No. 7, 6 1/2c. Hops—Steady. Lead—Steady; bullion, \$14.40; exchange price, \$4.62 1/2c at 4 1/2 1/2.

Chicago Exchange, Nov. 29.

Following are the quotations on the Chicago Board of Trade furnished by F. H. Butler broker, Masonic Temple, Phone 1278.

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received as new members. On motion it was decided to hold the next meeting on Tuesday, Dec. 5, at which Miss Cannon, a kindergarten, will teach a temperance lesson to a class of little ones.

REV. FATHER TIERNAN'S RETURN.

Rev. Father Tiernan arrived in the city this morning after having spent several months abroad. He visited England, Ireland, Scotland, Spain, France, Italy, Sicily and several other places, during his travels, and his health was greatly benefited. He kept busy today shaking hands with his many friends and old parishioners. Father Tiernan left the old land on Nov. 4, but did not reach Montreal until Nov. 18, on account of heavy storms at sea. He stopped at Montreal for several days.

RUMOR OF A NEW THEATER.

A rumor has gained some currency to the effect that Mike Shea, the Buffalo and Toronto vaudeville impresario, is about to erect play-houses in this city and London, patterned after the style of Shea's Family Theater in Toronto, which is meeting with popular favor this season. It is Mr. Shea's intention, according to the rumor, to give the people of Hamilton and London three nights each of vaudeville each week, and he believes that the innovation will be popularly received in these cities. The Shea circuit, which would then consist of the Buffalo Palm Garden, Toronto, Hamilton and London theaters, would enable Mr. Shea to offer his artists a three weeks' engagement, a fact which would in itself tend to greatly improve the quality of his entertainments. It is expected that Mr. Shea will visit the city in the near future for the purpose of looking over the ground and selecting a suitable site for the proposed play-house.—Herald.

A NATIONAL FESTIVAL IN THE KING STREET.

The Presbyterian Church last night was one of the most successful and unique entertainments ever held in this city, and was attended by about 800 people. The crush was so great at one period that the doors had to be closed for about 20 minutes. Tea was served in the schoolroom, which was gaily bedecked with flags and foliage. There were four national tables, one each for Scotland, Ireland, England and Canada. At each the characteristic national dishes were served. At 8 o'clock an adjournment was made to the church, where an excellent program was given. Rev. Dr. Johnston gave a short address on England, Rev. W. J. Clark on Canada, Rev. Mr. McIntyre on Scotland, and Rev. George Gilmore on Ireland. The large audience was very enthusiastic, and frequently applauded the speakers. Several musical selections were given, followed by a national tableau, of which Queen Victoria was the central figure, with a Scotchman for the next 24 hours for the lower lakes region.

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Latest Probabilities

Toronto, Nov. 29.—10 a.m.—Probabilities for the next 24 hours for the lower lakes region:

Fresh to strong westerly to southerly winds; continued mild; showers during the night.

LATE LOCAL ITEMS

—The Women's Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. was in session this morning.

A large batch of summonses have been issued for non-payment of statute labor tax for 1899.

—Henry Coprine, of Lobo, charged with being insane, was further remanded by Judge Wm. Elliott today.

—Mr. R. Chambers, an inmate of the asylum died last night. The remains were conveyed to Goderich for interment.

—The weekly high court called for tomorrow has been postponed until Saturday. Justice Falconbridge will preside.

—Wesley Perry, the youth charged with breaking into the house of George Moore, of Westminster, and taking a razor and two pairs of socks, pleaded guilty before Judge Wm. Elliott this morning. He was let go on suspended sentence.

—The Anderson Theater Company played "The Mystic Mountain" last night at the Grand Opera House, to a fairly good house. The audience appeared quite satisfied with the performance, and the specialty artists were particularly well received.

—There will be no lack of comedians in the Princess's Dockyard's Big American Minstrels, as there are six of the merry jesters besides the two whose names preface the title given to this splendid organization. This great company of burnt-corn exponents will pay a visit at the Grand on Wednesday next.

—A bicycle, the property of Mr. B. Smith, of Adelaide street, was stolen on Monday night from in front of the Oddfellows' Hall, at the corner of Dundas street and Park avenue. The wheel is a "Dominion," with a 26-inch frame, black enamel, wood rims, and tires in bad state of repair. The police were notified.

—Joseph Nicol, an Italian newsboy, was arrested today, charged by his brother-in-law with drawing a knife and stabbing him, causing a slight flesh wound. The trouble arose through the plaintiff claiming that the prisoner was wearing his overcoat. The latter denied that it was his coat, and the blows were exchanged, during which the knife was said to have been drawn.

—Tomorrow (Thursday) evening Dr. Carlyle will give the second of his series of entertaining recitals, the play being Shakespeare's "Much Ado About Nothing." It is a great treat to hear this remarkable delineator of character. The several characters of the play will doubtless receive ample treatment at Carlyle's hands. His Benedict is a rich performance, to say nothing of Dogberry and Beatrice, Hero, Claudio, Don Pedro and the rest. Carlyle, says Benbow, "is a comedy company of ten people rolled into one man." He will appear but once more.

—The reception held by the W. C. T. U. in Somerset Hall in Tuesday afternoon was of a most enjoyable nature. Over 100 ladies were present, and light refreshments were served. After the business was disposed of a Bible reading was given on the "Peace of God," the following ladies taking part: Mesdames Bowman, Hezmann, Boyd, Wallace, Ross, Weld, Rea and White. Miss Jessie Simpson gave a practical paper on "How to Secure the Co-operation of Home and School in the Temperance Education of the Young." Very pleasing vocal solos were rendered by Miss Bravone Williams and Miss Thompson. Mr. Murray favored the ladies with a violin solo, which was much enjoyed. Mrs. (Rev.) Holmes and Mrs. Marriott were