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NEWS OF THE WEEK.

FRIDAY, NOV. 27.—Hon. A. K. McClure has purchased a controlling interest in Forney's Philadelphia Press, and will at once assume editorial control. Politically, McClure says it will be like the people, independent. Memphis has contributed \$1,000 for the sufferers by the hurricane at Tusculuma, Ala. The State relief society for the collection and distribution of funds to the grasshopper sufferers in Nebraska, has received \$18,747.86, and distributed about \$17,000. Senator Hillecock, ex-Gov. Saunders, James Miller, Augustus Kantz and Gen. James H. British have been appointed by the State society to visit the most afflicted. A slight shock of earthquake was felt at Newburyport, Mass., Wednesday, the direction of a vibration being from west to east. The Supreme Court of Indiana has affirmed the opinion of the court below that Telegraph stock could not be taxed by the State. Brevet Brigadier Gen. Thomas J. Leslie of New York city died Wednesday forenoon, aged 79 years. Evacuation day was celebrated in New York Wednesday by a parade of veterans who numbered only 16, a display of bunting, a banquet etc. The argument on the bill of particulars in the Beech-Tilton case before the Court of Appeals is set down for Dec. 1st. The House committee has decided to reduce the Indian appropriation \$250,000 from that of last year. D. B. Fink, member of the vigilance committee of Truckee, Nev., was shot and killed Wednesday night by an unknown person. Phillip Cullen, confidential clerk of J. J. McGrath of Chicago detected in an embezzlement of \$25,000 during the last ten years, was arrested at Pittsburgh Wednesday. Wesley Underwood sentenced to be hanged at Palmyra, Mo., Monday next, for the murder of Richard McNeffer in 1871, hanged himself in the jail Tuesday night. In a fire in the residence of Austin Knight of Chicago, Tuesday night, two men were killed, respectively 6 and 8 years, were suffocated.

SATURDAY, NOV. 28.—Gen. P. H. Sheridan informs the Secretary of War that the report that a large party of white miners were operating in the Black Hills county is unfounded. The jury in the sale burglary trial failed to agree and were discharged. It found Williams innocent but could not agree in the case of Whitley and Harrington, standing eight for acquittal and four for conviction. The wife of Allen Goss of Freebornsburg, Pa., Tuesday night drowned her infant child in the Lehigh river. The mother has been arrested and confesses to the terrible crime. The steamship companies running to New York, having failed to accept the terms offered by the Longshoremen, a general strike was inaugurated Friday morning. The result of the investigation into the fire in Chicago Wednesday night by the committee to jail to await the action of the grand jury of A. Freit, the father, and two men named Haas and Sleighman, circumstances indicating that they started the fire. Russell Brown of Fond du Lac county, Wis., Thursday night killed his wife by a blow upon her head with an axe while she was lying in bed. The murderer then fled and has not yet been captured. T. F. Brooks, convicted of embezzlement and making false entries while President of the Merchants National bank of Richmond, Va., has been sentenced to five years in the Albany penitentiary. An effort is being made to have the President interpose his pardon. George Simmes, colored, was hanged at Covington, Ga., yesterday, for outraging a white woman November 3d. Wm. A. Fenole, of Boston, was arrested yesterday on complaint of a Chicago firm, charged with forging promissory notes to the extent of \$5,000. He gave bail in \$7,000. Wednesday, of Eastport, Me., a schooner ran down a fishing boat with six persons on board. A Mr. and Mrs. Lambert were drowned. The other occupants were rescued with difficulty. By the breaking of the driving wheel of Clarke's thread works at Newark, N. J., \$20,000 damage was sustained and 300 operatives, mostly females in the spinning department, were thrown out of employment for six weeks. Three of the largest Mississippi river steamers passed Memphis yesterday, crowded with Knights Templar, en route to the great Masonic celebration at New Orleans. The officers for the General Grand Chapter of Masons of the United States for the ensuing year are: P. G. H. Drummond; John Forsall, Tennessee; D. G. H. P. R. V. Boverton, L. G. King; John McClelland, of Massachusetts; G. Treasurer; C. G. Fox, of New York; G. G. Secretary; Henry Bostwick, G. G. Royal Arch Captain. The Dominion Government has asked for space in the continental exhibition to be held in 1876. Proceedings have been started to have the Wisconsin canvassing board to give the certificate to McDill, Republican candidate for Congress in the Eighth districts. The county canvassers for Wood county rejected the votes of two precincts for informality, and the effect of their action would be to give Cate, Democrat, a small majority.

MONDAY, NOV. 30.—The Louisville public library gift concert has been postponed until the last day of February next. Sherwood A. Conn, better known by his stage name of S. C. Campbell, died at Chicago Thursday, aged 44 years. The King of Hawaii, en route for Washington and other points of interest in the United States, reached San Francisco Saturday. A heavy snow storm visited Louisville and vicinity Saturday. A large number of leading business men of New York city have addressed a communication to

the board of police commissioners praying for the enforcement of the law prohibiting Sunday theatricals. The safe of H. W. Hildebrand & Co., lumber dealers of Indianapolis, was blown open Friday night and robbed of \$6,000 in money and \$4,000 in U. S. bonds. Chester Campbell alias Anderson, confined in jail at Ottawa, Ont., for forgery, made his escape Saturday by knocking down his keeper. The coal oil refinery of Wm. White & Co. of Cincinnati, together with 1,200 barrels of oil, was burned Saturday. Total loss \$12,000; insurance \$7,000. A fire Saturday in the stock stable of J. M. Colloway at Eminence, Ky., burned that building with 23 horses, several mules and all the carriages and other contents and two dwelling houses and the Market house adjoining. Among the horses was the thoroughbred stallion Gold Chief valued at \$6,000 and Hambletonian Star valued at \$3,000. Central Illinois was visited Friday night by the heaviest fall of snow for years. It fell from 12 to 15 inches in depth, and delayed trains on several lines of railroad. The citizens oil refinery of Pittsburg has suspended payment with liabilities of about \$300,000. Assets not known. The show storm of Friday was very severe in Missouri and Kansas, the snow reaching a depth of eighteen inches and seriously delaying railroad trains. It is authoritatively stated that James Russell Lowell has been offered and declined the Russian mission. Gold is gradually advancing, having crawled up during the month from 110 3/8 to 112, the closing price Saturday. John L. M. Grant, Dem., has decided to contest the seat of Chas. B. Farwell, Rep., in the Third Illinois district.

TUESDAY, DEC. 1.—A riot between citizens and Italians, miners, occurred near Sharon, Pa., Sunday, in which four Italians were killed. The rioters then raised a white flag and promised to leave the mines. Two of the notorious Galt's Hill robbers were captured Saturday near Little Rock after a fight in which both the desperadoes and the sheriff in charge of the party making the arrest were severely wounded. The two arrested with three companions robbed a store in Yell county, Ark., and murdered the proprietor. In the Boston criminal court Monday, Chas. H. Bullard alias Wm. A. Julson, principal of the Boylston national bank robbery in that city a few years ago, was sentenced to 20 years in state prison. A man named Thos. Martin, of Cloverdale, Putnam county, Ind., offended at something that his wife said, gave her three minutes to retract, and on her not doing so deliberately shot her dead. A man named Stanton, intermingling Martin's name, was shot fatally. Martin was arrested. Wm. O. Keyes, cousin of Frank Keyes, author of the "Star Spangled Banner," suicided at Baltimore Sunday. An oyster panga was run down in the Chesapeake Bay Sunday and six men drowned. 240 Menonites have arrived at Philadelphia. They will remain in Lancaster county during the winter, and finally settle in one of the western States or territories. A writ of habeas corpus for "Boss" Tweed returnable to the Supreme Court, Wednesday, has been granted. When the question of the legality of the court condemning him will be granted. Mayor Havemeyer of New York, returning to the City Hall yesterday after a brisk walk of two miles against a strong wind, died in a few minutes of apoplexy. Alderman Vance is acting as Mayor ex-officio. Clara Morris the celebrated actress was married in New York Monday to Mr. F. C. Herriot. The will of the late Moses Day of Boston gives \$30,000 to various educational and charitable institutions, and provides for the expenditure of \$50,000 for charitable purposes and the extension of the Christian Kingdom on earth. John W. Forney says that he has made no sale of his paper, The Press, and that no change in the editorial staff is to be made. George Labor, aged 113, died Saturday at Stroudsburg, Pa. The Erie railway has just made a loan of \$10,000,000 in Europe, sufficient to relieve the road from all embarrassments. Application will be made to the next Dominion Parliament for a charter for a railroad from Red River in Manitoba to British Columbia on the Pacific coast. Archbishop Manning at London had read in all the churches of his diocese Sunday a circular declaring that all persons not accepting the dogma of papal infallibility, shall cease to be Catholics.

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 2.—The public debt last month was decreased \$123,427. It now looks as if the creditors of Jay Cooke & Co., would be left out in the cold, the debts of individual members of the firm absorbing all the assets. The Concord N. H. Savings bank suspended Tuesday after paying out \$600,000 to depositors, who have been making a heavy run on the bank for some weeks. Henry Claws & Co. of New York have finally been adjudged bankrupt. The Cheap Transportation convention assembled at Richmond, Va., Tuesday. Representatives from nearly all the Southern States, and States bordering on the Ohio and Mississippi rivers were present. Gen. Rosser representative from Minnesota, was appointed on the committee on resolutions and on reports. Gen. Robt. A. Tyler, chief of Q. M., of the military district of the Atlantic, died at Boston Monday. The funeral of Mayor Havemeyer will take place Friday. His sudden death was from heart disease. A German named John Borchert living near Watertown, Wis., was murdered Monday night by a blow on the head with a hammer. His wife and two step daughters have been arrested on suspicion of

being the perpetrators. A. C. Ferber, chief of police of Scranton, Pa., and Jacob Foster and J. H. Schlager were arrested yesterday charged with the murder of Michael Kearney in Scranton on the 14th ult. The New Hampshire Republican State Convention has been called at Concord, Jan. 12th. The propeller Rocket, heavily loaded with merchandise, was caught through by the ice in entering the port of Toledo yesterday and sank in twelve feet of water. One B. C. Mitchell, of Brooklyn, has sued Rev. Dr. Talmadge for slander, laying damages at \$5,000. Mitchell was expelled from Dr. Talmadge's church, principally on the testimony of the pastor, who charged him with conduct unbecoming a Christian. News is received at London of the illness of the Czar of Russia, and it is rumored that he is insane. Twenty-one lives were lost on the Scottish coast during the gale of Saturday and Sunday. The rebellion in Buenos Ayres is nearly at an end.

Two Views of the Situation at Washington—Republicans and Democrats Both Looking Out for Political Capital—Numerous Jobs for the Winter—No Holiday Vacations—The Message &c., &c.
(Washington Special (Nov. 29), Chicago Times.)
The members of Congress who have arrived here within a day or two, representing both political parties, offer a singular phase of political policy for the impending session. It was telegraphed last night that the Republican members propose to do as little as possible, and wait for the Democrats to make mistakes, by which the former hope to profit. The Democratic members, on the other hand, including such as Beck of Kentucky, and Swann of Maryland, state that the Democrats are not responsible for the tail end of this Congress, and do not propose to originate, but mainly to resist such measures of the Republicans as have in view a partisan purpose. Indeed, they are quite amused at the intimation of a do-nothing policy on the part of the Republicans, thrown out by Hale of Maine, and others, and declare that there will be little else done than the passage of the appropriation bills, such a course is pursued. They hope, however, that the President will submit a specie resumption programme that the Republican party, inflationists and all, cannot well ignore, to say nothing of other measures incident to the session.

THE HUNGRY LOBBY.
There are unerring indications that the projectors of the various canal projects and other internal improvement schemes, contemplate a combined attack upon the treasury during the coming session of Congress. Possibly, to make assurance doubly sure, they may unite with railway, Pacific mail, and cotton-tail lobbies. A prominent republican official remarked, the other day, that Congress would drain the treasury this season, and that every appropriation would be for no matter what purpose, would be made. This prediction may or may not be verified, but it is a fact that the members of the third house are in unusually good spirits, and do not hesitate to say that there are "bushels of money" in prospect.

TOM SCOTT'S JOB.
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Gen. Butler arrived here yesterday, but declines to talk for publication. He is ill and cross, and only let himself out so far as to remark that he was cheated by his own friends, or those relied on as his friends, or else he would have been returned to Congress. He adds that it was not the tidal wave, but treachery, that overwhelmed him, and that he had been deceived by the party can. He called on the President last evening, and was accorded a brief interview. It was in the interest, it is said, of the restoration of Mullett.

John F. Chamberlain, of the Long Branch club-house, is negotiating for the purchase of the mansion now occupied by the British minister. Chamberlain says in one year after he establishes himself in Washington, the capital shall have a race course and racing meetings equal to those at Baltimore. If he fulfills these promises, he will be ranked as a public benefactor by a large circle, and will be as popular here as at Long Branch. Morrissey promises to be ahead of him with a club-house.

WESTERN MEMBERS.
come in slowly. Logan, Windom, Tynner, Huribut, and Wilson of Indiana are the only ones here. The Tennessee members came in almost in a body today.

As Seen Through Republican Goggles.
(Washington Special (Nov. 29) to Chicago Tribune.)
Congressmen are arriving in considerable numbers, and the indications are that before the week is ended a quorum of both branches will be here. The conversation of the Democratic members shows that they are the same untalented and unteachable Bourbons. Even so sagacious a man as Beck of Kentucky, can see in the recent Republican reverses only positive Democratic gains. The friends of Beck admit that he is a candidate for the United States Senate, and that the reason of his declining a nomination is found in this fact.

THE NEW FLOURING MILL AT LE SEUR was put in operation for the first time Monday.
Two hundred and thirty thousand hoop-poles have been shipped from Le Seur this season.
The Catholic Fair at Red Wing, to raise funds for the new church building, netted \$1,000.
Mr. JOHN WALLACE, late of Eau Claire, has located at Wabasha, where he is erecting a building for the manufacture of boilers.
ALEX. MOORE expects to have his new grist mill at Little Sauk running within forty days.
The County Commissioners of Watertown county have purchased three and a half tons of corn meal for distribution to the destitute of the county.
The Turners of Winona got up a torch light procession in honor of the visit of Hon. Carl Schurz to that city Saturday, and headed by a brass band waited upon the Senator and paid their respects.

THE PRESIDENT COMMENCED HIS MESSAGE yesterday, and he does not intend to complete it until the day of the meeting of Congress. It will not be printed, and no copy of it will be made till the morning of the assembling of Congress, when a copy will be given to the Associated Press.

THE APPROPRIATION BILLS.
Members of the House Appropriation

THE MURDER IN WABASHAW COUNTY.
(From the Wabasha Herald.)
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(From the New York Herald, Nov. 22.)
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A Winona Normal School Graduate at Buenos Ayres.
The Winona Republican of the 25th says:
A letter was received yesterday from Miss Susie E. Wade, formerly of Winona, and a graduate of the First State Normal School in this city, announcing her safe arrival at Buenos Ayres on the 7th of October, after a delightful voyage with a pleasant party. They went

via England, touching at Bordeaux, Lisbon, Rio Janeiro, and Montevideo. On their arrival at Buenos Ayres they were most cordially received, and upon presentation of their credentials they were promptly furnished with their appointments direct from the Argentine Republic, as teachers in the State Normal School at Paraná. Miss Wade is enthusiastic over the country and the prospects of the school, which will not open until March. Meanwhile the "foreigners" will devote their attention to the acquirement of the Spanish language. Miss Wade receives a salary of \$1,200 a year and her passage paid.

BANKRUPTCY PROCEEDINGS.
Against Oliver Dalrymple the Great Wheat Farmer.
The following petition was filed on Thanksgiving Day before Judge Nelson:
The petition of Lyman F. Hodges & Co., Wm. Young & Co., Fred C. Schroeder & Co., all of the city of Milwaukee and State of Wisconsin, respectfully shows that they are creditors of Oliver Dalrymple of the city of St. Paul and State of Minnesota. That your petitioners constitute as they believe one-fourth in number of the creditors of the said Oliver Dalrymple, and that the aggregate of your petitioner's claims against him amounts to at least one-third of the debts provable against him under said act.

That the nature of the demand of L. F. Hodges & Co., against said Dalrymple consists of the balance of an account upon which there is due the sum of \$12,388.67, which is secured by two promissory notes, one dated Oct. 31, 1875, payable on demand, for \$1438 with interest at 12 per cent. per annum, and the other, which is dated Feb. 18, 1874, and payable on the 1st of June, 1874, for \$10,000.

That the nature of Young's demand against said Dalrymple consists of two notes, one dated Sept. 22, 1874, payable 60 days after date, for \$4,367.15, the other dated October 2, 1874, payable in 30 days after date, for \$3,108.75, both notes bearing interest at 10 per cent.

Schroeder & Lendblou's claim is on two promissory notes, one made on the 12th of February, 1874, and payable June 1st, 1874, for \$5,000, with interest at the rate of 12 per cent., and the other dated March 15, 1874, and falling due June 1, for \$10,000. On these notes \$4,000 have been paid.

The petitioners further represent that said Oliver Dalrymple did on or about the 10th of July, being a trader fraudulently stop and suspend payment, and has not resumed payment of his commercial paper within a period of 40 days, thus committing an act of bankruptcy.

The complaint then goes on to cite a further act of bankruptcy on or about the 26th day of September, 1874, he being at that time insolvent, by making a transfer and conveyance by a mortgage of the west 16 feet of lot 13 in block 27, and the easterly 14 feet of lot 12 in said block, to J. H. Brown of Chicago, a creditor of said Dalrymple, with the intention of defeating the operations of the bankrupt act.

That said Dalrymple, on or about September 27, 1874, made and transferred certain real estate in Dakota county, consisting of about 1,000 acres, to one W. F. Dalrymple, a creditor, with the intention of giving him the preference and for the purpose of defeating the operations of the bankrupt act.

The petition closes with a prayer that said Dalrymple be declared a bankrupt and a warrant issued for the distribution of his estate according to law.

Judge Nelson has appointed Wednesday, the 9th day of December at 10 a. m., for the hearing of the case.

Terrible Affair in Benton County.
A terrible affair occurred in the town of St. George, Benton county, Tuesday last, for the details of which we are indebted to The St. Cloud Times. It appears that a man by the name of John Hicks has a farm on St. George prairie, and one of his sons, Mr. Sidney Hicks, came to his place for some oats, which his father had told him he could have. The young man went to the granary to put up the oats, and shortly after his father came out, and said that he guessed he had got enough. This led to a dispute, when the young man picked up an old axe which stood near by, and struck his father once on the head, once on the neck, and once on the shoulder, with the edge of the tool. It very luckily happened that the axe was very dull, or he would certainly have split the old gentleman's head open. As soon as he could, the old gentleman grappled the young man around the body and arms, and called for help. The lady folks in the house came out, but by that time the old gentleman had got the young man down, after which the axe was taken from him, and he let up. He then got on his wagon load of oats, and drove to Sauk Rapids, where he sold them, and where he was arrested by Samuel Carpenter, sheriff of Benton county, upon a warrant issued by his brother, William Hicks. He was brought to this city late last night, and lodged in jail. His trial is going on now in Sauk Rapids, before Mr. Justus Carpenter, justice of the peace. Mr. Samuel Carpenter says that the young man is a vicious individual, and that he will probably go to Stillwater for a while at least. The old gentleman was from sixty and seventy years of age. From Dr. Gilman, who was called to dress the wounds, we learn that there is a prospect of the old gentleman recovering, but at the time of writing he is very low, having lost a large quantity of blood.

In families where Death to Pain is used the children, when they are sick, cry for it. They are good judges, judging without prejudice. Try it and satisfy yourselves.

Capture of Two Robbers in Arkansas—Staged to be Part of the Galt's Hill Gang.
A Little Rock, Arkansas, dispatch says: Wednesday night last five masked men, thought to be Galt's Hillers, went to a country store, on the Petit Jean river, in Yell county, about 70 miles west of this city, shot and killed the proprietor and robbed the store. They then robbed a trading boat lying at the bank of the river. The sheriff gathered the posse and started in pursuit. The robbers and three going in another direction. The sheriff followed the two coming in this direction, and came across them yesterday morning, sixteen miles above here. A fight ensued, in which the sheriff was shot and badly wounded by the robbers. Both the robbers were wounded by the sheriff's posse, captured and brought to this city, and lodged in jail Sunday morning. The sheriff will probably recover. The three who went in the other direction escaped.

WINTER DOWNS HERE.
A heavy snowstorm prevailed throughout Missouri and Kansas Friday last. In some localities eighteen inches fell, and trains were considerably delayed in consequence. In St. Louis the snow was about four inches deep, and locomotion and street travel were much impeded Saturday.

At Cincinnati, Saturday, rain began at noon, and about 4 p. m. turned to snow, which at 9 p. m. was four inches deep and more falling.

Dispatches received at Chicago from different points in central Illinois state that there was the heaviest fall of snow Friday night that had occurred for several years. The snow was from twelve to fifteen inches deep, and has delayed trains on some lines of railroad.

At Louisville a heavy snowstorm prevailed all day Saturday.

—The verdict of the coroner's jury in the Empire disaster at New Orleans is substantially that nobody can be blamed. Her cargo was 25 tons in excess of her register, but not an overload for a steamer of her class, and the jury could not find any cause for her sudden sinking.

St. Paul Wholesale Market, Dec. 1.
Wheat quiet and unchanged, nominally 75 to 78c.
An active business is doing in corn and oats, with the former at 60 to 63c on track, and 65 to 70c in store. Oats firm at 48 to 49c on track, and 51 to 54c in store.
Flour \$4.50 to \$5 for xxx; \$3.00 to \$3.25 for xxx; \$2.50 to \$3 for xx. Rye flour \$2.75 to \$3 per sack. Buckwheat 4 to 5c per pound. Corn meal \$2.00 to \$2.25. Ground feed \$28 to \$35. Shorts \$14 to \$18. Bran on track \$12 to \$13; in store \$13 to \$14.
Pork in good demand and firm at \$20 to \$21. Hams 13 to 14c. Lard 13 to 15c. Bacon 14 to 14 1/2c.
Apples \$2.50 to \$3.
Pure apple cider \$8 to \$9 a barrel.
Cranberries \$2.50 to \$3.25.
Choice table butter is in fair request at 25 to 28c; inferior grades dull, nominally 18 to 20c.
Fresh eggs scarce and firm at 23 to 25c.
Beans \$1.50 to \$2.00. Peas \$2.00 to \$2.25.
A better understanding of the law of demand and supply is manifest in the poultry line. The supply in the hands of commission men is still considerably in excess of the demand, but owing to a falling off in receipts, a better and firmer feeling is noted to-day. Dressed chickens command 6 to 7c, with a slight upward tendency. Geese 8c and turkeys 7 to 9c.
Venison is in good request, and firm at 10 to 11c.
The receipts of dressed hogs continue quite liberal, the market ruling firm at 6 1/2 to 6 3/4c.
Mutton is in request at 6 to 7c.
Dressed beef active and firm at 3 1/2 to 4 1/2c.
Frozen hides in demand at 8c; dry taint 17 to 18c.

Milwaukee Produce Board, Dec. 1.
9:45 a. m.—Wheat quiet; No. 1 at 94c; No. 2 at 91 1/4c; December 91 1/4c; January 92 1/4c; No. 1 hard 95c; receipts 59,000 bush; Liverpool 100c better. Weather unsettled.
10:10 a. m.—Wheat quiet at 95 1/4c for hard; 94c for No. 1; 91 1/4c for No. 2 cash; December and 92 1/4c for January.
12:10 p. m.—Wheat unsettled at 96c for hard; 94c for No. 1; 91 1/4c for No. 2 cash and December and 91 1/4c for January. Barley No. 2 81.25. No. 3 81.00.
1:10 p. m.—Wheat unsettled; No. 1 93c; No. 2 89 1/4c; Dec. 89 1/4c; Jan. 91c; No. 1 hard 95c.

Chicago Produce Board, Dec. 1st.
9:30 a. m.—Wheat steady at 93 1/4c for January.
9:50 a. m.—Wheat easier at 92c for December and 93 1/4c for January. Corn unsettled at 73c seller of the year; offered at 78c cash frozen hides in demand at 8c; dry taint 17 to 18c.
10:20 a. m.—Corn irregular and unsettled at 73 1/2c seller of the year; 71 1/2c for May and 73 1/2c for December; car lots offered at 70c; round lots 77c.
10:35 a. m.—Provisions irregular. Pork \$20.55 for February; has sold at \$20.35; \$19.90 for December; the year; \$21 bid for March. Lard easier at 15 1/2c for February.
10:50 a. m.—Oats steady with fair demand at 53 1/2c cash and January; nominally 53 1/2c seller of the year. Whiskey firm at 95c.
10:55 a. m.—Wheat heavy and lower at 92 1/2c cash or December and 93 1/4c for January.

New York Produce Board, Dec. 1.
1:45 p. m.—Flour quiet and unchanged. Wheat heavy at \$1.11 1/2c. Corn quiet at 94c for old, and 89 1/2c for new. Oats quiet at 69 1/2c.