# STOCKS IRREGULAR TRADING LARGE

Yesterday's Quotations on the New York Exchanges.

Cotton Market Pointers and Chicago Grain Prices.

By private wire to Murphy & Co.. Il Church street.

STOCK LETTER.

Nov. 25.—The market tois highly irregular on a continued olume of trading. Speculation special issues with the result the dealings were badly distrib-The principal depressing influas apprehension excited by the versy over C. F. I. The favorators were continued ease on Rumors that official anwould almost immediately regarding the Manhattan lease the announcement from Washof the fact that the principal issue in the coal controversy settled in the late afternoon tket weakened by rumors of imgold exports. Manhattan conprominent and variable in its 51/2 per cent and closed cent better than last night. sternoon a brief rally in Reads followed by a recession to the of the day. The market closed but slightly above lowest prices.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

High. Low. Close.

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COTTON LETTER. New York, Nov. 25.-Cotton prices sharply in the early market. The min cause was disappointing cables. was only natural that Liverpool sould ease off after yesterday subdantal advance but there was no the selling pressure in all directions. This was in a measure accounted for by in absence of the big so-called clique who have apparently withdrew from the market for some days. Rain and weather was reported in Texas and the southwest today. It was stated by Texas people that

he entire southwest was in bad shape, hat Arkansas was deteriorating like lexas, that all districts were short of year with the sole exception of the Monophis district, and that a material drame in the market was certain be the true facts are known. Staisheams are pointing to a very moderto movement in the November insight which will show some four hunthousand or more less than in 1897 and late. Day after day evidence is annulating of the shortage of the that is to say of the probability making much over eleven million. he part receipts today pointed to 73,000 1 Ni.000 last year. The market the opening on forecast forst in the southwest. Cables were and one point advance. Southern fire of spots were scarce.

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wire to Murphy & Co. by were the ruling quotaes hange today: Sales 7000. Mid. 4.60.

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clear complexion, bright eyes, clean white teeth, sweet breath; these are the blessings that follow a diet of Malta=Vita.

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#### LOCAL RETAIL MARKETS

Prevailing prices of produce. Corrected daily by Hiram Lindsey 450 South Main street and City Market. phones 200 and 800: Apples 10 to 30c peck. Carrots 5c bunch. Cucumbers 5c each. Beets 5c bunch. Salt Bacon 13 and 15c pound. Breakfast Bacon 20 to 22c pound. Leak, 5c bunch. Radishes 5c bunch. String Beans 71/2c quart. New Beets 5c bunch. Lemons 20 to 25c dozen. Bacon, 15c lb. Bananas, 20c and 25c dozen. Chestnuts, \$2.00 bushel. Cranberries 15c quart. Celery, 6 stalks 25c. Citron 10c each. Corn, new, 75c bushel. Egg Plant, 5 and 10c each. Head Lettuce 3 for 10c. Oranges 30 to 40c dozen. Onions, 35c peck. Rye, \$1.00 bushel.

Spinach, 25c peck. Salsify, 5c bunch. Turkeys, 16 2-3c pound. Turnips, 5c bunch. Wheat \$1.00 bushel. Eggs 25c dozen. Quail 121/2 to 15c each, \$1.50 per dozen. Pheasants 50c each. Pumpkins 10 to 15c each.

White Potatoes 20c peck.

Sweet Potatoes 20c peck.

Cabbage 5c head. CASTORIA. The Kind Nou Have Always Bought

#### WU SAYS GOODBYE

New York, Nov. 24.-Former Chinese Minister Wu Ting Fang has made public, says a World dispatch from San Francisco, the following farewell to the American people:

"People: It is nearly six years ago High, Low, Close since I came here, and during my residence in America I have found it very pleasant. On the whole, I have been received in a very kind and courteous way by the American people, the high-

est officials and all. "Before leaving this hospitable shore I want to express my graceful appreciation of the uniform kindness and courtesy shown to me by all classes of people I have come in contact with. I shall carry with me very pleasant remembrances of my stay. I am glad to notice that the friendly relations between this country and mine have been always cordial, and, within the last few years, closer than before, and I hope this state of things will long continue "As to the future of China politically and commercially, I will say I have been away from my own country nearly six years. Although people say that it is not progressing but is standing still, when I go back I will see many things that are new to me. China is progressing, it being such a large country, with such a large population and with people educated to and brought up in such a conservative way. You cannot, although the idea of reform is taking root, expect it to make a sudden and radical change as you might think possible in a smaller country; but, nevertheless, China has made reasonable reforms in many ways within the last few years. Her commerce will be deof this country. This Pacific coast, in particular, would reap a large harvest

#### by having a larger trade with China." VERY NEAR A CRIME,

To allow constipation to poison your body. Dr. King's New Life Pills cures it and builds up your health, or no pay. 4.50 25c All druggists.

It's a wise clerk who laughs at the proprietor's fool jokes.

#### TOBACCO MEN WILL

ASK FOR EXTRA SESSION Frankfort, Ky., Nov. 24.-President Booker of the Home Tobacco Warehouse men and the Louisville Leaf Tobacco exchange in refusing to admit a house representing the tobacco growers and calling on the governor and legislature to take such steps as are necessary to break up the trust. Several members of the legislature are here tonight, working for an extra session. legislators to a petition to the governor to call the session. It is not believed the governor will call the session.

#### The Weather

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE. Weather Bureau.

Asheville, N. C., Nov. 25, 1902. Local report for the 24 hours ending

8 a.m. op.m. Mean Reduced Barometer...29.58 29.43 29.50 Temperature..... 56 Relative Humidity-8 a. m. 3 p. m. 8 p. m. Mean.

Wind (dir. and vel.)-S.-4. S.-17. Rainfall.. .. .. .. .. .. .. .. 49 State of Weather-Raining. Cloudy. Maximum Temperature.. .. .. .. 63 

R. M. GEDDINGS, Temperature for 24 hours, ending 8

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## MISSISSIPPI ENDEAVORERS

Greenwood, Miss., Nov. 25.-The of the Christian Endeavor union promever held by the organization in Mis- stomach. ucators and evangelists of note.

A bad temper is an awkward thing given by Postum Co., . Battle Creek, to have and a dangerous thing to lose. Mich.

## WEDS HERO WHO SAVED HER AT FIRE

ting today to the wedding of Miss ber of earnest, broad-minded women, Boston. The ceremony was performed along every line of development. The Dabney of Boston. Mr. George Mc-Clure Sargent of Boston acted as best man. Following the ceremony at the church there was a large and brilliant reception at the Craig residence.

Quite a romance attaches to today's wedding. At the time of the Windsor hotel fire in New York city Miss Craig was visiting relatives in the hotel and was in the parlor entertaining Mr. Williams. The fire had penetrated to the very door of the drawingroom before the young people discovered their danger. Mr. Williams, seeing no aid at hand, took Miss Craig in his arms and fought his way through the flames to a small veranda, where both were brought to the pavement by firemen. The engagement was announced about a year after the fire.

## EASTERN INDIANA

Richmond, Ind., Nov. 25.-Richmond has capitulated to an invasion of Odd Fellows and their friends who are here from all parts of Eastern Indiana for the annual district meeting. Marion, Connersville, Indianapolis and other cities embraced in the territory have sent their prize degree staffs and the exemplification of degree work is a notable feature of the round-up. This afternoon there was a parade in which the Indiana grand lodge officers and several thousand visiting members of the order took part.

#### CARNEGIE IS SIXTY-FIVE

New York, Nov. 25.-It is just sixtyfive years today since a baby boy desphilanthropist first saw the light of day in the little town of Dumferline, Scotland. The boy was Andrew Carnegie. His parents brought him to this country while he was still a mere child and at ten years of age he began his career in the blue uniform of a district messenger boy in Pittsburg, a city which has since benefited incalculably through his benefactions.

In most of his biographies the date of Mr. Carnegie's birth is given as 1835, which would make him sixty-seven house company headed a delegation years old today, but Mr. Carnegie himwhich appeared before the governor self is authority for the assertion that today and presented resolutions of he is but sixty-five. As a matter of mass meetings in eleven counties, held fact the lord of Skibo is as sensitive retoday, condemning the action of ware- garding his age as he is concerning the subject of death. Those most intimately acquainted with him aver that the mention of either subject in his presence is offensive to him. However, true this may be a number of his friends and business associates of this city made bold today to cable their congratulations on the occasion of his They have procured signatures of 41 birthday. Mr. Carnegie is now in London recovering from a slight illness. Within a fortnight he is expected to return here and take up his residence for the winter in his magnificent new home at the corner of Fifth avenue and West 81st street.

## SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION

Muskogee, I. T., Nov. 25.-Delegates and visitors from various parts of the territory are here for the territorial Sunday school convention which will be in session here during the next two days. The presiding officer is Dr. W. T. Jacobs, international vice president for the Indian Territory. An interesting program has been arranged calling for papers and discussions concerning numreous phases of Sunday school work, together with evangelist services and musical features.

#### A CLEVER SCHOLAR

Knew the Food to Study on

When a young lady going away to school carries food away with her in place of a box of candy, there must be

A woman in Milton Mills, N. H. I had to spend a week or two in bed. My stomach always fails me when I am over-tired, the food refusing to assimilate, until finally my stomach becomes so weak that the mere standing on my feet causes me to retch so violently that I have often vomited blood. I had seen Grage-Nuts food adver-

.62 except a little hot milk.

.38 for a package. I ate a little and lay bell and all fixtures. back after eating without experiencing | This 19th day of November, 1902. any of the sickly feelings that usually followed any movement in bed, and fell into a refreshing sleep. I continued Daily till Dec. 1. using the food and day by day gained ! rapidly in strength until now I am entirely well and strong and my stomach State of North Carolina, Buncombe does not bother me any more.

sissippi. Prominent members of the The children like it so well that it is two days' program provides for ad- est girl actually carried off a package possible. dresses by a number of ministers, ed- when she returned to school at with as much elation as if it had been a box of the choicest bon-bons." Name

#### IN INTEREST OF

WOMAN SUFFRAGE

Atlanta, Ga., Nov. 25.-The annual Washington, D. C. Nov. 25.-The convention of the Georgia Woman Sufpresence of numerous army officers in frage association, which began in Atat noon in the historic St. John's sessions, which are being held in the this city, and the bridesmaids the the subjects to receive attention are to said bank. Misses Lillian and Elva King of Irv- child labor, age of consent, and the ington, N. Y., Miss Sara Turner of employment of women as state libra-New York City, 'Miss M. C. Williams, rians. A special effort will also be Miss Agnes Lincoln, and Miss Grace | made to advance the interests of working women by demanding an equal wage standard with men, and to obtain proper relation opening the doors of the state universities and schools of technology to women.

WANTED-Position to care for children, housekeeping, sewing or waiting on sick, by a lady of refinement and intelligence, who has had several years experience. Address "W. T. A., Asheville postoffice.

A PARGE HOTEL IN CITY made entire change in crockery. I purchased that which was in use viz.: 360 Plates, 300 side dishes, 200 cups and saucers, etc., etc. For sale very cheap. H. Medd, 68 South Main street.

IF YOU HAVE a house, cottage, flat. rooms, furnished or unfurnished for rent or sale, let us get you a tonant or purchaser. We have on hand now several bargains in real estate for sale and rent. J. B. Bostic Co., 24 Temple Court building.

CASH paid for all second hand clothes at No. 57 Flint street. Eod. till Nov. 28.

WANTED-Collector and salesman. A good man that will devote all his time to business. Call or address at once Square, Asheville, N. C.

P. O. Box 88, Asheville, N. C.

ing on account of other business, feet deep. must be sold at once. H. Giles, brick building near Glen Rock hotel.

#### FOR RENT.

keeping. No. 8 Grady street.

No sick people wanted. Address "P," The Gazette.

FOR RENT-No. 39 Haywood street; three hundred feet from postoffice, Railway Company. fine location for boarding business. Also for renting rooms. Apply to C. S. Cooper, 39 South Main street.

FRONT ROOM FOR RENT-Large bright up stairs front room in new house, newly furnished, porcelain bath and toilet on same floor, with use of phone, two blocks from square, 155, Asheville, N. C.

furnished rooms for light housekeep- erty of J. E. Reed. ing. Apply to Wilkie & LaBarbe. Phone 661, No. 23 Patton avenue.

FOR RENT-Two outside corner flats. 5, 14.3 acres, No. 6, 21.9 acres and No.

says: "Having a large family, I had Notice is hereby given to the public of Buncombe, containing about 40 acres, much care and worry and was never that application will be made to the conveyed by J. E. Reed to L. P. Mcvery strong and healthy, but managed Governor of North Carolina for the par- Loud, trustee and by said McLoud. don of Van Howell, convicted at Octo- trustee, to the Western Carolina Bank. to keep fairly well until the last few ber Term of the Superior court of Bun- registered in Book No. 110, page 145, in years. Each summer lately found me combe county, for the crime of man- the Register's office of Buncombe worn out and weak at is close, so that slaughter and sentenced to the peniten- county. tiary for a term of ten years. JESSE R. STARNES

GRAHAM B. WADDELL, in behalf of Van Howell. Till Nov. 26.

### NOTICE.

The Board of Commissioners of Bun- uated on Tate's Branch; one tract 50 combe county will receive sealed bids acres more or less, on Tate's Branch, tised and fancied it was like other cer- until 3 p. m., December 1st. 1902, for and one of 75 acres more or less, situeals, many of which I had tried and the purchase of the old County Court ated on the North Fork of the Swannadiscarded. When my usual attack House. Said bids must contain a cash noa river, and one on the North Fork came on last August, I was in despair offer for said Court House building as of the Swannanoa river of 100 acres for nothing would stay on my stomach it now stands. The purchaser will ob- more or less, and one for 40 acres on tain all material in the building, the the Swannanoa river. I decided to try Grape-Nuts and sent only exception being the clock, fire

M. L. REED,

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

County. Grape-Nuts is what I have often Having qualified as administratrix uated in Ivy township, Bunc wished for-something that I can eat of the late Dr. J. A. Watson, deceased, county, containing 25 acres, more state meeting which began here today for breakfast and feel that I am sat- this is to notify all persons holding less, joining the lands of S. J. Morgan, isfied. After eating a dish of Grape- claims against said estate to present T. J. McKinney and others, described veloped and will be increased with that ises to be the most successful as well Nuts with a little cream, I can work same to me for payment within twelve in Book No. 110, on page 315, Register's as the largest in point of attendance all the morning and forget I have a months from this date, in default of office, Buncombe county. which this notice will be pleaded in Terms of sale one-fourth of purchase-

bar of their recovery. society are here from all the chief cit- hard to keep them in bounds as to the All persons indebted to the estate ance equal installments payable in one ies and towns of the state, and the quantity that should be eaten. My eld-

ARABELLA T. WATSON. Administratrix of J. A. WATSON, deceased.

Henry B. Stevens, Attorney. Run Nov. 12, 19, 26; Dec. 3, 10, 17. | Daily and S. W. till Nov. 28.

## WESTERN CAROLINA BANK LANDS FOR SALE

As 1 weiver of the Western Carolina full dress uniform gave a pretty set- lanta today, has attracted a large num- Bank, and by virtue of an order made at the September Term of the Superior Katherine Craig, daughter of Lieuten- who are united in their common desire of record in said court in the case of ant Colonel and Mrs. Robert Craig, to advance the interest of their sex the Battery Park Bank et al vs. the Western Carolina Bank et al. I will sell at the court house door in the city of Asheville, beginning at 12 o'clock M. on church, LaFayette square. The maid Universalist church, will continue the 29th day of November, 1902, the folof honor was Miss Mary Fendall, of through tomorrow. Prominent among lowing described real estate belonging

1. The house and lot situate on S. Main street in the city of Asheville, No. -, known as the Tobacco Factory at the corner of S. Main and Atkin streets, formerly the property of the Tobacco Works and Cigar company, described in a deed from L. P. McLoud in Book No. 91, page 393.

2. The house and lot in Doubleday, city of Asheville, being lot No. 38 on North Main and Hillside street, known as the Larkin Gwyn property, see map of Doubleday addition registered in Book No. 42 at page 577.

3. The house and lot situate on Pine street, containing two acres more or less, formerly the property of J. R. DuBose, described in deed registered in Book 110 at page 321.

4. The five vacant lots situate on the South side of Woodfin street in the rear of the Oaks Hotel, adjoining lands of Asheville Female college, each with a front of 55 feet and 155 feet in depth. and a 12 foot alley in the rear.

5. One vacant lot on Hill street in the city of Asheville, 60 by 192 feet, described in a deed from L. P. McLoud. trustee, to the Western Carolina Bank,

in Book 86, page 213. 6. Two lots on Buttrick street, in rear of the Methodist church, fronting 54 feet by 94 3-5 feet, each.

7. One vacant lot on Haywood street immediately east of the Methodist church, 711/2 feet front by 151 feet in

8. The house and lot situated on Depot street, No. 97, known as the H. C. Long house, fronting 50 feet, 70 feet in the rear, with a depth of 163 and 191 feet, described in a deed from L. P. McLoud, trustee, dated April 1st, 1895, registered in Book 91 page 564, in the Register's office of Buncombe county.

9. The house and lot situated in the The Singer Manufacturing Co., Court | northern part of the city of Asheville, being lot No. 3 on the plat of the Doubleday addition to the city of Ashe-FOR SALE-Dress suit, very fine, only ville, which is registered in Book 42, used a few times, new, tailor-made, page 577, formerly belonging to J. H. size about 32, a bargain. Address, Brown, described in a deed from S. H. Reed, trustee, to the Western Carolina Bank, registered in the office of the FOR SALE-Established restaurant. Register of Deeds of Buncombe county, furnished room house combined, sell- in Book 91, page 88, 87 feet front by 287

10. The house and lot in the northern part of the city of Asheville, being lot No. 1 of the Doubleday addition to the city of Asheville, registered in Book 42, page 571, excepting so much of said lot as sold to A. F. Cook FOR RENT-Modern unfurnished house by the Western Carolina Bank, Sept. No. 104 Cumberland avenue, 8 to 10 1st 1896, registered in Book 97 at page rooms. Bath closets, etc. Apply to 424, formerly belonging to J. G. Lind-H. F. Grant & Son, or 104 Hillside sey, and more particularily described in a certain deed from L. P. McLoud. trustee, to Western Carolina Bank, FURNISHED rooms for light house- dated May 13th, 1896, registered in Book 96, page 420, Register's office of Buncombe county.

11. One house and lot situated on FOR RENT-Suite of three finely Mountain street in the city of Asheville furnished rooms or each room containing 4059 sq. feet more or less, separately. Bath (hot or cold), described in a deed made by Nelson steam heat, learge closets, elec- Baily and wife to Western Carolina tric lights, janitor service, near P. Bank, dated June 21, 1897, Registered in O. Splendid bachelor apartments office of Register of Deeds of Buncombe county, in Book 101, page 52.

> 12. One-fifth interest Asheville Furniture and Lumber Company's property situated near the depot of the Southern

13. The tracts of land formerly belonging to A. M. Meadows on Turkey Creek, in the county of Buncombe, containing 125 acres fully described in a deed from L. P. McLoud, trustee, to the Western Carolina Bank, registered in Book No 114 at page 403, in the Register's office of Buncombe county. 14. All that piece or parcial of land.

for rent to gentleman. Address Box situated in Asheville township, Buntf. combe county, adjoining the corporate limits of the city of Asheville contain-FOR RENT-Offices, furnished and un- ing about 115 acres, formerly the prop-This property has been subdivided

into seven different tracts, No 1 containing 16.26 acres, No 2, 16.24 acres. No. 3 21.68 acres, No. 4, 13.23 acres, No. 5 and 6 rooms; (1) 9 room house, (1) 7, 31/2 acres, be the same more or less. 8 room house-all modern improve- This last named tract of land will ments, (2) front offices on Court be offered for sale first in parcels as square. Apply to J. L. Wagner at numbered, and then as a whole, both of which sales will be reported to the court, for confirmation.

15. A tract of land lying and being State of North Carolina, Wake County. below Gorman's Bridge, in the county

> 16. The lands known as the T. K. Brown lands, situated in Black Mountain township, one tract containing 140 acres more or less, and one tract containing 125 acres more or less, and one tract containing 300 acres more or less. and one tract 12 acres, more or less. and one tract 50 acres more or less, sit-

These several tracts of land are more particularly described in a deed made by T. K. Brown and wife to the Western Carolina Bank, dated May 13th. Chairman Board of Commissioners. 1896, and registered in the office of the Register of Deeds of Buncombe coul in Book 96, page 463. This land \_\_\_\_\_braces the celebrated apple orchards near Black Mountain station, Bunco

county. No. 17. The W. J. Sprouse tract

money to be paid in cash and the bal-This the 11th day of November, 1902. sale, secured by deed in trust upon the property. Sales to be approved of by

the court. W. W. JONES. Receiver of Western Carolina Bank.