

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

MARKET IS IMPROVED CORN PRICES RECEDE RAIL ISSUES GO UP

Further Recovery Follows Continued Reports of Crop Deterioration and Good War News.

New York, Aug. 9.—There was a further recovery in the cotton market here today owing to the continued reports of crop deterioration in Texas and encouraging war news.

Chicago, Aug. 9.—Corn receded in price today largely due to improved weather and the gratifying war news. The close was unsettled 1/8 to 1/16 net lower with September 1.61 1/4 to 1.56 1/4, and October 1.63 1/4 to 1.58 1/4.

WILMINGTON MARKETS. (Quoted Daily by the Wilmington Chamber of Commerce.) STAR OFFICE, Aug. 9, 1918.

RECEIPTS: Spirits turpentine, (-) Rosin, (-) Crude turpentine, (-) Receipts same day last year—Spirits turpentine, 44 barrels; rosin, 116 barrels; tar, 236 barrels; crude turpentine, 36 barrels.

COTTON MARKET. Quotations—29; same day last year, 25 3/4.

PRODUCE MARKET. Wilmington, Aug. 9, 1918. (Prices Paid by Wilmington Dealers.) CORN—12 to 14 per bu.

NEW ORLEANS COTTON. New Orleans, Aug. 9.—War news was again the one great factor in the cotton market, although the drought in Texas still attracted attention and caused enough buying to put prices up nearly a cent a pound.

HESTER'S WEEKLY COTTON STATEMENT. Comparisons are to actual dates not to close of corresponding weeks.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK. Chicago, Aug. 9.—Hogs—Receipts, 10,000. Market generally steady.

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET. Liverpool, Aug. 9.—Cotton: Spot, quiet; prices, easy; good middling, 22.09; middling, 21.46; low middling, 20.94; good ordinary, 19.94; ordinary, 19.14.

DRY GOODS MARKET. New York, Aug. 9.—Cotton goods prices named by the government were circulated today in the trade, but business at the new levels started slowly.

SAVANNAH NAVAL STORES. Savannah, Aug. 9.—Turpentine firm, 65 1/2 sales, 216; receipts, 174; shipments, 329.

THE WEATHER.

United States Department of Agriculture—Weather Bureau Wilmington, Aug. 10, 1918. Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending yesterday at 8 P. M.

THE WEATHER. For North Carolina: Fair Saturday and Sunday, except thundershowers in the mountain districts.

THE FORT CALNDAR, Aug. 10, 1918. Sun rises 6:29 A. M. Sun sets 8:06 P. M. Day's length 13 hrs. 37 min.

THE TIDES. High water. Low water. Wilmington 1:05 1:00 8:17 8:36

WEATHER BUREAU REPORTS. August 9, 1918. Temperature: Stations Weather at 8 A. M. Highest today. Lowest. Precipitation. Abilene, Clr 96 72 0.0

NEW YORK STOCK LIST. American Beet Sugar 70 American Can 47 American Car and Foundry 83 American Locomotive 67 3/4

COTTON REGION BULLETIN. For 24 hours ending 7 a. m. Thursday, 7th Meridian Time, Aug. 9, 1918.

Table with columns: STATIONS, Weather, Highest, Lowest, Precipitation. Includes cities like Charlotte, N.C., Greensboro, etc.

LIVERPOOL COTTON STATISTICS. Liverpool, Aug. 9.—Weekly cotton statistics: Total forwarded to mills, 44,000 bales.

PATRIOTIC PROGRAM RENDERED. Teachey and Wallace Endeavor Societies in Joint Meeting.

IRISH FARMERS HIT HARD. Dublin, Aug. 9.—With the Sinn Feiners raiding the farmers and taking their shotguns.

CLEMENCEAU'S DAUGHTER ENGAGED. Paris, Aug. 9.—The engagement of Mlle. Therese Clemenceau, daughter of the French premier.

LADIES. When irregular or delayed use Tri-umph Pills.

Running the Blockade. You Business Men, hampered by high prices and the shortage in labor and equipment should show your resourcefulness by solving these difficulties with Want Ads.

Suburban Schedule. IN EFFECT SATURDAY, JUNE 8, 1918. WEEK-DAYS. Lv. Center 8:00 A. M. Lv. Beach 5:40 A. M.

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FREIGHT. Lv. Wilmington 5:30 A. M. Lv. Beach 7:05 A. M.

UNION PASSENGER STATION. Arrival and Departure of Trains February 1st, 1918.

SEABOARD AIR LINE. DEPART DAILY ARRIVE 8:45 P. M. Charlotte 1:10 P. M.

ATLANTIC COAST LINE. DEPART DAILY ARRIVE 5:45 A. M. South and West. 12:40 A. M.

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NEW YORK MONEY MARKET. New York, Aug. 9.—Mercantile paper, 6 months, 6; six months, 4.

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