With the General Tone Steady—Some Buying by Shorts on the Usual Week-Emit Motives and Moderate Selling by Wall Street.

New York, Nov. 12.—The cotton market opened steady at an advance of the market free points, which was eather better than due on the cables. The weather was more or less unsettled, but nothing was reported calculated to alarm shorts particularly, and while there was haying from this account, it seemed to coine chiefly from the usual end-week motives. Wire houses with Southwestern connections had a few huying orders. On the other hand, Wall street ders. On the other hand, Wall street on the cables and strong tone of the hundred at special and the sine crop of the cables and the control of the cables and strong tone of the hundred at the control of the cables and strong tone of the hundred at the control of the cables and strong tone of the hundred at the control of the cables and strong tone of the market are maintained, much of the hullishness is aggressive and after opening 5 to 5 points higher the market are maintained, much of the hullishness is aggressive and after opening 5 to 5 points higher the market are maintained, much of the hullishness is aggressive and after opening 5 to 5 points higher the market are maintained, much of the hullishness is aggressive and after opening 5 to 5 points higher the market are maintained, much of the hullishness is aggressive and after opening 5 to 5 points higher the market are maintained, much of the hullishness is aggressive and after opening 5 to 5 of contents are understanted at the sunday. But demand was by no means aggressive and after opening 5 to 5 of cables were due to come about 1 point higher and closed about 1 to 2 points was thoroughly demonstrated. Trade at the market are showers, nothing to be alarming, within the bounds of promptility and the market are agreeded.

Southwess per trade of the darket are and closed about 1 to 2 p ders. On the other hand, Wall street sold moderately and there was countering liquidation. Altogether, trading was quiet, with fluctuations narrow and irregular. Prices sold off a lot from the best, but the general tone was present is probable. Estimated receipts for the month of November will probably the best, but the general tone was present is probable. Estimated receipts for the month of November will probably fall between 150,000 and 180,000 behind the month of November will probably fall between 150,000 and 180,000 behind the month of November will probably fall between 150,000 and 180,000 behind the month of November will probably fall between 150,000 and 180,000 behind the month of November will probably fall between 150,000 and 180,000 behind the month of November will probably fall between 150,000 and 180,000 behind the month of November will probably fall between 150,000 and 180,000 behind the month of November will probably fall between 150,000 and 180,000 behind the month of November will probably fall between 150,000 and 180,000 behind the month of November will probably fall between 150,000 and 180,000 behind the month of November will probably fall between 150,000 and 180,000 behind the month of November will probably fall between 150,000 and 180,000 behind the month of November will probably fall between 150,000 and 180,000 behind the month of November will probably fall between 150,000 and 180,000 behind the month of November will probably fall between 150,000 and 180,000 behind the month of November will probably fall between 150,000 and 180,000 behind the month of November will probably fall between 150,000 and 180,000 behind the month of November will probably fall between 150,000 and 180,000 behind the month of November will probably fall between 150,000 and 180,000 behind the month of November will probably fall between 150,000 and 180,000 behind the month of November will probably fall between 150,000 and 180,000 behind the month of November will probably fall between 150,000 and 180,00

Futures opened firm; November, 9.65 bid; December, 9.90; January, 9,98; February, 10.01; March, 10.08; April, 10.13; May, 10.19; July, 10.25.

Futures closing steady; November 9.80; December, 9.85; January, 9.95; February, 10.03; March, 10.07; April, 10.11; May, 10.16; June, 10.16; July, 10.22. Spot dull; middling uplands, 10.25; middling gulf, 10.50.

### MILLER & CO.'S REPORTS.

Condition of the Cotton, Coffee, Stock and Grain Markets.

By Private Wire to F. B. Alexander, Man-

Sew York, Nov. 12.—The market during the past week has been a narrow one, fluctuating within an extreme, range of 22 points. It has been noted, however, for stubleorn strength and resistance to persistent bear attacks, with analty a successful outcome, as to-day's prices are withon a few points of the highest for the week. The feature, which stands out most movement everywhere. Last week, we called attention to smaller arrivals at the interior towns and predicted, as a result, a decrease in the receipts at the ports. This has come to pass. Again the interior shows a lighter movement, so that there can be no expansion in port receipts during the coming week, which, by the way, will compare with the banner week of last your, when the amount brought into sight was 682,000 bales. The movement in sight was 682,000 bales. The movement in single year, and therefore and therefore and the receipts of the nast season.

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With the election happily out of the way. business is already beginning to flow more ovenly and the dry goods trade, in particular, reports increasing activity and exceedingly steady prices. The next development of special interest to the cotton trade will be the ginners' report, which will give the number of bales ginned to Nopatches, crossed the ocean with Buffalo issue its annual estimate on December 3rd, the trade will not have long to wait for an authoritative statement on this im-portant point. Some of our friends, close-

STOCKS.

New York, Nov. 12 .- To-day's stock many ket was strong, active, with many new features developing themselves on the bull side. Notwithstanding the immense profit features developing themselves on the builtiside. Notwithstanding the immense profit taking which went on, prices averaged higher or showed only triffing net losses. The decrease in surplus reserve reported by the banks was offset in the eyes of most, observers, by the gratifying fact of the large reduction in loans. The publication of the statement had no influence upon prices. Recessions which took place in the final dealings were no larger than might have followed a natural reaction from excited operations of the first hour. There was no special news developments through the day, but the impression remains strong in financial circles that negotiations are under way, promising an early settlement of the war in the far East. In the railroad list the most sensational feature was thries of over 2 per cent in Hillinois Centratin which dealings were larger than in a long time. A sharp rise took place in some of the miner Vanderhilt issues, Considerable strengts was displayed by the Gould Southwestern coup. An advance of 2 per cent.

COMMERCE AND FINANCE, the industrials the most striking features by Private Wire to L. A. Dodsworth & Control Market Was Quiet, General Electric and Westinghouse. The market closed active and strong.

Fluctuations Narrow and Irregular, sales of stocks were \$23,200 shares.

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has increased materially and outsiders who have not been attracted for many months, have appeared among recent buyers. Selling has been principally for European account—Hamburg and Havre. Europe, as is well known, has not bought freely of trip year's crop, and if the present activity should develop into a bull movement, there would not only be short covering.

TAKING PROFITS IN STOCKS.

Cemptation to Realize Caused a Decidedly Irregular Tone in the Mar-ket, in Spite of Combined Good News and General Confidence. New York, Nov. 12.-With no change

news and with no abatement of the general confidence in general conditions, the desire to realize profits so for overbore the eagerness to secure a decidedly irregular tone in to-day's stock market. The price changes, compared with last night, offered a very such a decidedly last night, offered a very such as the decided open su pared with last night, offered a very mixed result at the end of the trading. The favorite speculative stocks, which usually lead the whole market in point of activity, suffered most from realizing and generally lost ground during the Wheat-Firmer; spot contract and Noday. Conspicuous gains were made by the less prominent railroad stocks and Southern by sample \$1.00 to \$1.12. And yet the actual out-turn was only the less prominent railroad stocks and

States Steel, preferred, 50,000

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will give the number of bales ginned to November 14th. The first bulletins will probably be issued a week later. The only comparison available for the 27 days between October 18th and November 14th, is with last year, when 3.109,000 bales of 500 pounds were ginned. This was out of a crop of only 46,000,000 bales, while the yield of the present season is by common consent a great deal larger. As cotton was cf en and fields were white, it follows that the amount ginned during the 27 days in question, would be limited only by the catagories. pacity of the ginning machinery, and, therefore, there is every reason to expect that fully as much will be turned out as has year. In such case, the amount to be shown as ginned to November 14, should be in the neighborhood as 9,500,000 bales. It is not known whether the Census Department will give an estimate of the bear it. Murderers at large, hunted by partment will give an estimate of the bear it. Murderers at large, hunted by percentage already ginned, so as to furnish a key to the probable ultimate outings accompany the hunt suggest the turn, but, as the Agricultural Bureau will' spice that enlivens American life.

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET. New York, Nov. 12.—Flour steady. and

cember 59%. Oats—Spot dull; mixed oats 34½ to 35½. Options nominal.

Iard—Steady: Western steamed 7.50;
Western closed 7.50 nominal; refined carely steady; continent 7.65; compound 5% to 6.

Pork—Quiet; family 15.90 to 15.50; shortles, r.13.75 to 16.75; mess 12.75 to 13.25. Willow-Dull; city 44; country 44 to 43, Rosin-Steady. Trupentin-Steady.

| Trupentin—Steady: | Sugar—Raw | Steady: | refined | steady: | Conseed 6.15; powdered 5.55; granulated f.45; cubes 5.70. | Coffee—Spot Rio | Steady: | No. 7 | invoice | Si4: mild firm: Cordova 10 to 12. | Coffee | futures opened | Steady | at unchanged | prices | to a decline of 5 | points. The close was steady | at a net advance of 5 to 15 | points with sales of 55,500 bags. | Charlotte | HIDE Market.

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pected, the smaller movement and apprehension as to unsettled weather over New York, dull

Receipts of cotton at the ports to-day, 56,261 bales, against 46,671 last week and 64,473 last year. For the week, 380,000 bales, against 381,909 last week and 447,897 last year. can cotton this year over last has been Baltimore & Onio 38 reduced by the difference. The figures Central of Georgia 58 New York, Nov. 12.—The coffee market has been decidedly more active during the past week and prices have advanced 25 to 30 joints. The decrease in receipts at the primary points have been the principal feature, and there is a general belief that a continuous falling off in the movement is ahead if us. The interest in the market has increased materially and outsiders who in connection with the into sight suglast year, of American, and imports of Chicago, R. I. the same were 60,000, against 73,000 last

there would not only be short covering but also heavy buying of actual softes by European distributors, who would be gare doomed to failure. The light arrivals at mountain the importance of this feature and indifferent presponsible for the smalness of the increase in the visible supply. It looks as if the list of the accomplations have been groved from the interior, and that, henceforth, receipts of mild coffee will represent only the crop of a single year, and therefore, fall materially behind the receipts of the past season.

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ture should receipts prove disappoint-lingly large, under liquidation of cotton recently bought, in anticipation of the Texas & Pacific 1sts. ecently bought in anticipation of bull- Toledo, St. sh comparisons.

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LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.

Liverpool, Nov. 12, 1 p. m.—Cotton: Spot in moderate demand: prices anchanged: American middling 5.42. The sales of the day were 6.09 bales, of which 300 were for speculation and export and included 5.100 American. Receipts 57,100 bales, all American.

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STOCKS. n the hopeful and cheerful tenor of the

July-August 5.42.

BALTIMORE PRODUCE MARKET Baltimore, Nov. 12.-Flour dull, unchang-

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New York, Nov. 12.—Futures closed gaverno Factivities in addition steady; middling 10.25; spots dull; sales to those offered by local banks. High. Low. Close. ... 9.98 9.95@ 9.96 January .. .. .. 10.21 10.15 10.19(10.19 10.10 10.11) 10.21 10.15 10.19(10.19 10.11) 10.11(10.12 10.15 10.19(10.19 10.10) 10.11(10.10) 10.11(10.11) 10.1

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