

COMMERCE AND FINANCE

THE COTTON MARKET QUOTE

The Day Marked by Irregularity of Fluctuations Within a Range of 1/4 to 1/2 Points. The Close Crater at a Net Advance of 1/4 to 7/16 Points.

The market opened steady at an advance of 1/4 to 1/2 points in response to higher cotton prices in New York, generally was considered favorable to the market.

Receipts at the ports to-day were 11,500 bales against 12,500 last week and 12,000 bales against 12,500 last week and 12,000 bales against 12,500 last week.

Traders were disinclined to follow prices far in any direction, and after early weakness substantial rally took place.

New York, Feb. 8.—Speculation failed to show any incentive to-day, and the trading fell at times into a condition of stagnation which is rarely seen in the market except at what is called the period of midsummer dullness.

Prices declined, unless the reaction against the earlier course of coming back and filling under the varying conditions of the board room traders.

Loss of 5 to 9 Points at New Orleans. New Orleans, Feb. 8.—Spot cotton fell 5 to 9 points to 20 1/2 to 21 1/2, including 20 1/2 to 21 1/2, including 20 1/2 to 21 1/2.

New York Cotton. New York, Feb. 8.—Cotton spot closed quiet; middling upland, 11 3/4; middling Gulf, 12 1/2; sales, 10,000 bales.

Liverpool Cotton. Liverpool, Feb. 8.—Cotton spot in fair demand; prices nine points higher; American middling fair, 8 1/2; good middling, 8 3/4; good ordinary, 8 1/4.

Naval Stores. Savannah, Ga., Feb. 8.—Turpentine—Firm, 55 sales, 107 receipts, 112; shipping, 100.

The Money Market. New York, Feb. 8.—Money on call steady; highest, 4 1/2 per cent; lowest, 3 1/2 per cent.

Chicago Grain. Chicago, Feb. 8.—An official forecast of snow in Kansas and Nebraska was chief instrumental in causing a weak tone in the wheat market prices.

New Orleans Futures. New Orleans, Feb. 8.—Cotton futures closing bid: February, 10 1/2; March, 10 3/4; April, 10 1/2; May, 10 1/4; June, 10 1/4; July, 10 1/4; August, 10 1/4.

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New York Produce

Table listing various commodities like Flour, Sugar, Coffee, etc., with their respective prices and market status.

Baltimore Produce

Table listing Baltimore market prices for items like Flour, Sugar, etc.

The Dry Goods Market

New York, Feb. 8.—Jobbers in the dry goods market to-day complained that in spite of the presence of a large number of retail buyers operations were extensive but buyers expressed a lack of faith in the future.

C. P. Ellis & Co's Cotton Letter

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Hubbard Bros. & Co's Cotton Letter

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DAILY COTTON MARKET

Table showing daily cotton market statistics including sales, receipts, and inventories.

COMPARATIVE PORT RECEIPTS

Table comparing port receipts for various months and years.

ESTIMATES

Table providing estimates for various commodities.

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

Table listing Chicago grain and provision prices for February 8.

CLOSING STOCK LIST

Table listing closing stock prices for various companies and sectors.

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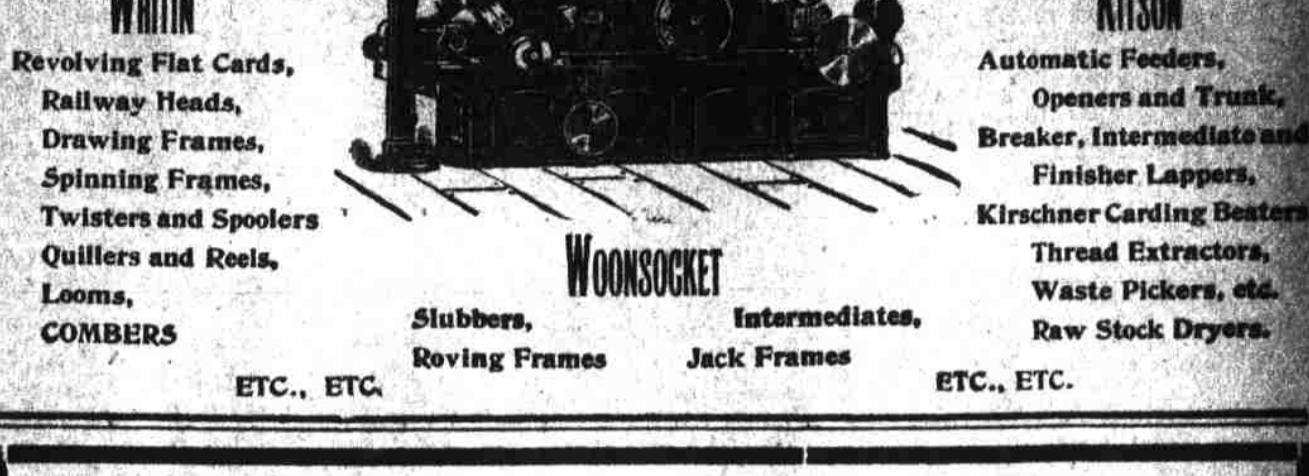
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