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Receipts at the ports to-day 33.143 bales against 17,66 last week and 50.117 last year. For the week (estimated), 90,000 bales against 14,495 last year, and at Houston 5,827 bales against 11.50 to 827 ba

STOCK MARKET IRREGULAR.

A Desultory Recovery From Pressure of the Preceding Day—The Closing Tone Steadier.

Tone Steadier.

New York, March 6.—The day's market gave unmistakable evidence of relief from the pressure of the urgent and forced liquidation which upset prices yesterday. A desultory recovery was the consequence, in which covering of short contracts by professional operators on the bear side of the market played a large part. The later stages of the market, however, showed a striking disinclination to follow the recovery by any large commitments on the long side. The advancing tendency was spotty and irregular and did not set in until after a tagged opening in which the majority of the active list sold lower than last nightly closing. Besides the prominence of resterday's weakest stock in the recovery there was a show of positive strength in the Wabash securities and these of southwestern railroads in the same group. Some of the other carriers also sympathized in the movement. A strong market for copper in London helped Amalgamated Copper here. The assembling of the coal operators to consider the proposition of the anthracite miners for an agreement gave rise to varying rumors which were reflected in the fluctuations in Reading. To-day's money rates were not materially changed, although the general tone begins to show the benefit of the liquidation accomplished in the stock market. The sagging tendency of stocks at one time wiped out pretty much all of the gains but a heavy buying movement in Southern Railway in the final dealings restablished some portion of them and left the closing tone steady. Bends were steady. Total sales, par value, \$2,040,000. United States bonds were all unchanged on call.

Total sales were 983,000 shares, including: Copper 475,500. Cotton Oil 4,200.

ì	Quotations ranged as	follows		
ζ	Open	High	Low	Clos
Ġ	March1656	10.65	10.54	10.6
d	April 10.60-65	10.63	10.63	10.7
í	May 10.77	10.86	10.74	10.8
	June 10.84-86	-	-	10.8
ä	July 10.90	10.97	1085	10.9
ŝ	Aug 10.84	10.88	10.81	10.8
ñ,	Sept. ofd 10.48	10.50	10,47	10.4
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Liverpool Cotton.

Liverpool, March 6.—Cotton, spot in fair demand; prices one point lower; American middling fair 6.41; good middling 8.07; middling 5.89; low middling 5.73; good ordinary 5.55; ordinary 5.59.

The sales of the day were 12,000 bales of which 1.700 were for speculation and expert and included 9,200 American. Receipts 19,000 bales, including 7,200 American. Futures opened and closed steady; American middling g.o.c. March 5.74; April-May 5.76; May-June 5.79; June-July 5.81; July-Aug. 5.83; Aug. Sept. 5.80; Sept. Oct. 5.65; Oct. Nov. 5.61; Nov. Dec. 5.59.

Naval Stores. Wilmington, March 6.—Spirits turpentine nothing doing; receipts 3 casks.

Rosin, nothing doing; receipts 65 casks.

Tar. firm \$1.80; receipts 78 barrels.

Crude turpentine firm \$3.20, \$5.00, \$5.00;

Savannah, Gu., March 6.—Turpentine firm 694; sales 28; receipts 75; shipments Rosin firm; sales 425; receipts 775; ship, ments 8,410; atook 42,224. Quote: A B C D E F and G 24.10; H 34.25; I \$4.55; K \$5.20; M \$5.45; N \$5.30; W G \$6.10; W W \$6.20.

The Money Market.

New York. March 6.—Money on call firm 5 to 5% per cent, ruling rate 5%; closing bid 5; offered 5% and last loan 5%. Time loans steady; 60 days and 90 days 5% to 5% per cent; six months 5 to 5%. Prime mercantile paper 5 to 5% per cent. Sterling exchange easy with actual business in bankers' bills at \$425.75 to \$485.30 for demand and at \$482.70 to \$482.75 for 50 fees 5118. Posted rates \$4.83% and day 5118. Posted rates \$4.83% and bills. Posted rated rates \$4.81/2 and Commercial bills \$487%. Bur silver Mexican dollars \$494/4.

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Chicago Grain.

hicago, March 6.—Active covering by rta who were forced to cover by the one condition of the cash wheat rear caused a firm close in the local eat market here to-day final quota-te on the May option being up 16. In aboved a gain of 8. Oate were up Provisions were 2% to 8c lower.

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Peanuts and freights quiet and unchanged.

Potatoes steady: Maine and other Eastern, per bag, \$1.75 to \$1.90;
State and Western \$1.65 to \$1.80; foreign \$1.50 to \$1.30; sweets quiet, unchanged.

Cabbages easy, unchanged.

The Dry Goods Market.

New York, March 6.—Spring business in the dry goods market is proceeding satisfactorily to the jobbers, returns from the West being particularly en-

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