

COMMERCE AND FINANCE

General Demoralization in Financial Circles Caused by California Situation... Cotton Off 14 to 20 Points... Receipts of cotton at the ports to-day, 12,300 bales...

STRAIN TELLS ON STOCKS

Realization of California Disaster's Full Extent Produces a Semblance of Demoralization, Day's Net Losses Running From 1 to 5 Points... Bonds were weak. Total sales, \$2,300,000...

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New Orleans, April 19.—Spot cotton quiet; the better grades are scarce and in demand while the lower grades are plentiful... Liverpool Cotton. Liverpool, April 19.—Cotton, spot in fair demand...

Special to The Observer. New Orleans, April 19.—Although Liverpool was better than the logical expectation, the American markets have been subjected to severe pressure...

CHARLOTTE COTTON MARKET

Table with columns for Cotton and Cotton Waste, listing prices for various grades like Good middling, Strict middling, etc.

NEW YORK BONDS

Table listing various bond types and their prices, including U.S. refunding 2s, U.S. 3s, etc.

ESTIMATES

Table showing estimates for New Orleans, Houston, and Galveston, with columns for To-day, Yesterday, and Last Year.

INTERIOR RECEIPTS

Table showing interior receipts for Memphis, St. Louis, and Houston, with columns for Year, Yesterday, and Last Year.

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

High Low Close. WHEAT—May 82 1/2 82 1/2 82 1/2...

WHEAT

May 82 1/2 82 1/2 82 1/2. July 78 3/4 78 3/4 78 3/4.

CORN

April 47 46 1/2 46 1/2. July 45 1/2 45 1/2 45 1/2.

OATS

May 32 1/2 32 1/2 32 1/2. July 29 1/2 29 1/2 29 1/2.

PORK

May 16 1/2 16 1/2 16 1/2. July 16 3/4 16 3/4 16 3/4.

LARD

October 8 7/8 8 7/8 8 7/8. May 8 7/8 8 7/8 8 7/8.

RIBS

May 8 7/8 8 7/8 8 7/8. July 8 7/8 8 7/8 8 7/8.

CLOSING STOCK LIST

Table listing various stocks and their closing prices, including Adams Express, Amalgamated Copper, etc.

New York Produce. New York, April 19.—Flour firm but quiet... Coffee quiet, mild steady...

The Money Market. New York, April 19.—Money on call firm, 3 to 4 1/2 per cent...

Naval Stores

Savannah, Ga., April 19.—Turpentine firm, 51 sales 88; receipts 383; shipments 147...

Poultry Men Meet Officers

Correspondence of The Observer. Greensboro, April 18.—The North Carolina Poultry Association met in annual session...

The Dry Goods Market

New York, April 19.—The dry goods trade was generally quiet to-day...

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Correspondence of The Observer. Rockingham, April 18.—At a meeting of the Democratic executive committee...

Chicago Grain

Chicago, April 19.—The local wheat market to-day was very erratic and close...

PORT MOVEMENT

Table showing port movements for Galveston, New Orleans, Mobile, etc.

Hubbard Bros. & Co's Cotton Letter

Special to The Observer. New York, April 19.—Cables were colorless this morning...

Comparative Port Receipts

Table comparing port receipts for April 19, 1906, with previous years.

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