

COMMERCE AND FINANCE

COTTON MARKET UNSETTLED

Early Decline of 1 to 7 Points Attributed to... Result of Favorable Crop Advances... New York, July 21.—The cotton market opened steady at a decline of 2 to 3 points...

Estimated receipts of cotton at the ports to-day 2,500 bales against 2,000 bales last year... New Orleans Cotton... New Orleans, La., July 21.—Cotton futures closed steady...

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New York, July 21.—The bank statement to-day showed that there had been substantial ground for the hopes of a strong bank status, which lay at the bottom of yesterday's upward movement of stocks and the improved feeling over money markets.

CHICAGO PACKERS CLEAN UP. Secretary Wilson Tells of Visit to Packing-Houses—Men Who Are Not Needed Dismissed—Working Rooms in Some Houses Are Being Made Sanitary and Comfortable.

CHARLOTTE COTTON MARKET. These prices represent the prices paid to wagons: July 21. Good middling 13.40, Strict middling 13.40, Middling 13.40, Good middling 13.40.

ESTIMATES. July 21. To Last day Year. Houston 300 to 500 3,007. Memphis 121 328, Augusta 121 328, Cincinnati 121 328, Houston 628 4,274, Little Rock 173 1,730.

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