

COTTON AND FINANCE

Spinning Nearly Steady and in Symmetry with Cottons... Southern Spot Markets Reported Steady.

STOCK MARKET FEVERISH.

Prices Generally Sustained, But Weak Spots Constantly Developed... Market Accepted the View That the Danger Was Over and Prices Rose Rapidly in Closing Hours.

Hubbard Bros. & Co's Cotton Letter.

Special to The Observer. New York, Oct. 23.—Although the market touched low levels today, the tone was much better than it has been since the financial troubles began.

New Orleans Spot Cotton.

New Orleans, Oct. 23.—Cotton, spot was steady with prices 1/2 lower on all grades. Middling 15 1/2, sales were 3,000 bales on spot with 1,300 to arrive.

Comparative Cotton Statement.

Table with columns for Net receipts at all U. S. ports, Total receipts since Sept. 1st, Total receipts to same date last year, etc.

Daily Cotton Market.

Table with columns for New York, Oct. 23—Galveston, one dull; middling 14 1/2; net receipts 5,673; etc.

INTERIOR MOVEMENT.

Houston, one quiet; middling 17; net receipts 4,080; gross receipts 4,979; shipments 2,317; stock 67,210.

Naval Stores.

Savannah, Ga., Oct. 23.—Spirits turpentine steady 31 1/2; sales 100; receipts 190; shipments 170.

Charlotte, S. C., Oct. 23.—Turpentine firm, 51 sales none.

Wilmington, Oct. 23.—Spirits turpentine steady 50 1/2; receipts 23 casks.

New York Produce.

New York, Oct. 23.—Flour dull and unsettled. Rye flour steady. Buckwheat flour steady.

Baltimore Produce.

Baltimore, Oct. 23.—Flour dull, unchanged. Wheat, very quiet; spot contract 10 1/2.

Cotton Movement.

New York, Oct. 23.—The following statistics on the movement of cotton for the week ending Friday, Oct. 20, were compiled by the New York Cotton Exchange:

WEEKLY MOVEMENT.

Table with columns for Port receipts, Overland to mills and Canada, Southern mill takings, etc.

Chicago Grain and Provisions.

Chicago, Oct. 23.—A recent advance in wheat rounded an initial transaction was nearly all lost on the local market today as a result of heavy profit-taking.

WHEAT.

Table with columns for May, July, Sept, Dec, etc.

CORN.

Table with columns for May, July, Sept, Dec, etc.

COYNE.

Table with columns for Jan, May, Sept, Dec, etc.

Estimates.

Table with columns for New Orleans, Galveston, etc.

Comparative Port Receipts.

Table with columns for Galveston, Mobile, Houston, etc.

Charlotte Cotton.

These figures represent the prices paid to wagon Oct. 23.

Charlotte Produce.

Corrected list by R. H. Field & Co. Beans—black, 1.00; white, 1.00; etc.

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LIVERPOOL COTTON. Liverpool, Oct. 23.—Closing cotton, spot moderate business done; prices 3 points higher.

WEEKLY INTERIOR COTTON TOWNS. Athens, steady 7 1/2; Atlanta, steady 11 1/2; Charlotte, steady 10 1/2; etc.

NEW YORK COTTON. New York, Oct. 23.—Cotton, spot closed steady 15 points lower; middling uplands 10 1/2.

Sea Island Cotton. Savannah, Ga., Oct. 23.—Sea Island cotton: Extra fancy Georgia and Florida 31; fancy Florida 29 to 31; etc.

NEW YORK BONDS. U. S. refunding 2s registered 104 1/2; U. S. refunding 3s registered 103 1/2; etc.

CLOSING STOCK LIST. Adams Express 165; Amalgamated Copper 47 1/2; American Cotton 24 1/2; etc.

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