### Financial and Commercial

New York, Sept. 8—The cotton market fas higher to-day on covering by near month shorts and talk of steadier Southern markets with the close very steady at a net advance of 14 to 12 points. Sales were estimated at 155,000 bales. The market opened steady at an advance of 8 to 14 points in response to higher cables than expected, but essed off 4 to 5 points during the first few minutes under selling by some of the local bears who had covered before the holidays and who were influenced by the census report showing 57,124 bales ginned to September 1st grainst 250,278 last year and generally good weather over the holidays. At the decline October shorts started covering and during the afternoon the market soid by quite charply on high temperatures in the Southwest, and talk of steadier in the Southwest in the Sout Southern spot markets officially reported were 4c. lower to 3-16c, higher. Private wires from Houston said the spot situation was steadler with very little offering and a better foreign demand. Liverpool cables attributed the advance in that market to shorts covering and small hern offerings. The weekly report of Weather Bureau will be issued tomorrow. The census figures were a shade larger than had been estimated in view of the receipts of new crop cotton prior to September 1st, but had little influence

on the market. against 17,975 last week and 17,683 last year. For the week 110,000 bales against 79.302 last week and 39.150 last year. To-day's receipts at New Orleans 1.107 bales against 615 last year, and at Houston 19,-135 bales against 9.50 last year.

#### STOCK MARKET.

New York, Sept. 8.—Undisturbed ease in the money market and aggressive strength in the Harriman stocks were the sustaining influence in to-day's stock market. The influence was moderate in its effect, an overwhelming proportion of the day's business being in the Harrimans themselves or in stocks in some way affiliated with that name. United States Steel was the only addition of first-class importance to that list.

Illinois Central was strong without the usual response in other Southern trunk line stocks. Atlantic Coast Line was, in fact, sharply depressed, Louisville & Nashville moved narrowly, and there were only a few isolated transactions in Norfolk & Western and Southern Railway. The immediate new development affecting the Harrimans was the confishent and cheerful tone voiced by the head of the system in public outgivings on his way home from his vacation. The hardening of foreign money markets, while it pulled up the rate of foreign exchange in this market, was without apparent influence on our money market. The bonds were irregular. Total sales, par value \$4.42.000.

Inited States bonds were unchanged on call.

Total sales to-day 694.700 shares, includ-

Total sales to-day 694,700 shares, including: Smelting 32,700; Sugar 600; American Tobacco preferred 600; Atlantic Coast Line 400; Norfolk & Western 100; Chesapake & Ohio 1,400; Reading 65,900; Softhern Bacific 54,800; Southern Bailway 5,700; do preferred 1,600; Union Pacific 111,500; United States Steel 19,500; Sloss-Sheffield 1,600; Tennassee Conper 600; Virginia-1.690; Tennessee Copper Carolina Chemical 700.

Baltimore, Sept. 8.-S. A. L. common New York, Sept. 8.-M. & O. ct. 4s, 83 12%. Futures net unchanged to 15 points sion. Corn, oats and provisions closed

Hubbard Bros. & Co.'s Cotton Letter.

Special to The Observer. New York, Sept. Liverpool to-day marks the increased buying by Lancashire spinners which was after the breakdown in the banis ught about at the close of August by the compulsory tender of cotton that had been held for spinners used during the summer. They held off until September and are now buying on a much lower basis for daily use. This demand abroad brought about a better feeling here, where the market opened 10 points higher and slowly improved until at the close when an advance of some 15 points was maintained. Reports of deterioration on the thin lands were received, which addto the strength of the foreign advices and brought a demand to cover on the part of many recent sellers. Further improvement is expected in Liverpool tomorrow. The ginners' report was about what had been expected.

Naval Stores.

Charleston, S. C., Sept. 8.-Turpentine stendy at 85%. Rosin steady. Quote: A B C \$2.25; D \$4.15; M \$4.30 to \$4.40; N \$5.15; W G \$5.85;

Savannah, Ga., Sept. 8.—Turpentine firm, 35%; sales 1,714; receipts 1,747; ship-Rosin firm; sales 2,828; receipts 6,446; shipments 15,558; stock 151,386. Quote: A B C \$2,32½ to \$2,35; D \$2,37½ to \$2,40; E \$2.47½ to \$2.50; F \$2.60 to \$2.67½; G \$2.65 to \$2.72½; H \$3.25 to \$3.30; I \$3.55 to \$3.60; K \$4.55; M \$4.50; N \$5.20; W G \$5.96; W W

Wilmington, Sept. 8.—Spirits turpentine steady, 24%; receipts 60 casks.

Rosin steady, \$2; receipts 260. Tar firm, \$1.40; receipts 33. Crude turpentine firm, \$1.50, \$2 and \$2.75; receipts 164.

Baltimore Produce.

Baltimore, Sept. 8.-Flour firm, Wheat quiet; spot contract 58 to Southern on grade % to 98. Corn dull; spot mixed -; No. 2 white

; Southern yellow 534. Oats firm; No. 2 mixed, 514 to 52. Rye steady; No. 2 Western domestic 79% Butter quiet, unchanged. Fancy imitation 20 to 21; do creamery 25; do ladie 30; store packed 1614 to 17.

Eggs quiet, unchanged. se quiet, unchanged, 22 to 23; new large 12%; do flats 12%; do small 18%. Sugar firm; coarse granulated \$5.20;

Chicago Cattle. P. Chicago, Sept. 8.-Cattle, receipts esti-

Chicago, Sept. 8.—Cattle, receipts entimated at about 5,000; market for cattle
steady. Taives firm. Steers \$4.75 to
\$7.55; cows \$2.40 to \$5.55; heliers \$1 to \$6.55;
bulls \$2.75 to \$4.50; caives \$3.50 to \$5;
stockers and feeders \$2.50 to \$4.50.

Hogs, receipts estimated at about 10,000; market strong to 5c, higher with best
at top price of year. Choice heavy shipping \$7 to \$7.10; butchers \$6.50 to \$7.10;
light mixed \$6.50 to \$6.75; choice light
\$5.75 to \$6.55; pigs \$3.75 to \$6; bulk of sales
\$5.70 to \$6.55; pigs \$3.75 to \$6; bulk of sales

Sheep, receipts estimated at about 28,-200; market steady; sheep \$3.40 to \$4.65; lambs \$4.75 to \$8; yearlings \$4 to \$4.85.

HOW TO GET STRONG.
P. 3. Daly, of 1247 W. Congress St., Chicago, tella of a way to become sizong. He says; "My mother, who is old and was very feeble, is deriving so much benefit from Electric Bitters, that I feel it's my duty to tell those who need a tonic and strengthening medicine about it. In my mother's cuso a marked gain in feeth has resulted, insomnia has been overcome, and she is steadily growing stronger." Electric Bitters quickly remedy stomach, liver and kidney complaints. Sold under guarantee at all drug steres.

Daily Cotton Market.

2,188.
Norfolk, net receipts 257; gross receipts 257; sales 4; stock 3,216; constwise 74.
Enltimore, tone nominal; middling 24; stock 1,749.
New York, tone quiet; middling 3,30; gross receipts 4,162; sales 100; stock 65,502.
Boston, tone quiet; middling 9,30.
Philadelphia, tone quiet; middling 9,55; net receipts 70; gross receipts 70; stock 212.

Total to-dey, at all ports, net 25,836; Gt.
Britain 6,361; continent 105; stock 215,421.
Consolidated, at all ports, net 60,538; Gt.
Britain 8,379; France 450; continent 3,365.
Total since Sept. 1, at all ports, net 113, 084; Gt. Britain 12,774; France 9,619; con-

INTERIOR MOVEMENT. Houston, tone steady; middling 91/6; net receipts 19,135; gross receipts 19,135; ship-ments 14,745; sales 5,125; stock 29,192. Augusta, tone quiet; middling 5; net re-celpts 1,604; gross receipts 1,604; shipments 11; sales 770; stock 3,355.

Memphis, tone quiet; middling 94; net receipts 234; gross receipts 227; shipments 471; sales 475; stock 13,174.

St. Louis, stock 2,376.
Cincinnati, net receipts 270; gross receipts 270; shipments 110; stock 2,423.
Louisville, tone firm; midding 3%;
Little Rock, tone dull; midding 5%;
set receipts 13; gross resolute 13; shipnet receipts 12 gross receipts 13; ship-ments 7; stock 2,034. Total to-day, net receipts 21,256; gro receipts 21,349; shipments 15,347; sales 6,370;

New York Produce. New York, Sept. 8.—Flour market quiet and firmly held.

Rye flour steady. Commeal firm. Rye dull. Barley steady. Wheat easy; No. 2 red 1634 to 105 elevator. Options 4 to %c. net higher; September 1654; December 1654; May 167%. Corn steady; No. 2, 89 nominal elevator.

Options % net higher. September 90; De-cember 79%; May 74%.
Oats quiet; mixed 53 to 54. Beef steady. Cut meats steady. Pork steady. Tallow firm. Turpentine quiet, 39. Rice quiet.

Molasses quiet. Sugar, raw steady; fair refining \$3.46; centrifugal 96 test \$3.96; confectioners "A" \$4.90; mould "A" \$5.45; cut loaf \$5.90; crushed \$5.50; powdered \$5.20; granulated \$5.10; cubes \$5.35. Coffee, spot steady; Rio N. 7, 6%; Santos No. 4. 8%; mild dull; Cordova 34 to

Butter firm; creamery specials 24 to 24%; extras 23% to 23%; thirds to firsts 19 to 234; State dairy common to finest 18 to 22; process common to special 15 to 21% Cheese steady: State full cream special 124 to 134; small and large colored or white 914 to 12; skims 114 to 916.

Eggs firm; State, Pennsylvania and nearby fancy white 20 to 30; do fair to choice 24 to 28; brown and mixed fancy 26; do fair to choice 23 to 25. Peanuts steady; fancy handpicked 6% to 614: other domestic 2% to 514.

Freights to Liverpool steady. (Cotton by steam 15c. Grain by steam 14d. Potatoes weak; Maine per barrel \$2.25 to \$2.50; State \$2.25 to \$2.37; Long Island \$2.37 to \$2.52; Jersey \$1.75 to \$2.35; Eastern Shore sweets per barrel \$1.25 to \$1.50; Jer ney \$2. Cabbages firm; flat Dutch per 100 \$4 to \$6; red per barrel \$1 to \$1.25.

New Orleans Cotton New Orleans, Sept. 8.—Cotton: Spots were steady and unchanged with middling at 9c. Sales 825 bales on the spot

and 2,100 to arrive.

Cotton futures opened quiet and steady. 8 to 10 points over Friday's closing. The Rosin steady. Quote: A B C \$2.55; D better opening was accounted for by an \$2.35; E \$2.35 to \$2.40; F \$2.50 to \$2.50; G improvement in Liverpool over the holi\$2.55 to \$2.60; H \$3.20; I \$3.50 to \$2.55; days. The ginners' report was regarded as bullish, the ginnings being smaller than expected. Bear pressure and liqui-dation later brought about a slight recession in values, but these losses were regained after the receipt of many reports on crop deterioration. Better demand for cotton by spinners also was bullish factor. The closing was easy, 11 to 14 points over Friday.
Cotton futures closed easy. Closing bids: September 8.77; October 8.66; No-

vember 8.63; December 8.61; January 8.63; February 8.64; March 8.70.

New York Cattle.

Sheep and lambs, receipts 2,250. Sheep \$2.50 to \$4.25; cuils \$2; lambs \$4.50 to \$4.62; February-March... ... ... ... 4.51

sylvania hogs.

The Money Market.

New York, Sept. 8.—Money on call easy 1 to 1½ per cent.; ruling rate 1; closing bid 1; offered at 1½. Time loans steady; 60 days 2 per cent. and 90 days 2½ to 2½ per cent.; six months 3½ per cent.

Closs: Prime mercantile paper 4 to 4½ per cant. Sterling exchange firm with actual business in bankers' bills at 484.90 to 484.70 for 60-day bills and at 484.90 for demand. Commercial bills 483% to 484. Bar silver 52%; Mexican dollars 45.

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Charlotte Grain, (Corrected daily by Cochrane-McLaughlin Co.) ...... 1.08 Cotton Seed .....

Chicago, Sept. 8.—The government crop report caused a strong upturn in wheat prices to-day but liberal profit-taking only a slight lead at the close, compared with final quotations of the previous ses-

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To-New Orleans..... 1,400-1,800 7.000-8.000 Houston... ... ...

COMPARATIVE PORT RECEIPTS. Galveston... 15,765 Savannah... ... ... ... 6,192

Total (est.)... ... ... 23,000 Liverpool Cotton.

Liverpool, Sept. 8.—Closing cotton: Spot in fair demand; prices 2 to 4 points higher, American midding fair 5.30; good middling 5.54; middling 5.32; low middling 5.08; good ordinary 4.48; ordinary 4.68. The sales of the day were 8,000 bales, of which 500 were for speculation and export and in-cluded 7,000 American. Receipts 5,000

December-January... ... ... 4.694 January-February... ... 4.694 March-April..... .. .. .. .. .. .. Hogs, receipts 2.362. Feeling steady, April-May, ... ... quotations \$7 to \$7.25 for State and Penn- May-June... ... . .... 4.76

May ..... 8.58 8.56 8.55 June ..... 8.55 8.55

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And Jones and Green invested in a cam-

That is, Jones bought a phonograph, and

Each bought a bunch of records such as

The sort that brim with eloquence and

Green's records bore w'at Bryan said,

The issues and the leaders' views were

John Jones came home that evening, and

James Green came home and dined as

Should do some missionary work upon his.

Then each set up his phonograph, and

And tapped the round of eloquence, then

"My Fellow Citizens," boomed forth in

"My Countrymen" in Taftic voice came

Then intermingled and confused in their

Green scowled across at Jones' door,

Jones scowled across at Green's,

And both turned on the loudest tones pos-

"I point with pride!" was countered by

And "Pillars of financial strength" with

But Jones eyed Green, and Green eyed

Jones with angry, baleful eyes,

And Jones told Green and Green told Jones it was a pack of lies,

They left the phonographs alone and met

there in the hall, Jones kicked his neighbor on the shim

Green bumped Jones on the wall; They struck and pulled and gouged and tugged about the hardwood floor

And when the place was quiet-then, the

With rumbling burs of "Thanking you for hearing me, my triends."

Mrs. Mary Craven, of Randolph

county, is visiting in Concord and will probably make her home there with her son, Mr. K. L. Craven. At pres-ent there are four generations at the home of Mr. Craven.

Rheumatism

This is often a disease of the blood

They struck and pulled and gouged and tugged about the hardwood floor thil from abeer exhaustion they could hit and kick no more.

records had their ends.

could not tell which voice said things

"I view with great alarm!"

"Men of field and farm;"

about our patriot graves.

be a race of slaves.

There came forensic arguments which in

well, right glad that he had spent 162% His money for a phonograph whose stri-

inner truth about the things that

while Jones had words from Taft-

Green bought one as well;

tell with might and main

make up this campaign.

he dined in rare content;

fully phonographed.

dent, forceful tones

neighbor Jones.

set the door alar.

lit his fat cigar.

opposed duet

the hallway met.

Bryan's mellow tones;

from the flat of Jones.

sessed by their machines.

hustling dealers sell-

87% Each occupies contentedly a pretty eight-

Which in itself would not be of the

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import at all.

room flat,

Green a Democrat;

either side the hall-

residence in half.

paign phonograph.

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