Financial and Commercial

COTTON MARKET.

New York, Jan. 20 -- The cotton market recovered most of its recent loss during the day's trading with the close very steady at a net advance of 10 to 15 points. Sales were estimated at 250,600 bales.

The market opened steady at unchanged prices to an advance of 2 points in response to encouraging cables, and off. while prices eased off to a net loss of about 3 to 4 points right after the opening, under a renewal of liquidation and local bear pressure big buying orders prices soon advanced sharply. There was more aggressive support from some of the large spot houses, people who had sold out long cotton last week appeared be re-buying and early sellers turned

Trading was less active after an advance of 9 to 10 points, but the under-Gally worked up to a net gain of 13 to 17 points. March sold at 274 or within points of Saturday's high record, and the close was within a point or two of the top. A smaller estimate for to-morrow's receipts at Houston, reports of nent 190, steady interior holders and talk of a bet-1 iscaton, ter spot demand in the South were factors on the advance which in itself inspired confidence among local buils. Eu-

rope and the South were buyers ere.

A despatch from Washington said there was no basis for rumors that the census bureau would issue a correction refucing the figures on ginning to January 6th. Southern spot markets reported early were 1-16 lower to 1-16 higher.

Receipts at the ports to day 84.252, against 50,401 last week and 84.712 last year. For the week 240,000 hales, against 244,188 last week and 220,071 last year. To-day's receipts at New Orleans 15.350 bales, against 10,968 last year, and at Houston 26,203 bales, against 13,630 last

STOCK MARKET. New York, Jan, 26.-The special influ-

enges which governed the wide movements in a handful of stocks to-day were conflicting in their sympathetic effect on the general list, or more properly, had neutralizing effect which aggravated the duliness of the trading. Dealings were at the point of stagnation between the occasional spurts of moderate activ-The most influential movement in its general effect was that in Consolidated Gas. The stock dropped precipis tately over 9 points to a lower level than was touched in the slump following the decision of the Supreme Court against the company. The unsettling effect of so considerable a decline was manifest in the general list and prices declined quite comprehensively. The desire to await the appearance of the quarterly report of the United States Steel Corporation was a factor in the later duliness. It was known that this report would not appear until after the close of the stock market and the fear that it might contain some unpleasant surprises made operaters wary about extending their commitments. Chesapeake & Ohio passed into the hands of the interests which but lately marketed successfully the control of the Colorado & Southern and as the negotiation was made with the banking house which had taken over the Pennsylvanie holdings of this stock it was inferred that the Southern trunk line sitnation would not be disturbed by the new while assumptions of more liberal policy in the distribution of profits also helped the advance in the stock.

Wabash by the Delaware, Lackawanna firm. & Western sprang into new life and was ective in lifting the preferred stock and the refunding bends of the Wabash to a higher level.

The feeling of dissatisfaction over the rate of business recovery was volced by the chairman of the St. Louis & San 2 @ 2814. Cheese firm, unchanged. Eggs Francisca executive committee with some effect on speculative sentiment.

Money continued to work easier in this Bonds were irregular. Total sales par.

value \$8,043,000. U. S. bonds were unchanged on call. Total sales to-day 540,400 shares, including: Sugar 400; C. & O. 65,200; Consolidated Gas 45,000; L. & N. 400; N. & W. 3,-400: Sloss 100; Bouthern Railway 800, preferred 800; Tennessee 3,600; Union Pacific 28.200; United States Steel 43,700; Virginia

Carolina Chemical 2,300. Bubbard Bros. & Co.'s Cutton Letter.

Special to The Observer, New York, Jan. M.-A quick recovery of the decline of yesterday was caused by better advices from Liverpool than an-ticipated at the opening, and then by an aptive local demand for October, which bales, including \$6,500 American.

Futures opened barely steady and closset at the best prices. Early in the day a rumor was in circulation that the government would change the ginning fig-ured by reducing them to those of the National Ginners' Association. This report was denied by the census bureau first hefore the close. The local feeling continues to be builish on the absorption of the outside Equidation of the near poftiens without a decline. An increase in the movement was disregarded because of the belief that spinners would be buyers at the advance and that the receipts

Naval Stores.
Savannah, Ga., Jun. B.-Turpentina

Rosin firm; sales 2,575; receipts 2,176; shipments 1,965; stock 188,713. Quote B 3,19;

steady, 604; receipts 7. Rosin steady, Closing: Prime mercantile paper 34 to 2.53; receipts 67. Tar firm, 1.60; receipts 1 per cent; sterling exchange stoody with 178; cruds turpentine firm 2, 2 and 3; re-

Cotton Seed Oil.

New Tork, Jan. 28.—Cotton seed oil was weak early under liquidation but steadied somewhat near the close on support from refloers. Prime crude 24 @ 36; prime summer yellow 43 @ 436; prime white 46 @ 10; prime winter yellow 47% @ 50; off summer yellow 40% @ 404; good off summer yellow 40% @ 40%; good off summer yellow 40% @ 4

New York, Jan. 26.—Galveston, firm; middling 9%; net receipts gross receipts 20,650; sales 672; stock 164,-710; coastwise 1,656.

New Orleans, tone quiet but firm; middling %; net receipts 15,850; gross re-ceipts 15,557; sales 1,100; stock 314,336; Gt. Britain 1,000; continent 4,623; coastwise 1,-

Mobile, tone firm; middling 9%; net recelute 4:402; gross receipts 4:402; sales 1 --250; stock 68,863; coastwise 1,560. Savannah, tone dull; middling 9 9-16; net receipts 7,197; gross receipts 7,197; sales \$25; stock 258,419; constwine 2,438. Charleston, tone firm; middling 9 5-18; net receipts 391; gross receipts 391; stock

2i,874; con curse 1,187, Wilmington, tone quiet; midding 9 \$-16; net receipts 2,566; gross receipts 2,546; stock 15.803

Norfolk, tone steady; middling 9%; net racelpts 3,50; gross receipts 3,750; sales 552; stock 41,120; constwise 3,470. Baltimore, tone numbers; middling 7%; gross receipts 509; stock 50.340.

New York, tone quiet, middling 10.09 gross receipts 1,377; stock 170,660; conti-

iscaton, tone quiet; middling 10.00; gross receipts 947; Gr. British 350.

Philadelphia, tone quiet; middling 10.25; net receipts 173; gross receipts \$23; stock

Port Arthur and Sabine Pass, net receipts 41,186; gross receipts 11,186; Gt. Britain 11,188. San Francisco, net receipts 3,292; gross

receipts 5.202; Japan 3,202. Georgetown, nex receipts 25; gross re-cipts 25; coastwise 25, Brunswick, net receipts 5,200; gross re-celpts 5,200; stock 30; continent 5,512. Total to-day at all ports, net 84,252; Gt. Britain 12,536; continent 10,235; Japan 3,232;

stock 987,977. Consolidated at all ports, net 154,863; Gt. Britain 26,482; France 10,296; continent ptal since September 1st at all ports,

ne 7,272,788; Gt. Britain 2,397,525; France 732,587; continent 2,259,962; Japan 104,111; Mexico 5,300. INTERIOR MOVEMENT. Houston, tone steady; middling 9 13-16; net receipts 26,203; gross receipts 26,203;

shipments 23,263; sales 540; stock 146,873. Augusta, tone firm; middling 9 11-16; net receipts 566; gross receipts 566; shipments 110; sales 200; rtock 98,408. Memphis, tone steady; middling 94; net

receipts 1.853; gross receipts 2,429; shipments 2,783; sales 3,750; stock 174,748. St. Louis, tone stendy; middling 9%; net eccipts 391; gross réceipts 2,097; shipments 1,855; sales 30; stock 41,533. Cincinnati, net receipts 420; gross re ceipts 490; shipments 839; stock 17,809. Louisville, tone firm; middling 94. Little Rock, tone steady; middling net receipts 2,264; gross receipts 2,264 hipments 875; stock 50,689.

Total to-day, net receipts 31,697; gross receipts 33,679; shipments 29,715; sales 4,-820; stock 529,855.

New York Produce.

New York, Jan. 26.—Flour quiet, but steady. Rye flour steady. Buckwheat flour quiet. Buckwheat quiet. Corn meal Byo dulf. Barley quiet. Wheat easy. No. 2 red 1.07 @ 1.081/2 elevater. Options % to % net loss; May

1.10; July 1.94 @ 1.94%. Corn steady. No. 2, 70, elevator. Options % cent net higher; May 69%; July 69%; September 634. Onts quiet. Mixed 54 () 54%. Beef steady

Cut meats steady. Lard, easy. Pork steady. Tallow steady. Rosin steady. The rumor of the coming control of the | Turpentine steady. Rice firm. Molasses Stigar, raw easy; fair refining 3.20.

Coffee steady. Rio No. 7, 7% @ 7%; Santos No. 4, 8%; mild steady; Cordova 94, @ 12%. Futures closed steady; not unchang ed to 10 points higher.
Butter steady, creamery, third to first.

unsettled; State, Penneylvania and nearby selected white, 33 @ 34; do fair to choice 30 @ 2; brown and mixed fancy 31 ask; do fair to choice 29,@ 31. Potatoes firm. Bermuda per barrel 3.50

5; Maine in bulk, per 180 pounds 2.50 @ 2.75; State and Western 2.87 @ 2.62; Long Island per barrel 2.75 @ 3; Jersey 2 @ 1.25 European per bag, 2 @ 2.25. Cabbages steady, unchanged. Freights and peanuts unchanged.

Liverpool Cotton.

Liverpool, Jan. 25.—Closing cotton: Spot quiet, prices 7 points lower; American middling fair 5.83; good middling 5.47; middling 5.27; low middling 5.27; good ordinary 4.60; ordinary 4.20. The sales of the day were 10,600 bales, of which 300 were for speculation and export and in-cluded 9,400 American. Receipts 67,000

	ed steady.	
		Close.
1	January	5.18
1	January-Pebruary	5.1734
1	February-March	5.16
1	March-April	6.1616
J	April-May	5.1414
d	May-June	B.14
1	June-July	B.14
1	July-August	8.13
1	August-September	5.05
1	September-October	4.99*
1	October-November	
1	December-January	
ł	January-February	

Chicago, Jan. 28.—Cattle: Receipts esti-mated at 2,500; market steady, steers 4.90 @ 7.15; cows 3 to 5.50; heifers 5 to 5.75; buils 8.50 to 3.90; catves 2.30 to 9.50; stock-Futures opened steady at an advance of Futures opened steady at an advance of Hogs: Receipts estimated at 22,600; market weak. Choice heavy shipping 6.50 to 6.55; light mixed to 6.55; butchers 6.55 to 6.30; pigs 4.75 to 5.60; butchers 6.55 to 6.20; pigs 4.75 to 5.60; buik of sales 8 to 6.40.

Sheep: Receipts estimated 14,000; market steady. Sheep 4.25 to 5.60; lambs 5.25 to 5.60; yearlings 5 to 6.55.

Naval Stores.

Turnentine

Futures opened steady at an advance of 2 points on favorable cables. Talk of a reaction was strong in the early hours and professional traders went short in expectation of a temporary decline but offerings were well absorbed by strong spot interests with the result that prices gradually rose until near the closing, when they stood at a net advance of 1 to 20 points. The closing was steady at the highest level of the day.

Closing bids: firm. 42, sales 188; receipts 412; shipments January July he selve as reco need tone

Charleston, S. C., Jan. II.—Turpentine
Quiet at 41 cents. Rosin quiet, Quote: A
B. C 3.68; D 3.10; E 3.12%; F 3.17% to 3.20;
G 3.15 to 2.25; I 4.10; K 5.05; M 6.70; N
6.10; W G 6.15; W W 6.40.

Wilmington, Jan. 28.—Spirits turpentine

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Control of the Money Market,

New York, Jan. 26.—Money on call easy
1% G 1% per cent., ruling rate 1%; clossing bid 1%; offered at 1%.

Time loans fairly soft and fairly active;
60-day 2 to 1% per cent.; 80-day 2% to 3%

Wilmington, Jan. 28.—Spirits turpentine

Control of the Money Market,

New York, Jan. 26.—Money on call easy
1% G 1% per cent., ruling rate 1%; clossing the control of t New Orlsans, Let., Jan. 28.—Receipts: 72
barreis rosin; no turpentine. Exports for New York 63 barreis rosin; for Laverscot (62)

New York Cattle.
New York Jan. 26.—Heeves: Receipts
1.63. Refrigerator beef 10% to 13%.
Calves: Receipts 565; veals 6 to 10; cults

1-Cyclone Dryer (3,000). 1-42" Hydro Extractor, engine driven. 1-19 can (23"x40") Dryer, with mangle.

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Charlotto Cotton.
These figures represent prices paid to wagons January 26th: Good middling. 9% Strict middling... 91/2 Middling 9% Charlotte Grain. (Corrected daily by Cochrane-McLaugh-lin Co.) Rye..... \$ 1.86 Cotton Seed...

Churlotte Produce. (Corrected by R. H. Field & Co.) Ducks... ... Eggs... Geese-per head... Hens-per head... Turkeys-per pound 12 Z14

Chicago Grain and Provisions. Chicago, Jan. 26 - Absence of expost de-mand for American wheat and increasing eccipts at primary points in this country induced liberal profit taking in the wheat market here to-day, resulting in final osses of % to %. Corn closed firm; oats steady and provisions weak.

WHEAT	High.	Low.	Clove
May.,	10734	100	18644
July	9734	96%	96%
September	8416	98%	1314
May	6216	62	6214
July	62%	6314	6236
OATS-	62%	62%	62%
May	5246	5174	51%
July,	46%	4614	4654
September	2316	3914	
January	16.90	16.90	16/90
May.,	17.13	14.95	16.97
January	9.55	9.52	9.52
May	8.72	8.65	9.67
January	8.72	8.70	8.70
May.,	8.93	8.82	
New York			
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New York, Jan. 26.—Cotton: Spot clos-ed quiet, 10 points higher; middling uplands 10.00; middling gulf 10.25; no sales Futures opened steady and closed very

	Open.	High.	Low.	Clos
Jan	(** *	9.66	9.63	
Peb	9.59	9.74	9.54	9,
May	9.55 9.57	9.68	9.50	9.
July	9.81 9.38	9.63 9.50	9.46 9.38	9.
Sept	9.31	9.43	9.26	
Nov 9.	9.27	9.37	9.23	9.

Dry Joods Market.
New York, Jan. 28.—Dry goods—Jobbers are doing a steady and reasonable trade in piece goods of all kinds. Dress goods, sliks and wash goods are specially active. The primary cotton goods market holds very steady. Export trade is fair but not large owing to the observance of Chinese holidays. Linings are advancing, satina being half a cent a yard higher. Common yarns are in moderate demand.

Baltimore Produce. Baltimore, Jan. 25.—Wheat dull, spot contract 1.07% @ 1.07%; Southern on grade 1.04 @ 1.07. Corn firm, spot con-tract 66% @ 66%; Southern yellow corn 64 @ 65. Outs easier, No. 1 mixed 54; rve. dull; No. 2 Western export 82 @ 83%.

NEW YORK BONDS.	
U. S. refunding 2s, registered 10% U. S. refunding 2s, coupon 102% U. S. 2s, registered 10% U. S. 2s, coupon 10% U. S. 2s, coupon 10% U. S. 4s, registered 119% American Tobacco 4s 77% American Tobacco 4s 10% Atchison adjustment 4s 10% Atchison adjustment 4s 10% Atchison cv. 4s 10% Atchison cv. 5s 107% Attantic Coast Line 4s 10% Baltimore & Chio 86 Baltimore & Chio 86 Baltimore & Chio 86 Central of Georgia 2d inc. 55% Central of Georgia 2d inc. 55% Chicago R. I. & Pacific R. R. 4s 77 Chicago, R. I. & Pacific R. R. 4s 77 Chicago R. I. & Pacific R. R. 4s 77 Chicago R. I. & Pacific R. R. 4s 77 Chicago R. I. & Pacific R. R. 4s 77 Chicago R. I. & Pacific R. R. 4s 77 Chicago R. I. & Pacific R. R. 4s 77 Chicago R. I. & Pacific R. R. 4s 77 Chicago R. I. & Pacific R. R. 4s 77 Chicago R. I. & Pacific R. R. 4s 77 Chicago R. I. & Pacific R. R. 4s 77 Chicago R. I. & Pacific R. R. 4s 77 Chicago R. I. & Pacific R. R. 4s 77 Chicago R. I. & Pacific R. R. 4s 77 Chicago R. I. & Pacific R. R. 4s 77 Chicago R. I. & Pacific R. R. 4s 77 Chicago R. I. & Pacific R. R. 4s 77 Chicago R. I. & Pacific R. R. 4s 77 Chicago R. I. & Pacific R. R. 4s 77 Chicago R. I. & Pacific R. R. 4s 77 Chicago R. I. & Pa	
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Union Pacific 4s
Union Pacific ev. 4s
U.S. Steel 2d 5s
Weshash luts Wheeling & Lake Erie 6s

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A.	
	Amaigamated Copper 78%
6	American Car & Foundry 654
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٤	American Cotton Oil 5234
ī	American Hide & Leather pfd di
6	American Ice Securities 21%
	American Linseed 14%
, ,	American Locomotive 50%
á	American Locomotive pfd 114
'n.	American Smelting & Refining 85%
6	American Smelting & Refng pfd 102
	American Sugar Refining 1224
D-	American Tobacco, pfd 92
7	American Tobacco, pfd 92 American Woolen 28
٠.	Araconda Mining Co 46%
	Atchison 100
i	Atchieon pfd 101%
4	Atlantic Coast Line 108
	Baltimore & Ohio 112
>	Baltimore & Ohio pfd 83
1	Brooklyn Rapid Transit 70%
	Canadian Pacific 172%
-1	Central Leather Bit
ы	Central Leather, pfd 101%
	Central of New Jersey 232-238
١.	Chesapeake & Obio 67%
1	Chicago Great Western 6%
1	Chicago & Northwestern 1774
-	Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul 149%
d	C., C., C. & St. Louis 71
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LEADING PENN'S CHEERS.

Organized Enthusiasm Has Existed at the University For Fifteen Years.

New York Bun. Mest persons have the idea that the cheer leader, with his corps of assistants, is comparatively a new thing in college sports, but it appears from what an old Pennsyl-vanian has to say that the habit of having a leader for set oheering dates back 15 years. This is probably the oldest established college system.

Long before that cheering used to a matter of class rivalry, and in 1886 an editorial in The Pennsylvanis an editorial in The Fennsylvan-ian says enseringly :"It was noticed that at least one of the classes who yelled so loud and long Monday mora-in gafter our great victory over Wasyan had not a man on the team who nud scored."

It was in 1894 that Pennsylvania be-

ran the organized cheering stunt. Wagonhurst, a crew man, was apnointed cheer leader, with severa ithletes and enthusiasts as assistants One of the assistants. Horance Beck, took charge in 1895 and for three years led the yellers. He is reputed to have put more spirit and fire into the cheers than almost any man since.

sway until 1899. E. B. Rich and John S, Barnes were leaders in 1900 and 1901 and then came the greatest of Penn's cheer leaders, as he is called, Frank B. Tupper. He led cheers from 1902 until 1905, and it is a certainty that his gyrations and contortions stirred up great enthusiasm. Tupper's picture appeared in the newspapers during his incumbency quite as frequently as that of any

John Brown, a crew man; Jones, a track athlete, and Morton Gibbons-Neff have held the place in turn since. It is a great honor at Pennsylvania and is eagerly sought. SHOULD STAND PAT.

Greensboro Record Comments Electrical War Now in Progress in the City-The Best Policy. The Greensboro Record.

It is none of our business, but we anot resist the temptation to say Charlotte Electric Railway, tht & Power Co. is adopting the ong course in dealing with the cut that temple. local field. Mr. E. D. Latta, we lieve, is the owner of the home mpany. In our opinion he should ake the fight just like the Southern ck Mutual made its defense when Southeastern Tariff Association de war on it by cutting rates. The me company stood pat and demonated that the only object was to n it out, after which the Tariff Asiation would put on the screws, npelling the people to pay more Whether this was true not made no difference; the public epted it as a fact and stood by s Stock Mutual. The fight was ag and somewhat bitter, but if won

Mr. Latta, we presume, has been ing the people satisfaction, in ich case they will stand by him the matter is put before them in right light. Of course, we are familiar with the conditions in Charlotte, but if the people are expecting a cut rate to last they will get fooled, for the cut was probably made to induce Mr. Latta to sell out, expecting to force him, and if the plan succeeds, right then the public will have to pay higher rates.

SOLDIERS MORE CONTENTED. Improved Conditions Among the Enlisted Men in the Army. Army and Navy Life.

There is a growing feeling of conteniment and satisfaction among the enlisted men of the service. Within the past few weeks many old soldiers who had taken their discharge from of service have re-enlisted, while the tenant houses and approximately 27 discharges by purchase have very ma- acres of land unimproved. terially decreased, having of late been in addition to the foregoing there confined almost exclusively to men will be sold, in conjunction there-

of their first enlistment.

The improved conditions of the service and its increased attractive-ness are illustrated as far as the army is concerned in the case of an old soldier who was drawing a pension in the City of Washington, and who was employed on the local police force, his aggregate pension being about \$60 a month. This man has re-enlisted.

He had served about twenty-three

In connection with the celebration of the Pos centenary and the apparently irrepressible chatter which some who have escaped the Fool Killer persist in raising about that writer's al-

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that Poe is not and has never been excluded from the Hall of Fame, and that not a single vote has been cast against the inclusion of his name in that national memorial. The only that national memorial. that national memorial. The only reason why his name has not been placed there is that a majority of the most competent and judicious living authorities have thus far failed to select him for that honor. Probably at the next election he will receive a majority of votes. If so, the custo-dians and trustees of the Hall of Fame will doubtless welcome his name to a place upon the walls of

SALE OF THE PROPERTY OF THE SOUTHERN COTTON MILLS

At Bessemer City, N. C., Wednesday, January 27th, 1909. By virtue of a decree of the United States Circuit Court for the western district of North Carolina, entered at Greensboro, N. C., on the 21st day of December, 1908, in a certain suit in equity entitled Cone Export and Commission Company, et als, ve Southern Cotton Mills. defendant, will, on Wednesday, the 17th day will, on Wednesday, the 17th day of January, 1909, at the hour of noen, in front of the main mill building in Bessemer City, N. C., offer for sale at public auction to the last and highest bidder for cash all the property, assets and effects, choses in action, etc., of the Southern Cotton Mills, consisting of its real estate, manufacturing establishment, including all machinery, etc.; its bills and accounts receivable, in investand accounts receivable, its invest ments in other corporations, its fran chises, and all of its other property of every kind and character except manufactured goods and cotton

The property consists of a substantially built brick spinning mill, two stories, containing 15,216 spindles, and immediately adjoining is a substantially built one-story brick building, contains 401 40-inch looms, with all necessary intermediate and subsidiary machinery. This mill is equipped so that it can make yarn for market on section bears of the contains and the contains the con for market on section beams or in the chain, as it contains a full set of both Denn and Beam warpers. is equipped for both sheetings and colored goods, and it has a well-equipped dye house, and beaming

room and slashers. In addition to the mill there are 55 terially decreased, having of late been in addition to the foregoing there confined almost exclusively to men serving in the first and second year with bills, notes and accounts receivable aggregating something more

re-enlisted.

He had served about twenty-three years, and two enlistments with all followance of double time service to the state of the service to the serv retirement as a sergeant or retirement as a sergeant or first sergeage within a comparatively

first sergeant within a comparatively short time on retired pay, with commutation allowances, of about \$54 a month.

Poe Not Excluded.

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New York Tribune.

In connection with the celebration of the Poe centenary and the apparameters are sergeant or dividend value in paying for this property. This property is in first-class condition, and is splendidly lecated in one of the best cotton growing sections of the South. Help is efficient and plentiful. The title to the property is perfect, and the purchaser will have quiet possession without an moyance or litigation from any source.

of the Poe centenary and the apparently irrepressible chatter which some who have escaped the Fool Killer persist in raising about that writer's alleged "exclusion" from the Hall of Fame, it may be pertinent to remark

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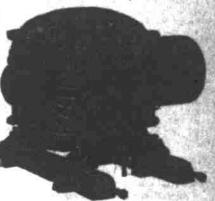
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