

THE MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH

Yesterday's Quotations on the New York Exchanges Chicago Grain Market

SOME DECLINES AND SOME GAINS

Highest, Lowest and Closing Prices For Active Stocks Cotton Market Point.

By private wire to Murphy & Co., stock brokers, 11 Church street.

New York, April 17.—This morning's stock market opened with a highly novel tendency declines appearing in various quarters many of which were extensive and predominating, but on the other hand a number of stocks advanced rapidly in face of the tendency of the remainder of the list.

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deal of rain in Texas. Private despatches from Paris, Texas, were received last night.

COTTON. New York spot 9 5-16. Table with columns: High, Low, Close. Lists months from January to December.

Chicago, April 17.—WHEAT—The market was fairly active and steady, opening firm and selling up with fair demand encouraged by the cold wave in the Northwest and the lower temperature west of the Mississippi river.

CORN—The market was quiet and fairly active making new high records during the morning here and at the west. The weather conditions were unfavorable again, and the government bulletin says slow progress has been made with farm work and poor stands are reported where corn has been planted.

PROVISIONS—The trade was moderately active, the market advancing easily during the morning with good receipts of live hogs at western points.

CHICAGO. Table with columns: High, Low, Close. Lists Wheat, Corn, Oats, Hops, Lard, Pork.

LIVERPOOL COTTON. By private wire to Murphy & Co.

Table with columns: High, Low, Close. Lists months from March to November.

MILLIONS GIVEN AWAY. It is certainly gratifying to the public to know of one concern which is not afraid to be generous.

HOLLS UP A CONGRESSMAN. "At the end of the last campaign," writes Clump Clark, Missouri's brilliant congressman.

A LIFE AND DEATH FIGHT. Mr. W. A. Hines of Manchester, Ia., writing of his almost miraculous escape from death, says: "Exposure from measles induced serious lung trouble, which ended in consumption."

Blush on the face is better than a blot on the heart. The undertaker covers up the blunders of the physician. A man never appreciates ashes until he slips on an icy pavement. Babies are angels whose wings grow shorter as their legs grow longer.

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GLIMPESES OF LIFE IN THE OLD NORTH STATE

Clothing Items That Show the Trend of Industrial and Social Progress.

EVENTS OF INTEREST IN THE LAND OF THE SKY

Gleanings From the Columns of the Local Papers in Various Towns of State.

Dr. L. B. Turnbull, pastor of the First Presbyterian church of Durham, has resigned.

Most of the cotton mills throughout the country have reduced their output and are running on short time, while some have shut down.

A meeting of the board of trade was held at the court house Wednesday afternoon to consider a proposition to build a woolen mill.

The new "Machinery act" as passed by the late General Assembly is a matter of taxation that has been in dispute before both the county and city for several years.

THIS WILL INTEREST MANY. To quickly introduce the famous blood purifier B. B. B. (Botanic Blood Balm) into new homes, we will give away 10,000 treatments.

A HORRIBLE CUTBREAK. Of large sores on my little daughter's head developed into a case of "scald head," writes C. D. Webb of Morgan, Tenn.

NOTICE. BUNCOMBE COUNTY BOND SALE. Fifty Thousand Dollars of Buncombe County Bonds are offered for sale.

ROOMS FOR RENT.—Two large connecting rooms, very desirable for house-keeping. Apply 277 Haywood street.

WANTED—FURS, FURS, FURS.—Opportunity, Mink, Raccoon, Fox, Mustel, Otter, etc. Highest cash price paid.

ROOMS AND BOARD.—Private Board—At No. 5 Starnes Avenue—Large, bright rooms.

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THE ROCK LEDGE. No. 62 Haywood Street, modern house; central location, on car line; elevator 2660 feet; fine views, sunny rooms, warm halls, open fires, electric lights.

THE INDIAN AND THE NORTH WEST. A handsomely illustrated book just issued, bound in cloth and containing 11 pages of interesting historical data.

Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. Digests what you eat. This preparation contains all of the digestants and digests all kinds of food. It gives instant relief and never fails to cure.

SPRING AND SUMMER RESORT HOTELS.

Hot Springs, North Carolina. THE MEDICINAL VIRTUES OF THE WATERS ARE UNEXCELLED.

Mountain Park Hotel and Baths, The Healthiest Place in America. Capacity 300; every known appointment; electric hot steam heat, extensive sun parlors; mirror bath for the exclusive use of guests.

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VALMONT. A pleasant home in the mountains, one and one-half miles from Hendersonville, N. C. Beautifully situated. Large roomy farmhouse, pure water, home dairy, excellent cuisine.

THE WHEELER, HENDERSONVILLE, N. C. A First Class Hotel with all Modern Conveniences. The Dryest and Best Climate in North Carolina. NO FOGS—Beautiful drives and other amusements.

The Gudger House, MARSHALL, N. C. W. C. SPRINKLE, Proprietor. Remodeled, refurbished and just opened.

CHEAP RATES TO CALIFORNIA. Parties desiring to make a trip to California, Arizona or New Mexico, either for business or pleasure, can do so now at almost half price.

NOTICE. North Carolina, Buncombe County; In Superior Court. Before the Clerk. G. L. Lacey, et al.

NOTICE. The above named defendant will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the superior court of Buncombe county before the Clerk to make partition among the heirs at law of John Embler deceased.

One Minute Cough Cure, cures... GOOD NEWS comes from those who take Hood's Sarsaparilla for scrofula, dyspepsia and rheumatism. Reports agree that HOOD'S CURES.