

THE MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH

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

FOREIGN HOUSES BUY HEAVILY

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 30.—The stock market opened displaying the same general characteristics which marked yesterday's dealings; that is to say the trading was in enormous volume and resulted in few common and extensive advances. It was evident, however, right at the opening that profit-taking sales were being conducted so tremendous volume and on this account many stocks sold off sharply after the initial dealings. The most extensive advances at the opening were scored in Atchafalaya, St. Paul, Rock Island, O. & W. and Union Pacific. Northern Pacific was decidedly reactionary, reflecting the tendency of that stock in the London market. Apart from Northern Pacific however, American stocks were shown at substantial gains in the London and foreign houses again bought heavily here upon the opening of business. Outside of the railway list the chief features of the market were the United States steel stocks, which sold at the highest prices they have yet attained and in which transactions of almost unprecedented volume were conducted. The Anthracite coal stocks were noticeably strong this morning with very heavy transactions in the Erie and Reading issues. Very little was done in the industrial quarter except for the heavy transactions in the United States Steel. Among the specialties Amalgamated Copper was strong and Western Union showed some disposition toward recovery. Other notable features of the railway list than those mentioned were Texas Pacific, the Southern Railway shares and L. & N.

Table with columns for stock names and prices (High, Low, Close). Includes items like Am. Copper, Am. Smelt, C. S., Am. Sug Ref, etc.

COTTON. New York, April 30.—Cotton was sold very freely at the opening of the market, caused largely by the indicated heavy receipts at the ports and prices went off in consequence 2 to 8 points on liquidation by tired longs. Long-headed operators were taking a hopeful view of the situation and believed we were rapidly reaching the turning point of downward movement. Reports from dry goods quarters were most encouraging and shorts in cotton have been covering on the belief that the market has reached bottom, while the small surplus that closed the season should lead to an active bull campaign. Weather conditions in the cotton belt today were most satisfactory as to moisture and temperature. May sold up to 7.97, declined to 7.93 and reacted to 7.95.

Washington, April 30.—The unfavorable effects of frosts of the previous week appear to have been more serious to cotton in the central districts of the cotton belt than was indicated in the preceding bulletin, much of the crop there was up prior to the 18th in Louisiana, Mississippi and Alabama was killed necessitating extensive replanting. The bulk of the Texas crop is now sown and planting is progressing rapidly.

Table with columns for grain prices (New York Spot, May, June, July, August, Sept, Oct, Nov, Dec).

GRAIN. New York, April 30.—Wheat was weak and lower this morning, selling down easily in the early dealings with considerable pressure on the market owing to the decided weakness of cables both English and Continental and the free selling for foreign account. The decline was influenced in part by the fine weather at the west for the growing crop. The weather conditions, however, have been excellent for several days and rapid progress is being made with

spring work, seeding being pushed forward rapidly in the northwest, with the development of winter wheat conditions generally favorable, although fear is expressed of damage in the southwest. Prices broke about 1 cent, trade becoming quiet at the decline. Wheat was strong in the afternoon, closing firm.

CORN.—There was a moderately active business. The market showed some steadiness and receipts were liberal, but there was pressure on July corn owing to the favorable weather conditions. Trade continued fairly active during the morning. Foreign markets were weak and lower, declining quite easily. Corn was active late and very firm. PROVISIONS.—Provisions were a little lower at the opening, again on the continued movement of five hogs, steadying later. Closed steady.

Table with columns for Chicago High, Low, Close. Includes items like Wheat, Corn, Oats, Hogs, Lard, Pork.

LIVERPOOL COTTON. By private wire to Murphy & Co. The following were the ruling quotations in the exchange today:

Table with columns for Liverpool Cotton (Tone, Sales, Opng, Close) for various months from March-April to Dec-Jan.

FOUGHT FOR HIS LIFE. My father and sister both died of Consumption," writes J. T. Weatherwax, of Wyandotte, Mich. "and I was saved from the same frightful fate only by Dr. King's New Discovery. An attack of pneumonia left an obstinate cough and very severe lung trouble, which an excellent doctor could not help, but a few months' use of this wonderful medicine made me as well as ever and I gained much in weight." Infallible for Coughs, Colds and all Throat and Lung trouble. Guaranteed bottles 50c and \$1.00 at all druggists.

If you would sleep soundly take a clear conscience to bed with you.

HE IS A WONDER. All who see Mr. C. F. Collier, of Cherokee, Iowa, as he is now, cheerful, erect, vigorous, without an ache, could hardly believe he is the same man who, a short time ago, had to sit in a chair, propped up by cushions, suffering intensely from a aching back, in agony he tried to stoop—all caused by chronic kidney trouble, that no medicine helped till he used Electric Bitters and was wholly cured by three bottles. Positively cures Backache, Nervousness, Loss of Appetite, all Kidney troubles. Only 50c at all drug stores.

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A LIFE AND DEATH FIGHT. Mr. W. A. Hines of Manchester, Ia., writing of his almost miraculous escape from death, says: "Exposure from measles indeed serious lung trouble, which ended in consumption, I had frequent hemorrhages and coughed night and day. All my doctors said I must soon die. Then I began to use Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, which completely cured me. I would not be without it even if it cost \$5.00 a bottle. Hundreds have used it on my recommendation and all say it never fails to cure Throat, Chest and Lung troubles." Regular size 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at all drug stores.

When the winds of adversity strike a rich man, they generally fill his friends' eyes with dust so that they recognize him no more.

"Good Night."

How few women know what it is to have a good night; a night of sound, restful sleep. They smile and say "good night" in cheery tones, but when the chamber door closes behind them, the smiling mask drops off, and shows the lines of suffering.

Other women have had the bad nights changed to good by the use of Doctor Pierce's Favorite Prescription. So many cure it perfectly cures diseases of the delicate womanly organs. It builds up the nervous system, puts flesh on the body and color on the cheek.



"Favorite Prescription" writes Mrs. C. M. Anderson, of Rockledge, Batha, Rockledge, Co., Va. "I had a God-send to weak and sickly nerves and commenced taking the 'Favorite Prescription' and one of my 'fellows' I can now work as well as I could before I was taken sick. I think Dr. Pierce's medicines the best in the world for sick and nervous women."

GLIMPSES 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.

There was a slight frost last night but not sufficient to injure any growing crops or fruit. No serious damage was done by the frost of last week and it is predicted that the largest fruit crop for many years in Rowan will be produced this year.—Salisbury Sun.

There is every indication that Rowan will produce an unusually large quantity of wheat this year. The reports from various sections of the county on the cereals are excellent. Mr. James Trexler has eleven acres near Salisbury which he thinks will yield 25 bushels per acre.—Salisbury Sun.

An undivided one half interest in the old "Washington House" will be sold at auction next Monday. It is said that from the steps of this house George Washington made a speech when passing through Salisbury. This is a very valuable property and several parties who intend putting a handsome building on it, will bid on the lot.—Salisbury Sun.

The Commissioner of Agriculture is quoted as saying that the sales of fertilizer tags up to this season are about 22 per cent. greater than they were to the same period last year. At one time, about three weeks ago, they were 30 per cent. greater.

The hearing of the case of the American Talc Co. vs. the U. S. Mineral Co., which was begun at Hayesville before Judge Shaw, has been concluded at Murphy. It was an application by the plaintiff for an injunction to prevent the defendant from working what is known as the Hillier Talc mine, in this county. His Honor declined the motion for an injunction and required the defendant to give bond to secure the rents and profits to whomsoever may be ultimately decreed to be the lawful owner.

Monday afternoon Mr. J. J. Evans displayed wonderful nerve. He went out to his farm a few miles from town after a load of wood and some corn. He put the corn in a bag and placed it on top of the load of wood and made his seat on the bag. Soon after starting back to town his horse stepped in a hole and tumbled, which threw him headlong off his high seat on top of the load. In the fall his left arm was broken just above the wrist. When he got up off the ground his hand was lying back against his arm. He pulled the hand back in its proper position, got back on the cart, drove by his brother's and got a towel to make a sling to rest his arm in, drove his horse on to town and went to the doctor to have his arm put in splints. After the doctor was through with him he got his supper and came on to the Reflector office to spend the evening as is his usual custom. And he was not heard to complain at all.—Greenville Reflector.

Six negro prisoners confined in Guilford county jail made a daring and successful dash for liberty about 10 o'clock Monday morning, and if it had not been for the alarm given by Mr. Rees' son, who was in the jail yard and saw them going out of the gate, it is probable that all of the prisoners on the first floor would have escaped. The outside and two inner doors had been left open to allow a servant to sweep. This left only one door, the one at the end of the corridor—fastened and Robert Ford, a young negro boy, reached his arm through the bars to the knob, unlocked it and opened the door. Deputies Jones and Weatherly arrested one of the men about 11:30 near Benbow's mill. He has been indisposed for a few days and was unable to go the gate the others did.

BEWARE OF A COUGH. A cough is not a disease but a symptom. Consumption and bronchitis, which are the most dangerous and fatal diseases, have for their first indication a persistent cough, and if properly treated as soon as this cough appears are easily cured. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has proven wonderfully successful, and gained its wide reputation and extensive sale by its success in curing the diseases which cause coughing. If it is not beneficial it will not cost you a cent. For sale by C. A. Rayson, druggist.

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"It is with a good deal of pleasure and satisfaction that I recommend Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy," says Druggist A. W. Sawtelle, of Hartford, Conn. "A lady customer, seeing the remedy exposed for sale on my show case, said to me: 'I really believe that medicine saved my life the past summer, while at the shore,' and she became so enthusiastic over its merits that I at once made up my mind to recommend it in the future. Recently a gentleman came into my store overcome with colic pains that he sank at once to the floor. I gave him a dose of this remedy which helped him. I repeated the dose and in fifteen minutes he left my store smilingly informing me that he felt as well as ever." Sold by C. A. Rayson, druggist.

HIDES WANTED. HIDES, BEES-WAX, Ginseng, May Apple, Roots, etc. Highest cash price paid. Address or apply to A. Sternberg, P. O. Box 3, Asheville, N. C.

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PEOPLE'S COLUMN.

MISCELLANEOUS.

DRESSMAKING—New Dressmaking Establishment. Over the Racket Store, S. Main street. Open May 1st. Experienced dressmaker. MISS BORNTRAGET. 68-5t

FOR SALE—Kentucky bred saddle and driving mare, owner leaving city, will sell for \$125.00. Address P. O. Box 134, with your telephone number. 68-1t

FOR SALE—Complete duplicate whist set, new. Also books on whist. Enquire of "G" at Gazette office. 68-6t

WANTED—A young or middle aged man, good position, good pay, outdoor work, permanent position to the right party. Address B, Gazette office. 1t

WANTED—Young man, well acquainted in town, for salesman in book store. One with experience preferred. Address, giving references, Box 135. 1t

FOR SALE—One rubber tired Columbus top buggy with shafts and pole—same only run for six months. Apply to Burnette & Lambert, South Main street. 68-9t

WANTED—Board and room by two young men, near the square. Must be reasonable. Address R, Gazette office.

WANTED—A furnished room near the square on 2nd or 3rd floor, by two young men, 2 beds, must be reasonable. Address M., Gazette Office.

TO LEND—\$5,000 on city improved real estate. Will sell at special bargain three dwellings if taken by May 1st, owners going to Europe. Apply to L. A. Farinholt, real estate broker, 49 Patton, avenue, Asheville N. C.

AT ONCE—Wanted—one or more log stockies, to cut and stock to Glenn's store, 28 N. Main street. Can furnish help of all kinds on short notice. Orders left at Glenn's store, phone No. 211, or 28 North Main, will receive prompt attention. JOHN SMITH, Colored.

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WANTED—Trustworthy men and women to travel and advertise for old established house of solid financial standing. Salary \$750 a year and expenses, all payable in cash. No canvassing required. Give references and enclose self-addressed stamped envelope. Address Manager, 365 Canton Bldg., Chicago. 40-30t

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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. Consumptives not taken. Terms Reasonable. Address MRS. E. W. GURLEY, Hendersonville, N. C.

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NO ICE. North Carolina, Buncombe County, In Superior Court before the Clerk. G. L. Laney, et al vs. E. M. Dyer. This 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 Smither deceased, of a certain piece or parcel of land situated in Leicester Township, 1 said county or to sell said lands if said court shall so adjudge; and the said defendant will further take notice that it is required to appear before the clerk of the superior court of Buncombe County, at the court house in said county and state, on the 10th day of May, 1901, and answer or demur to the petition or the plaintiffs will apply to the court for the relief demanded in said petition.

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