After Early Buying Movement On New York Market Which Sends March Up To 12.26 Business Is Quiet On Account of Christmas

Weekly Cetten Repor.

New York, Dec. 24 The cutton market has been compared as grief during the work with fluctionions above by Tess irregular New York, Dec. 24. The cotton market has been comparatively agreed during the week with fluctuations also as ellustring the week with fluctuations also as a summary to the way of even the holidays. Liquidation by mean months longer has been rejudened its punchases of lates positions as some meanages, while got broaden have bounded January against sales of new crop deliveries at the prevailing differences and larvended has been covering maint no crosts and the prevailing differences and the probable entent of supplies as the givening telephone were considered charely in line with the governments estimate of the crop, and the growth the continued light exports. Prof. 12. Given the growth has been contributed light exports increased the ground the growth has been restricted in the growth the continued light exports. Prof. 12. Given the growth has been restricted in the growth the continued light exports increased the growth the continued light exports from the continued light exports. Prof. 12. Given the growth and addition for the growth and maintained light exports from the discontinued light exports. Growth the continued light exports. Growth the continued light exports from the discontinued light exports. Growth the continued light exports. Growth the proponent Liverpool from an performance activity and mail assisted prof. Mail and the growth and t

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Healer's Weekly Cotton Statement.

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Comparisons are to netual states but to close
of corresponding weeks. In the maid index.
In such for week 421
Same seven days had year 422
For the resouth 1,672
Same date last year 2,121
For common 1,892
Same date last year 7,401
Post receipts for seminor X,903.
Same date last year 4,222
Overland to mills and Carada for semson 542.

Southern mill takings for season 1.695.
Some date last year 1.491.
Interior stocks in excess of August 1. 909.
Last year 1.196.
Furnitin exports for wees 121.
Same seven days last year 2.11.
For season 2.274.
Same date last year 2.507.
Northern spinners takings and Canada for react 108.
Same seven days last year 9%.
For season 1.278.
To same date isst year 1.253
Batement of world's rights supply:
Total visible this week 5.894.
Last week 5.802.
Same date last year 1.087.

Bame date last year 5,597. Of this the total American this week 4,684.

Last week 4,511. Last year 4,410. other kinds this week 1.289

Last week 1,390.
Last year 1,184.
Va ble in the United States this week 2,622.
This date last year 2,729.
Vasible in other countries this week 2,872.
This date last year 2,852.

The Business Outland.
New York, Dec. 24. - Dut's review tomorrow "Apart from the rush in the ehopping dis-infalls there has been little in the business

"Apart from the rush in the elesping di-iriets there has been little in the business seed to, indicate that this is the holiday sea-jon. Preparations for inventorying are much last of a factor thans mean and instead of the slowing down process characteristic of the slowing down process commercial se-tivities are exceptionally well substituted. Even satisfactory that the state of the state of the satisfactory plants and the general request for early deliverise institutes in force at many manufacturing plants and the general request for early deliverise institutes to the tirgency of current require-ments."

of the motal. Production is at a record rote and industrial operations generally are unabland, conditions at the footware factures being without precedent in this regard. Monage factures are taxed to the utbane and are booked nominis shoul, while only the above age of dynatules curtain mellicities at the foreign and for health for the product of the condition and the factures on ingrees. It is not considered in the marked increase in the product force, in regard buildings at submined waters, is reflected in the largest values of Christman miss aver impacted in come sections.

Workly bank charges at the ST and of in come sections.

PRICESARE HIGHER GREEN BUGS HELP

Than Usual Holiday Apathy Pervaded Yesterday's Session In Wall Street. Dealings Are Fairly Large and Broad In Upward Trend

New York, Dec. 24 Less than the usual holiday anothy perveded today's stock mar-ket, dealings being fairly large and broad, with an average of higher prices. Railroad shares were plainly helped by the decision of the interstate domosree commission, granting very quiet with brokers develop the grader part of the afternoin to the exchange of holiday greetings. Privace reacted slightly with an average of higher privace, Railroad for the afternoin to the exchange of holiday greetings. Privace reacted slightly with the close was from at a not advance of 5 to 18 points and closed until ment. Tunoing morning, there was not capable to influence essutiment, and there seemed nothing in the general new that stirracted any special attention. The market observed seemed nothing in the general new that stirracted any special attention. The market observed shall be influence essutiment, and there seemed nothing in the general new high without a strip in the point of the last five years, and coppers hard-mixed any special attention. The market observed and a strip of the strip of th

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New York St.	ock Lie	1.	- 10
Sales in			e e li
Hundreits. H	ligels 1	AW. C	iomitsg.
Alles Chalmers 10	3219	3254	87.46
Amr. Beet Sugar 4	7.0	69%	10
American Can 147	62	60	79
Amr. Cr and Fdy. 22	2847	78	78%
American Cot. Off 4	45.54	6.5	56
American Cot. Off 4 American Lecu 41	1040	6145	60%
American Smelting *4	105%	1047	104 %
American Sugar 15	1164	116%	1154
Amr. Tel and Tel 17	1294	124%	1.26
American Tob 41	204	2034	206
Anaconds Copper 100	894	8874	89
Atchison 36	10:4	100%	107 4
Atl C L	1133	113 .	1135
Hidw Lore 172	11144	118	11874
Halt and Ohto 56	264 76	937,	B4 5g
Bethlehem Steel cov. 2	474	47.1	471
Brooklyn R. I 3	87.54	81.14	87 Vg
Canadian Pac 13	18244	180	180%
Central Leather . 7	5.8%	58 -	6819

New York 12.151 caports Tell stock 3,638.

New York 12.151 caports Tell stock 1,628.

Mine Porte receipts 7.817, exports 1,975 to the first today. Peccipts 7.926, exports 25.258, stock 1,164.258.

Total for today. Peccipts 29.166, exports 25.258, stock 1,164.258.

Houston: Middling 12.06 veccipts 9.166, alignments 8.337, sales 294 stock 1.40.6 Menghis Middling 12.12 receipts 1.40.6 Alignments 8.334, anice 800, attack 244.6.5 Alignments 8.346, anice 800, attack 244.6.5 Alignments 8.341, anice 800, attack 244.6.5 Alignments 8.341, anice 800, attack 244.6.5 Alignments 8.341, anice 800, attack 244.6.5 Alignments 8.340, anice 810 stock 244.6

day's

On the long side traders were encouraged
by the continued refunal of spot owners to
trade freely at preculting prices. Ginnings
were considered improcast same they were accepted as confirming spot estimates

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New York Money.

New York, Dec. 24 — Marcantlie paper 367
34, sterling 66 day bills 4.68 %; demands.
72 %, cables 4.78 %; bar silver 53 %, Mexican dellars 41 %. Government bonds steady. can dellars 41%. Government bonds steady. Hattrond bonds frequisar. At one bonus casey, 60 and 90 days 2% @ 2%, arx months 2% 60%. Call money steady; ruling rate 1%.

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Naval Steres,
Savannah, Ga., Dec. 24. Turpentine firm
51951 1-4. sales : receipts 207. shipments 28. stocks 75,927.
Quote B. D. and E. 5.20. F. 5.206,5.30.
G. 5.256530, H. 5.2567530 1. 5.2568.40,
K. 5.8035.90, M. 6.20, N. 5.75, Wg. 7.00.
Ww. 1.25.

New York Provisions.

New York, Dec. 24. Raw super quiet; centrifugal 4.508/4.59; molesses 2.56g4.12; refined steady.

Butter barely steady.
Cheese firm: spot coffee quiet; Rio No. 7, 5-8. Santos No. 4, 9 cents.

New York Dev Goods.

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Executriz of J. P. Bobbitty decembed Wake Forest, Route Na. 3, N. 61, 11-27-lair-Onks.

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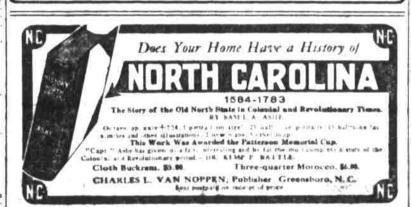
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