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STOCK MARKET

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步步後最後後要發發發發發發 New York, May 12 .- Stock exchange prices hovered within half a point of esterday's close during the morning, except for a few issues affected by sperific influences. Weakness of Missouri Pacific and a further rise in sterling exchange rates, presaging arther gold exports, tended to re strict speculation. Efforts to realize on speculative holdings, disclosed a

afternoon. Speculative interest was so small that traders found it difficult o make profitable turns in either di-

thin market and prices sagged on

of the morning showing a small de

10:30 a. m .- Most of the stand- | visions upgrade. and stocks opened slightly higher today but the demand was light and he upward swing attained no force. lew orders were awaiting execution and trading was unusually dull. Missouri Pacific was sold on the anof thep lan for extending the road's The close was easy 3-8 down to 1-8 notes. After opening 1-4 higher the stock reacted 1 5-8 to within a frac tion of the recent low level. Weak ness of this issue caused a sympathetic shading of prices elsewhere out recessions were slight. During the first half hour fluctuations were nar row and irregular and no general trend was apparent.

Close.-The market closed steady Covering purchases produced a firmer tone in the final trading but the de mand was meagre and limited to a landful of stocks.

New York Stock List.

NS—No sales.	
Amalgamated Copper	721/2
American Agricultural	
American Can	27.14
American Car & Foundry	
American Cities	
American Cities	
American Cities, pfd	
American Cotton Oil	NS
American Smelting	61 %
American Sugar	1053/2
American Sugar	22%
American Tobacco	NS
Atchison	9534
Atlantic Coast Line	
Baltimore & Ohio	90%
Canadian Pacific	191%
Canadian Pacific	50%
Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul	98%
Erie	26 %
General Electric	0.5
Great Northern pfd	NS 123
Great Northern pfd	11044
Interborough-Met pfd	62%
Kansas City Southern	
Louisville & Nashville	
Liggett & Myers	
Lorillard Co	
Mexican Petroloum	NS
Micerari Kancas & Toyac	16%
Mexican Petroleum	93%
N. Y., N. H. & Hartford	69
Norfolk & Western	
Northern Pacific	10934
Pennsylvania	111
Reading	NS
Rep, from & Steel	ING.
Rock Island Co. pfd	5 1/6 19 3/6
Seaboard Air Line Seaboard Air Line pfd	b53%
Standard Air Line pid	NS
Sloss. Shef, Steel & Iron	91%
Southern Pacific	
Southern Railway	NS
outhern Railway pfd	NS
Tennessee Copper	34%
Texas Co	1401/2
Union Pacific	156
United States Steel pfd	5914
United States Steel pfd	108%
Virginia Caro. Chemical	. b26
Western Union	NS

New York, May 12.Call money teady 1 3-4a2; ruling rate 1 3-4; clos-Time loans weak; 60 and 90 days 11-2; six months 3.

Call Money.

Mercantile paper 3 1-2a4. Sterling exchange easier; 60 days 85.25: demand 488.10. Commercial bills 484 3-4. Bar silver 58 1-2. Mexican dollars 45 3-4. Government bonds steady.

National: Fourth: Boston 0. Gibson

First, Boston 0. National, first Pittsburg 0.

At Indianapolis, Kansas City, post- states, accompanied in many instances poned, rain.

National: At St. Louis, Chicago, ostponed, cold. National: Second, Boston 0.

National, second, Pittsburg 0.

Taylor and Agnew; Foster and cooler." homas. First, St. Louis 0. National, third, Boston 0.

National, third, Pittsburg 0. American, first, Boston - 2. American, Cleveland at Philadelphia,

Mitchell and Carisch; Bush and chang. American Chicago at Washington,

Benz and Kuhn: Johnson and Henry.

NEGRO LYNCHED.

by Associated Press. aken from the parish jail shortly afer noon today and lynched.

CHICAGO MARKET

Chicago, May 12.-Assertions that the wheat acreage in Kansas is much larger than had been estimated gave the market today a bearish turn. Report was that a leading expert figured the Kansas at 9,000,000 instead of \$,300,000, the best previous calculation. Quotations started a shade off to 3-8 up but afterward went under last night's level except for May in which tradiing was light. light offerings, the ruling quotations

Unsettled weather had a strengthening effect on corn but values failed to make much of a rise. The market opened -?8 lower to a like advance steady early in the noon hour with ac-

Firmness at the yards helped pro-

Neither Hessian fly damage nor a decrease in the world's available points stock caused more than a slight temporary reaction in wheat. The close was weak at 1-8 to 1-2 net decline. A sag in corn resulted from renouncement after the close yesterday ports of increased rural offerings. Gulf

up compare			night.	e.
	1	ligh.	Low.	Close.
WHEAT-				
May		95/4/8	94%	9416
July		8614	85%	85%
CORN-				
May		67.36	67	6736
July		661/8	65%	65%
CATS-				7,00
July		3756	371/8	371/8
Sept		3534	351%	35%
PORK-		100		
		Control Comman		

July 19.77 19.67 19.72 Sept 19.90 19.80 19.82 July 10.07 10.02 10.02 Sept 10.25 10.20 10.20 July 11.17 11.12 11.12 11.30 11.22 11.25 Chicago Live Stock.

Light 8.20 @ 8.50 There was a further improvement minutes discussed the advisability of Heavy 7.90 @ 8.40 ing in with a fair volume of buying appointing a tax commissioner and Sheep, receipts 16,000; steady,

CHARLOTTE COTTON.

Naval Stores. Savannah, Ga., May 12.-Turpentine firm 44 cents; sales -; receipts 1,201. Rosin firm; sales —; receipts 1,201.

Rosin firm; sales —; receipts 3,396. Quote: B3.60a85; D 3.95a4.00; E.
4.00a..10; F 4.10; G and H 4.15; I
4.20; K 4.30; M 4.60; N 5.40; W G 5.70; W W 5.75.

Wave of Cooler Weather Is Headed This Way

tion given out today by the local office | Futures steady. of the weather bureau. A wave of cool- May 7.02 er weather is now headed this way May-June 7.02 from the northwestern states, the van-July-Aug 6.84 guard of which is expected to arrive Aug-Sept 6.68 in this section late tomorrow after- Oct-Nov 6.351

shown this morning by the government weather reports. Warm weather prevailed last night over the Ohio Valley and the southeast, with sufficient heat oil market closed dull. Spot 7.00a7.15; to call into requisition electric fans May 7.05a7.15; June 7.22a7.25; July and such luxuries that make warm 7.30a7.32; Aug. 7.40a7.42; Sept. 7.47a weather bearable. The lowest tempera- 7.49; October 7.10a7.15; Nov. 6.61a680; ture here last night was 66 degrees, Dec. 6.53a6.70. at Wilmington, 68; and at Louisville, Total sales 2500 Ky., 70 degrees. Yesterday the highest temperature here was 88 degrees, and a temperature near 90 degrees is in-

BASEBALL Our neighbors in the northwestern states, however, must have thought winter was returning, or that the groundhog had gotten his calendar confused again, or some such phenomenon fused again, or some such phenomenon bad by the present when people at Depver Atlanta Ga May 12 Crude oil. had happened. When people at Denver awoke this morning, the ground was white with snow, and the mercury National Boston at Pittsburg, clear. stood at freezing. Snows occurred at Rudolph and Whaling; Cooper and localities in the states of Wyoming, Colorado, and the Dakotas, At Williston, North Dakota, the lowest temperature last night was 10 degrees below Federal, at Buffalo, postponed, rain. freezing, or 22 degrees. Freezing tem-At Chicago, St. Louis, postponed, peratures occurred last night in about a half dozen of the northwestern

by killing frost. ably cooler weather is expected by the Mrs. William Bynum and daughters— said, "This is not a lecture on prohilocal forecaster, who this morning the latter granddaughters of Judge bition." American, St. Louis at Boston, gave out the following forecast: "Fair Bynum. The bust will be of bronze tonight; Wednesday, showers and

HEAD OF NORFOLK SOUTHERN RESIGNS

By Associated Press.

Norfolk, Va., May 12.-Charles * # H. Hix, president of the Norfolk The reason given is need of rest. * He has been head of the Norfolk Southern since November 1, 1912, &

COTTON

NEW YORK

New York, May 12.-Higher Liverpool cables and reports of unfavorable western weather caused an opening advance of 5 to 6 points in cotton and active months sold about 9 to 15 points above yesterday's close during early trading. Liverpool was an active buyer of near months here while there buying for long account.

The summary of the weekly weather report was considered generally favorable but the market remained with a subsequent tendency to hard-tive months about 10 to 16 points net

> weekly report restricted offerings later and the market ruled quiet but steady at a net advance of 9 to 17 New York Spot Cotton. New York, May 12 .- Spot cotton

Close New York Futures. New York, May 12 .- Cotton futures

..... 12.75 12.57 12.72 12.24 12.40 gust 12.27 12.09 12.26 cember 11.77 11.65 11.76 nuary11.68 11.58 11.67

NEW ORLEANS

New Orleans, May 12.-The advent audit. of another area of low temperatures and frost in the western belt induced an opening advance in the local cotton market of 4 points on August and further slight gains.

Chicago, May 12.-Hogs, receipts the net gains 10 to 12 points above for the support of the library could be second call.

Close New Orleans Spots.

Cows and heifers 3.70 @ 8.60 sales on the spot 1,373; to arrive 286; every year and would have perhaps a Calves 7.00 @10.00 low middling 12 9-16; strict low mid-beneficial effect if his duties were to dling 13; strict middling 13 9-16; good include examination of the tax listing Sheep 5.25 @ 6.00 middling 13 15-16; strict good mid- books as they are being made out.

Receipts 5,861; stock 138,613. New Orleans, May 12 .- Cotton futures opened steady. May 12.95; July Spot cotton 13 1-4 12.73; August 12.37; October 11.73; property ordered by the state corpora-December 11.72.

Liverpool, May 1 .- Cotton spot stea-

dy; Good middling 7.99 Says the Weather Man Middling 7,37 Low middling 6.89 The present hot wave is to be of Sales 8,000; speculation and export short duration, according to informa-

Dec-Jan 6.261/2 Sharp contrasts in temperature were Jan-Feb 6.261/2 New York Cotton Seed Oil. New York, May 12.-Cotton seed

CHARLOTTE GRAIN. (Corrected by Cochran & McLaughlin)

Atlanta, Ga., May 12.-Crude oil 47.

Bust of Judge Bynum To Be Placed in The Capitol at Raleigh

Charlotte will hear with interest and tal. In the courts of the Carolinas for PLAYGROUNDS. decades there was none of greater | The Park and Playgrounds Associa- change will be made as soon as dehe was a towering giant intellectually o'clock at the Elizabeth school. fitting it was that he should have had a seat with others of like ability on the supreme court bench of the state OFF TO

he honored and adorned. Child Burned to Death. Cpecial to The News.

was completely destroyed by fire.

Miss Gene Gauntier in "Come Back **** **** **** **** **** **** duction. Princess Theatre today. Presbyterian church.

CONSIDER WESTERN SEPTIC TANK

> A joint meeting of the city executive board and the finance committee of the board of aldermen was held today in the mayor's office in the city hall for the purpose of hearing a report made by Col. W. W. Phifer, chairman of the sewer committee of the board of aldermen, relative to the condition of the western septic of the city on Irwin's Creek, which was reported in bad repair and not performing its full function.

The vote of the finance committee was that the matter should be left in abevance until next Monday night when the board of aldermen will meet and the financial budget for the year made out. It was the sense of the board that it would be best to wait until that time before making an appropriation for repair of the tank, which, it is estimated, will cost from

At the last meeting of the board of aldermen Mayor Bland appointed a committee consisting of J. Frank Wilkes, J. E. Honeycutt and D. L. Kistler, to visit the western septic tank and made an examination as to its efficiency. The committee found was covering and considerable fresh that it was partly out of commission and in need of repairs. The committee directed the attention of the executive board to the matter and that poard asked the finance committee for conference this morning and requested an emergency appropriation for what Colonel Phifer and other members of the executive board considered were needed repairs in the

Colonel Phifer pointed out that it was necessary, as summer was coming on, that the tank be put in repair at once, as it was not performing its full faunction and that there was liapility of a suit against the city if the epairs were not made at once. The finance committee took the view, however, that since the board of aldermen met Monday night and the budget for the coming year would likely be read out that night the tank repairs could wait until that time, when it would be seen how much money could be appropriated for the needs at the tank. The annual audit of the city is also expected to be ready in a day or two, and the budget for next year's expenses of the city will be made out by the finance committee in accordance with the showing made by the

Request for Library.

Erskine Smith of the executive board, who is also a member of the board of trustees of Carnegie Library, September and 6 to 9 points on other made a request that the finance compositions. Early trading was brisk at mittee recommend an advance of \$114 by the board of aldermen to tide over The upward movement in prices con- the affairs of the library until a paytinued during the forenoon, sending ment of the sum given by the county yesterday's level on all months at the gotten in hand. The request was there will probably be showers with to the action of the Democratic prigranted.

chance is left off the books. The idea was advanced that the appointment The members of the committee were inclined to favor some such action, Springs 7.50 @10.00 Opening New Orleans Cotton Futures but took no action. The matter was brought up in connection with discussion relative to the reassessment of Columbia 66

tion commission. 海海海海海海海海海海海海 LARGE SNAKES TO BE SHOWN WITH THE LECTURE TONIGHT

Tonight at 8:30 o'clock at Hanna Hall, Y. M. C. A. building, Mr. Allan Samuel Williams, of New York, will deliver a lecture on "Snakes," or "Adventures in the Tropics." The lecture will be highly educational from at least two standpoints. That of travel A DAVIDSON JUNIOR and natural history.

Mr. Williams will tell the truth about snakes and the lecture will be profusely illustrated with 100 or more stereopticon pictures, and represent species of the world's Ophidians, their habits and natural surroundings. tal snake charmers; Boa constrictor the church, a lecture being given by subject to the action of the Democratic date for the nomination to the office and other boas; Anaconda with her some one specual speaker. For the Primary. baby; Python incubating eggs; man lecture of tomorrow night, Mr. Rol- 6-tf-d&w. in coils of a python; capturing a ston was so fortunate as to secure Python in the East Indian jungle; Mr. Price, a student at Davidson the Reptile House, New York Park. a leader of his class and a young and comes to Charlotte with the high- morrow and during his stay here will societies, colleges, clubs and Young Gibbon at their home on South Tryon subject to the action of the Democratic to interest all who attend, in fact, no Mr. Price, but the young men and entertainment of a similar character women of all churches. Speakers such I hereby announce myself a candion a high scientific plane has ever as he are seldom found amongst old-date for re-election to the office of been given before in Charlotte,

The admission to this entertain inspiration to young and old. ment tonight will be 25 cents for adults and 15 cents for children. A feature of the entertainment is the showing of large live reptiles. The fact that this is an entertainment will be questioned by some but

ability or greater prestige than Judge tion, will have its regular monthly tails of the re-organization have been Bynum. Peer of all, superior of many, meeting tomorrow afternoon at 4 completed. The Stowe Drug Store at The board meets at 3 o'clock.

CONVENTION.

Rev. Dr. W. M. Vines and Mr. J. Chester, S. C., May 12 .- The child Pritchard Memorial Baptist, left this Allison Drug Company. He is an ex- Democratic Primaries. Southern Railroad, today tendered & of Mr. M. Washington was burned to morning for Nashville to attend the perienced and capable druggist and his resignation, effective Friday. & death today when its parents' home Southern Baptist convention. They will be a valued addition to the return Saturday.

on, negro, held on the charge of as- & before which he was vice presi- & to Erin." Made in Ireland and Ameri- Commissioner subject to the action of aulting a ten year old white girl, was a dent of the Seaboard Air Line. "Ould Counthry" is this wonderful pro- High School Sunday, at the Second "Ould Counthry" is this wonderful pro-

U. S. Department of Agriculture. WEATHER BUREAU. 30.1

EXPLANATORY NOTES Observations taken at 8 s. m., 75th meridian time. Air pressure reduced to sea level. Isobars (continuous lines) pass through points of equal air pressure. Isotherms (dotted lines) pass through points of equal temperature; drawn only for zero, freezing, 90°, and 100°. O clear; O partly cloudy; O cloudy; R rain; Ssnow; M report missing. Arrows fly with the wind. First figures, lowest

temperature past 12 hours; second, precipitation of .01 inch or more for past 24 hours; third, maximum wind velocity.

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showers and cooler.

Charlotte, May 12.

Fair tonight; Wednesday,

THE WEATHER

Sharp contrasts in weather conditions characterize the weather map foday. A barometric disturbance over the Middle Atlantic States and a high pressure area over the southeast are resulting in southeasterly winds and high temperatures over both these sections. Over the Northwest and extending into Texas and Oklahoma is a large area of high pressure, preceded by much colder weather. In the Rocky Mountain section, freezing temperatures and snowstorms are reported. The "freezing line" on the weather map above will be seen to include almost a half dozen of the FOR STATE SENATE northwestern states.

Cloudiness is general in the lower didate for the State Senate subject to the Democratic Primary. Mississippi Valley ,and showers are the action of the Democratic Primary. reported from the central valleys and 21-tf the lake region.

The indications are for fair weather tonight in this vicinity; Wednesday cooler in the afternoon.

O. O. ATTO, Local Forecaster.

TEMPERATURES.

Augusta 68 Charlotte 71 Houston 74 Memphis 68 Meridian 62 Palestine 70 Savannah 70

Thomasville .. 66 TO LECTURE TOMORROW NIGHT, FIRST CHURCH

Taylor 72

young men, Mr. Frank Price, son of Rev. and Mrs. Frank Price, mission-Among the realistic scenes pictured aries in China, will be heard, in lecare: Capturing a huge diamond-back ture, Wednesday evening at the First rattler; Cobra-di-capello, attacking Presbyterian church. On the second Egyptian Asp, ready to strike; Go- Wednesday in each month a foreign pher swallowing coach-whip; Orien- mission prayer meeting is held at date for the nomination for Sheriff, teaching boys in Y. M. C. A. camps, College—a Junior of unusual ability, Mr. Williams is secretary of the man of splendid mentality and beau-International Herpetological society ty of character. Mr. Price comes to-Men's Christian Association secreta- street. Not only the young people of Primary. ries, and his lecture is guaranteed the First church are asked to hear 7-tf-d&w er men of the church. He will be an Sheriff of Mecklenburg county, sub-

REESE-STOWE CO.

Messrs. J. P. Stowe, of this city, William Preston Bynum, of this city, those who attend may have their and Harry Stowe, of Asheville, broth- I hereby announce myself a candiis to be placed in the capitol in Ral- money back if not entirely pleased. ers, have bought out the interest or date for county commissioner subject eigh. The bust was requested by the Those who have had dreams along Mr. O. T. Alexander, of the Reese to the action of the Democratic Pri-No destructive temperatures are yet supreme court, and is being cut in this line may come prepared to see & Alexander Drug Store at the cormary. indicated for this vicinity, but consider- Italy, it to be presented by the family, their dreams and as a local paper ner of Fourth and Tryon streets, Mr. dxw-tf on account of his health. He will go to the mountains.

> the Reese-Stowe Company. The No. 29 South Tryon street, of which Mr. James P. Stowe is proprietor, will not be affected by the deal but will Primary. be continued as a present.

Mr. Harry Stowe has been for some years in the drug business in Asheforce of local druggists.

-Dr. A. A. McGeachy is to preach Miss Gene Gauntier in "Come Back, date for the nomination of County duction. Princess Theatre today.

What Pretty Walls!

What have you on them?

Oh! they have been Mellotoned. Mellotone is beautiful, washable and sanitary.

Charlotte Paint & Glass Company

Phone 175 3-5-7 W. Fourth St.

Political Advertising

I hereby announce myself as a can didate for the State Senate, subject

JNO. A. McRAE. I hereby announce myself a candidate for the nomination to the State

Senate subject to the action of the Democratic Primary. A. B. JUSTICE.

FOR HOUSE OF REPRE SENTATIVES .00 sentative for and of the people and Primary. conduct myself on a "square deal" platform. Your support will be ap-

W.R. MATTHEWS. I hereby announce myself as a candidate to represent Mecklenburg Coun date for the nomination to the office ty in the House of Representatives, of County Commissioner, subject to subject to the action of the Demo- the action of the Democratic Primary, cratic Primary T. J. RENFROW.

I hereby announce myself a candi date for the nomination for the office .00 as Representative to the House of .00 Representatives from Mecklenburg date for re-election for the nomina-Democratic Primary.

ROBERT S. HUTCHISON. I hereby announce myself a candi date for the nomination as representative from Mecklenburg county to the

FOR SHERIFF I hereby announce myself a candi

I hereby announce myself a candi-

subject to the action of the Democratic W. O. COCHRANE. I hereby announce myself a candi-

date for the nomination for Sheriff,

J. C. HUNTER.

ject to the action of the Democratic Primary. N. W. WALLACE.

NEW DRUG FIRM FOR COUNTY COMMIS

Z. T. SMITH. I hereby announce myself a candi-

D. C. BERRYHILL. 14-td. I hereby announce myself a candidate for the nomination for re-election to the County Board of Commissioners subject to the action of the Democratic

of the Democratic Primary.

W. N. McKEE.

I hereby announce myself a candi-M. McMichael, of the First Baptist ville, for a while with the Razor date for the office of County Commischurch, and Rev. W. A. Smith, of Drug Company and later with the sioner subject to the action of the their loyal support in obtaining the J. E. SUSTAR,

> I hereby announce myself a candi-J. PIERCE STROUP.

Steel Creek Township.

Morning Star Townshp.

I Lereby announce myself as a can Commissioner subject to the action of

Crab Orchard Township. I hereby announce myself a candi date for the nomination for County Commissioner subject to the action of the Democratic Primary. W. M. GARRISON.

Pineville. I hereby announce myself a candldate for the nomination of County Commissioner subject to the action of the Democratic Primary.

WILLIAM BRADFORD.

As our section has not held a mem-I desire to represent Mecklenburg ber of the Board of County Commis-County in the next General Assembly sioners for about twenty years, I and offer myself to the voters in the hereby annaunce my candidacy for Democratic Primary for nomination, If nomination as County Commissioner, chosen I pledge myself to be a repre- subject to the action of the Democratic

J. LINDSAY PARKS. R. F. D. No. 20 Huntersville, Long Creek Township.

I hereby announce myself a candi-

ADAM H. RHYNE, Berryhill Township.

I hereby announce myself a candi-County, subject to the action of the tion to the office of County Commissioner, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary. A. MORRIS M'DONALD.

> FOR TAX COLLECTED I hereby announce myself a candidate for Tax Collector District No. 1, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary.

> N. A. BARNHART. 6-mon-thurs-d&w I hereby announce myself a candi-

E. O. JOHNSTON. Mecklenburg County, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary. G. S. MAYES.

> FOR BOARD OF EDUCA TION

We hereby announce ourselves candidates for the nomination for the County Board of Education subject to the action of the Democratic Primaries on May 16th, 1914.

J. ARTHUR HENDERSON. J. T. BEARD, W. M. MORROW, B. D. FUNDERBURK,

W. J. HUTCHISON. We hereby announce ourselves as candidates for nomination to membership of the County Board of Education, subject to the Democratic Pri-

maries to be held May 16th, 1914. W. W. WATT, J. C. REID, W. B. ESTRIDGE, J. P. ARDREY.

FOR SOLICITOR

I hereby announce myseir a candidate for the nomination of County date for the nomination of Solicitor The style of the new firm will be Commissioner, subject to the action this, the 14th Judicial district, subject to the action of the Democratic Primaries of the counties of the district.

> I am a candidate in the Democratic Primaries for renomination for Solicitor of the 14th Judicial District, comprising the counties of Mecklenburg and Gaston. My friends in the district are familiar with my official record and I am indebted to them for office, as well as in the discharge of its duties during the term. I shall greatly appreciate your endorsement for another term, Respectfully,

> A brave soul is a thing which all things serve .- Alexander Smith. The happiness of the wicked flows

laway like a torrent .- Racine.

GEO. W. WILSON.

LOUIS J. HUNTER.