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WILMINGTON MARKETS. COTTON REPORTS. Wilmington, N. C., February 25. Receipts of cotton today—103 bales. Receipts corresponding day last year—153 bales.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH. FINANCIAL. New York, February 25.—Money on call easy at 1 1/2 per cent; 1 1/2 per cent on 14 days and closing offered at 1 1/2 per cent.

STOCKS AND BONDS. Am Cotton 11 1/2, Am Sugar 11 1/2, Am Tobacco 11 1/2, A. T. & S. 11 1/2, B. & O. 11 1/2, C. & O. 11 1/2, Ches. & Del. 11 1/2, Erie 11 1/2, Gen. & West. 11 1/2, Ill. & Ind. 11 1/2, Iowa & N. W. 11 1/2, Kan. & Okla. 11 1/2, Mich. & Ind. 11 1/2, Minn. & Wis. 11 1/2, N. Y. Cent. & H. 11 1/2, N. Y. & N. J. 11 1/2, Pa. & N. Y. 11 1/2, R. & A. 11 1/2, S. E. Pa. 11 1/2, Va. & N. C. 11 1/2, W. Va. & N. C. 11 1/2, W. Va. & N. C. 11 1/2.

COTTON. Liverpool, February 25.—12:30 p. m.—Cotton market fair; prices steady. American middling 3 1/2-1/2; sales 12,000; American 10,000; speculation and cover 4,000; receipts 4,000; 3,500. Futures opened quiet; demand moderate.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET. New York, February 25.—There was a quiet day in the stock market, with a few scattered transactions. The total transactions were only 85,277 shares.

THE CHICAGO MARKETS. Chicago, February 25.—Wheat prices scored an advance where a decline was generally expected today. The early market was quiet and steady.

THE CINCINNATI MARKETS. Cincinnati, February 25.—Wheat prices were quiet and steady. The market was well supplied and prices were firm.

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state and Pennsylvania 17 1/2; 104 house, one 12 1/2; western fresh 17; southern 16 1/2; lard 13 1/2; tallow 12 1/2; cottonseed oil 12 1/2; yellow pine 2 1/2; 2 1/2; Rice—Good demand; firm; domestic fair to export; Japan 4 1/2; Molasses—Steady, moderately active, unchanged.

Shipping Intelligence. VESSELS IN PORT. M. C. Haskell, (Am), 324 tons, Wingfield, Porto Gama, Fla., Geo. Harris, Son & Co.

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