

PRICE CHANGES WERE SMALL

High Opening of Call Money Stopped Rise

RALLY BEFORE NOON

A Few Extreme Declines, Tennessee Coal and Iron Yielding 1 1/2 On Early Trading—How Prices Fluctuated—The Closing.

(By the Associated Press.) New York, April 9.—The opening trading in the stock market today was quiet, and the price changes from Saturday's level were small, except in a few specialties, and mixed between gains and losses. Anaconda was run up 1/2, but more than lost the gain within a few minutes. Northwesters gained a point, and United States Rubber lost as much. Very few stocks moved as much as half per cent in either direction from last week's closing. Prices yielded slightly after the opening, then hardened and again receded when call money opened above 20 per cent. Wisconsin Central preferred declined 2 1/2.

Prices yielded but slightly and hardened again before noon, the rally reaching a point in Reading and Amalgamated Copper. Extreme declines were Tennessee Coal 1 1/2, Great Northern preferred and Wisconsin Central 1 1/4 and New York Central and Minneapolis, St. Paul & Sault Ste Marie's point. Bonds were irregular at noon.

Dullness was the only feature between noon and one o'clock.

Business increased considerably when a general selling movement began which cost a number of stocks a point or more. Continued high money rates seemed the motive of the selling. St. Paul, Missouri Pacific, Wheeling and Lake Erie, Northwestern, Atlantic Coast Line, Ontario and Western, Sugar, International Pump, International Paper and Brooklyn Transit fell 1-1/2. Smelting and Northern Pacific 1-1/2. Great Northern preferred 2-3/4. Delaware and Hudson 2-1/4, and Nashville, Chattanooga and St. Louis 4-3/4. The market became weak late in the day, and prices tumbled rapidly. Union Pacific, Reading, Ontario and Western, New York Central, Amalgamated Copper, Smelting and Sugar lost 2, Illinois Central and Delaware and Hudson 4, Northern Pacific, North-western and General Electric 3, American Express and active stocks generally a point or more. The closing was active and weak.

New York Closing Stock List. Atchafson 92 1/2, Atchafson pref. 102 1/2, Atlantic Coast Line 133 1/2, Baltimore & Ohio 112 1/2, Canadian Pacific 171 1/2, Chicago & Alton 31, Chicago & Alton pref. 71, Chicago & Northwestern 204, Colorado Southern pref. 240, Chesapeake & Ohio 59 1/2, Denver & Rio Grande 45 1/2, Denver & Rio Grande pref. 88 1/2, Erie 44 1/2, Illinois Central 171 1/2, Louisville & Nashville 149 1/2, Manhattan L. 153, Metropolitan St. Ry. 112, Mexican Central 24 1/2, Missouri Pacific 94 1/2, New York Central 143, Norfolk & Western 89 1/2, Northern Pacific 216, Pennsylvania 141, Reading 153 1/2, Rock Island 27 1/2, Rock Island pref. 66 1/2, St. Paul 175 1/2, Southern Pacific 68, Southern Railway 10, Southern Railway pref. 100, Union Pacific 154 1/2, Union Pacific pref. 96, Wabash 22 1/2, Wisconsin Central 26 1/2.

Miscellaneous. Amalgamated Copper 109 1/2, American Car & Foundry 43 1/2, American Locomotive 74 1/2, American Smelting 128, American Smelting pref. 121, Brooklyn Rapid Transit 85 1/2, Colorado Fuel & Iron 60 1/2, International Paper 21, National Biscuit 66, National Lead 82, Northern Securities 42, Pacific Mail 94 1/2, People's Gas 53 1/2, Pressed Steel Car 53 1/2, Pullman Palace Car 23 1/2, Standard Oil 65 1/2, Sugar 138 1/2, Tennessee Coal & Iron 150, United States Steel 41 1/2, United States Steel pref. 107, Western Union 92, Mackay Co's. pref. 72 1/2, Mackay Co's. 32 1/2, American Cotton Oil 78 1/2, American Tobacco 48, American Tobacco 68, American Tobacco pref. 104, Sloss-Sheffield 81 1/2, Virginia-Carolina Chemical 49 1/2, Va.-Carolina Chemical pref. 42, American Woolen 42, American Woolen pref. 106 1/2.

New York Cotton Market. (By the Associated Press.) New York, April 9.—The cotton market opened steady at unchanged prices to an advance of 4 points and sold about 3 to 5 points net higher during the first ten minutes on firm cables, big spot sales in Liverpool and reports that rain was falling in the eastern belt. There was no indication of aggressive bull support, however, the Houston estimate for tomorrow's receipts were full and the market eased off during the middle of the forenoon with trading quiet and prices about net unchanged.

Cotton futures opened steady: May 11.23; June 11.13 bid; July 11.16; August 11.02; September 10.72; October 10.57; November 10.58; December 10.59; January 10.62. Cotton futures closed quiet and steady: April 11.05; May 11.18; June 11.09; July 11.16; August 11.02; September 10.72; October 10.57; November 10.58; December 10.59; January 10.62.

Estimated receipts of cotton at the ports were 15,000 bales, against 12,153 last week and 31,114 last year. For the week 95,000 bales against 110,322 last week and 171,316 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans 5,803 bales against 9,507 last year and at Houston 2,748 bales against 6,626 last year.

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Liverpool Cotton Market. (By the Associated Press.) Liverpool, April 9.—Cotton—Spot in fair demand; prices unchanged; American middling fair 6.64; good middling 6.34; middling 6.14; low middling 5.98; good ordinary 5.80; ordinary 5.60.

Raleigh Spot Market.

(Reported by Charles E. Johnson & Co.) Strict good middling, 11 1/2. Good middling, 11 1/4. Strict middling, 11 1/8. Middling, 11. No receipts today.

Hubbard's Cotton Letter.

(Special to The Evening Times.) New York, April 9.—Influenced by the rather better Liverpool advices, our market opened slightly higher this morning, with May in fair demand by clique brokers on the opening. After the call the market lapsed into dullness, and the early advance was lost on the rather full price estimates for tomorrow and the absence of outside speculations.

The principal feature during the morning was the transferring from May to July of hedges held here against cotton in the south, and these operations steadied the difference between the two months around 6 points.

Weather reports from the south over Sunday were on the whole favorable, and the high water at Memphis attracted little attention, as the stage 36 there is not unusual at this season. The south continued a good seller of the late options, particularly December, against the anticipated crop. These offerings were well received, however, by buying from local sources on the ground that there was a considerable short interest in the new crop, which might be forced to cover by bad weather over the holidays. Southern spot markets were reported dull.

New York Provision Market. (By the Associated Press.) New York, April 9.—Flour—Steady to firm but slow. Wheat—Irregular: May 85 3-16 @ 15-16; September 82 1/2. Rye—Nominal. Corn—Firm: May 52 1/2 @ 53 1/2. Beef—Steady. Pork—Firm. Lard—Firm: prime western steam \$8.65 @ \$8.75.

Sugar—Raw steady; fair refining 3 1-16; centrifugal 3 17-32 @ 9-16; molasses sugar 2 25-32 @ 13-16. Refined steady; crushed \$5.40; powdered \$4.80; granulated \$4.70. Coffee—Steady: No. 7 Rio 8 1-16. Molasses—Steady: New Orleans 20 @ 38. Butter—Easy: Creamery 14 @ 21. Cheese firm: state full cream, large and small, 11 @ 14 1-4; skims 3 @ 10 1/2. Eggs—Unsettled; nearby selector 22; western fresh B; southern 15 @ 19.

Chicago Grain Market. (By the Associated Press.) Chicago, April 9.—The wheat market was steady at the opening today, the news being favorable partly to bulls and partly to bears. Shipments were light, the world's offerings were larger than had been estimated and the weather considered favorable for the new crop. May wheat opened unchanged to a shade higher at 77 1/2 @ 78, sold up to 78 and declined to 77 1/2.

The market became firmer in the latter part of the session, chiefly because of higher prices at St. Louis and Minneapolis. The high point for May was 78 3/4 @ 78 1/2. The close was firm with May 1/4 @ 3/4 higher, at 78 1/2.

May corn, on a reported sharp advance at Liverpool, advanced to 46 1/2 and then eased off to 46 1/4. Prices became steady in the last half of the session. The low point for May was 46, and the close was steady with May a shade lower, at 46 @ 46 1/4.

May oats on reported wet weather declined to 31 1/2. May provisions opened quiet; pork at \$16.25, lard at \$8.50, and ribs at \$8.70.

New York Poultry Market. (By the Associated Press.) New York, April 9.—Poultry—Dressed quiet; western chickens 10 @ 12; turkeys 16 @ 18; fowls 11 @ 14.

CALL MONEY IS UP AGAIN.

(By the Associated Press.) New York, April 9.—Call money loaned at 22 per cent shortly after the opening of the stock market today.

During the forenoon call loans were made as low as 16 per cent, but about noon they took an upward turn until the rate was 24 per cent.

Dr. Cozart's Death. Durham, N. C., April 9.—Dr. W. W. Cozart, an aged and honored citizen of Granville county, who lived near Dutchville, died suddenly Saturday afternoon while sitting in a rocking chair reading. It is thought.

About 3 o'clock Mrs. Cozart had gone with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Cozart, to the depot at Benehan. She left Dr. Cozart reading and apparently in as good health as usual. When she returned the book of papers that he was reading had fallen from his hand and he was leaning back in the chair dead. It is supposed that heart trouble was the cause of death.

He was seventy-two years of age, son of the late James C. Cozart, a large planter of Stem. Dr. Cozart was known throughout the county and had a large practice up to the time when he gave up some of it on account of his age.

The dead man was a brother-in-law of Mrs. J. Ed Lyon, formerly of this city, who now lives in High Point. He was twice married and by his first wife there is one living son, Bernard Cozart of Stem, and two sons and two daughters by the second wife, who was Miss Emma Lyon. These are Messrs. Carl and Pender Cozart; Miss Mabel Cozart of Grand Junction, Tenn.

The funeral took place at noon today. Dr. Cozart was a brother-in-law of Mrs. M. E. Beasley and uncle by marriage of Mrs. S. L. Rotter of this city.

BENNINGS RACES. Bennings, D. C., April 9.—First race—selling for 3 years old and up, 7 furlongs, Columbia course: Rehobate 3 1-2 to 1, and 8 to 5, won; Fiat 12 to 1 and 5 to 1 second; Delphi 16 to 5, third. Time 1:31 4-5.

Second race—for two year olds, 4 furlongs, old course: Al Powell 4 to 5 and out won; Nancy 8 to 5 and out, second; Mary Custis 13 to 1, third. Time 50 3-5.

NEGROES SAID TO BE GRADUALLY DYING OUT

(By the Associated Press.) Washington, April 9.—Dr. Noble Harris, professor of medicine in the University of Alabama at Mobile, talked to the president today about the ravages of consumption among the negroes of the south. He expressed the fear—and he added that his opinion was concurred in by the medical fraternity generally in the south—that the negro race was likely to become extinct in this country through the ravages of disease, especially consumption. Statistics showed, he declared, that the death rate among the members of the negro race in America was greater than the birth rate.

Rev. E. Y. Pool Coming. Rev. E. Y. Pool, pastor of the Baptist church at Sanford, has accepted a call to the Fayetteville Street Baptist church and will assume his duties May 1.

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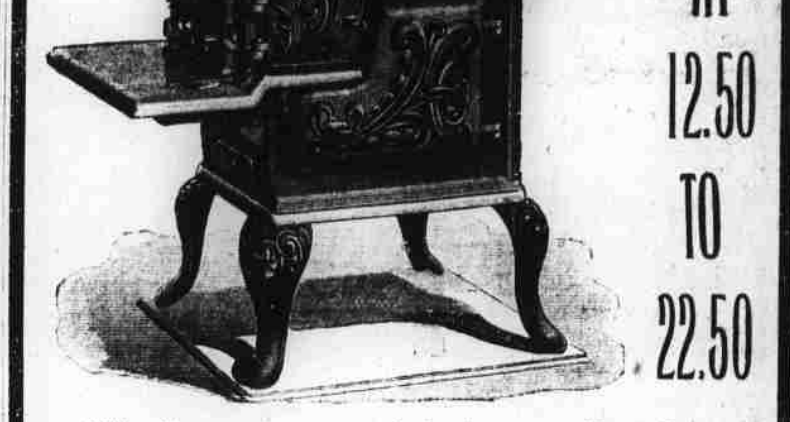
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