

MARKETS BY WIRE

STOCKS COTTON GRAIN PROVISIONS

COTTON PRICES FLUCTUATE.

Prices Only Two or Three Points Up From the Lowest at Midday

New York, Aug. 16.—The cotton market opened steady, at a decline of one point to an advance of one point. Big business on call. Sellers seemed rather more aggressive. Following private reports of showers in Texas, the active months broke to a net loss of nine and twelve points.

Liverpool was better than deerearly but declined sharply toward the hour of local opening, with later cables nine and a half and ten points lower. Private crop accounts received early were of rather bullish average, indicating rapid deterioration in south-western prospects but appeared to be offset by reported lower temperatures and showers.

The leading bull and trade interests came to the support of prices on the early break and with smaller traders nervous, prices rallied to nearly yesterday's closing figures. Continued reports of improved conditions in the southwest, together with continued southern selling orders, caused renewed weakness late in the afternoon. Prices were only 2 to 3 points up from the lowest at midday.

Hubbard's Cotton Letter.

New York, Aug. 16.—Cables this morning were weak owing to the serious situation arising from the labor troubles in Liverpool which have practically closed the Manchester mills from lack of ability to obtain new raw material. Our market weakened under the influence of these cables and reports of scattered showers in Texas but the market rallied fair support and was at no time active. If these showers in Texas continue and the crop there is relieved by the needed rain-fall we think the market will gradually work lower.

New York Cotton Letter.

New York, Aug. 15.—Reports of more favorable weather in the south-west seemed to be the main factor in today's market. The strong interest who, whether reactionists or bulls, are supposed to be working for higher prices have been unfortunate in development of such an acute labor situation in England at the very time when the circulation of less favorable crop accounts had come to the aid of their position, and the general feeling on the floor appears to be that recent buyers would be glad to liquidate their cotton, also that they have been forced to increase their holdings to a totally unanticipated aggregate, in order to maintain their position while waiting for a scare of shorts. With this the quite general view, and with the weather looking a little better, local bears were inclined to figure that some of the smaller of the recent buyers, at any rate, might waver, and at times selling was rather aggressive. More-over the south continues to sell here, and at one time during the early afternoon early new crop months were 11 to 13 points under the closing of yesterday. At the same time the detailed Texas weather report showed rains to have been less general than suggested by early private advices, and with a feeling that the English labor trouble might be settled overnight, sellers were cautious enough to take profits on declines and the market rallied to within 2 to 3 points of last night's closing figures in the late trading. Mobile quoted new crop cotton today at 11 1/2 cents.

Table with columns: Open, High, Low, Close. Rows for Aug., Sep., Oct., Nov., Dec., Jan., Feb., Mar., April, May, June, July.

Liverpool Cotton. Liverpool, Aug. 16.—Liverpool, due 13 1/2 lower on August and 5 1/2 to 6 1/2 lower on other months. Opened steady, four to five decline, 12 1/2 steady, 1 1/2 to 3 1/2 lower on near, 1/2 higher on balance. Later cables reported 1 1/2 decline from 12:15 p. m. Spot neglected 10 higher. Middling upland, 6.74. Sales, 1,000; all American. Imports, 2,009; no American.

Table with columns: Month, Price. Rows for August, August-September, September-October, October-November, November-December, December-January, January-February, February-March, March-April, April-May.

RALEIGH COTTON MARKET. (Reported Daily by Chas. E. Johnson & Son.) Good middling, 13 3-4. Strict middling, 13 5-8. Middling, 13 1-2.

New York Stock Market.

New York, Aug. 16.—The downward movement continued for some time in the afternoon further losses of about a point being sustained in a number of issues. This decline was followed by a moderate rally, and a steadier tone prevailed in the late trading. There has been very heavy liquidation in Erie for London account and it would seem possible that this was stock bought ten points higher some weeks ago when London was so bullish. We are great believers in Erie and think the stock very cheap on earnings and outlook.

There are a number of stores to account for the recent weakness in Union Pacific. Among these was that Mrs. Harriman was selling the estate stock, which however was denied. A great deal of stock sold today seems to be for Berlin account which would tend to confirm the rumors of the trouble there. It does not look as if the liquidation was completed, there is very little resiliency to the rallies. As yet they meet with sales of too much long stock. Sales 960,000.

Closing Stock Quotations.

Table with columns: Stock Name, Price. Rows for American Cotton Oil, American Smelt and Refining, Atlantic Coast Line, Brooklyn Rapid Transit, Baltimore & Ohio, New York Central, Chesapeake & Ohio, Erie, Missouri, Kansas & Texas, Missouri Pacific, Norfolk & Western, Northern Pacific, Ontario & Western, Pennsylvania, Louisville & Nashville, Rock Island, Reading, Southern Pacific, Southern Railway, St. Paul, Union Pacific, United States Steel, United States Steel, Virginia-Carolina Chemical.

Chicago Grain.

Table with columns: Wheat, Corn, Oats, Pork, Lard, Ribs. Rows for May, Dec., Sep., Jan., Feb., Mar., April, May, June, July.

Naval Stores.

Savannah, Aug. 16.—Turpentine, firm, 52 1/2 @ 53 1/2. Rosin, firm, type E, 6.47 1/2; G, 6.45.

IN PRAISE OF RURAL GUARDS.

American Instructor Pleased With Result of Task in Cuba. Washington, Aug. 16.—Capt. Frank Parker of the regular army, detailed as instructor of the rural guard of Cuba, arrived in Washington today and gave his military associates eulogistic reports of the progress made by the rurales. It was the rural guard that made quick work of the recent "revolution" in Cuba, rounding up the leaders and dispersing their forces. Capt. Parker said the guard now consists of 5,000 well-trained and disciplined men, capable of handling any situation coming within the scope of their duties. The splendid co-operation of the officers and men, he added, had made his tasks of instruction easy.

TWO AEROPLANE ACCIDENTS.

Two Deaths Yesterday at Chicago—Various Causes Assigned. Chicago, Aug. 16.—Various reasons are advanced to explain the accidents in which St. Croix Joinsone and William R. Badger, aviators, met death yesterday. Horace Wild, the aviation committee's field captain, gave out a statement that Badger was killed as the result of trying to veplane without shutting down his motor. Veplans means turning the planes so the machine will descend. Johnston's fate was due to excessive air pressure in the gas tank.

Warrants for Members of Coatesville Mob.

Coatesville, Pa., Aug. 16.—Stirred to action by the criticism of leading citizens because of delay in arresting those known to have been implicated in lynching the Walker negro, Sunday night, nine additional warrants were sworn out this morning. Coatesville remains quite. Affairs have assumed a normal state.

Chief Killed by Assassin

(Continued From Page One.) Chief of Police White was about 36 years old and leaves a wife and four children, besides several brothers to mourn his death. He was considered a very capable officer and his place will be hard to fill satisfactorily. The funeral will be held tomorrow.

In Annual Convention.

(Continued From Page One.) can lay double tracks, thus improving the service by allowing a faster schedule. The streets on which the widening is proposed are Montford avenue, Morrison avenue and Charlotte street.

The Buncombe county commissioners held a special meeting Monday for the purpose of deciding whether to borrow \$50,000 to improve the roads of the county which was requested by a committee appointed at a mass meeting held to discuss the matter some days ago. The board decided not to borrow the money at this time but the members agreed to have the work done on the roads by convicts or by hired labor.

In the circuit court of the United States the trial of the case of United States vs. Hiawasee Lumber Company is now going on, having begun yesterday afternoon. The government is suing the lumber company for the possession of 5,000 acres of timber lands in Clay county which was formerly owned by the Cherokee Indians. The government claims the land under title from a man named Olmstead who obtained the grant to the land in the year 1861 to the sum of \$625. It is alleged that he sold the land to Levi Stevens of Washington in the year 1869 and that it was then sold to the United States in 1869. At that time it was in Cherokee county and the government and Stevens conveyed a tract of many thousands of acres in which the 5,000 acre tract was included.

The defendants claim the land under a different title. Apparently there is a lappage, both parties buying tracts parts of which covered the same territory.

PETR BREAKS SILENCE.

Artilleryman Admits Being Austrian But Denies He is a Spy. New York, Aug. 16.—Private Geo. Petr, of the United States artilleryman, has broken the silence he maintained since Miss Anita Dyer's Indianapolis, accused him of being a spy employed by Austria and told his story. Petr admits that he is an Austrian, but denies he is a spy. He declares he is not afraid of the investigation undertaken by the war department on the strength of Miss Dyer's affidavit. "I am, perhaps, guilty of an indiscretion," Petr is quoted as saying today. "When I told Miss Dyer I was Prince Windsch-Graetz, which means 'Prince Windy Bags,' I did so as a joke."

The artilleryman, who is at Fort Totten, L. I., said he was born in Husin, on the Bohemian frontier, and that he came to this country in 1907 and immediately enlisted under his right name. He asserted that he had confessed to Miss Dyer that the spy story was a fabrication and apologized for deceiving her. "I do not think she harbors the slightest ill feeling toward me," he added.

HOT WAVE IN EUROPE.

Germany is Sweltering and Big Forest Fires are Raging. Berlin, August, 16.—The hot wave has claimed many victims. Yesterday the hottest day since the establishment of the weather bureau in 1848. The local observatory reported 89 degrees Fahrenheit in the shade, but the shade temperature in the streets was about 97 degrees. At Frankfurt-on-the-Main it was 95 degrees.

In this city 34 cases of sunstroke, four of them fatal were reported. A cab driver became insane from the heat. Several fires due to spontaneous combustion occurred. A number of forest fires broke out in the vicinity. A great conflagration is raging on the moors at the Belgo-German frontier. Soldiers of both countries are fighting the fire.

FEET CAUSES HIS ARREST.

Alleged "Barefooted Burglar" Identified by His Tracks. Newport News, Va., Aug. 16.—In the arrest today of Charles Lewis, alias Thomas Duncan, a burly negro, the police believe they have at least captured the famous "barefooted cigarette smoking" burglar who has been operating here, in Norfolk, Portsmouth, Hampton, Franklin, and Richmond for the four years past. His arrest in Ivy avenue followed the robbing of two homes in East End early this morning. The burglar left barefoot tracks, and Lewis' feet fitted them.

MACHINE FACTION ALARMED.

Martin and Swanson Followers Meet To Devise Campaign Strategy. Petersburg, Va., Aug. 16.—Reports of alarming growth of antimachine sentiment in Chesterfield county caused the Martin-Swanson leaders of Chesterfield and Petersburg to hold a caucus at the Cameron farm in the country, where the situation was discussed and plans devised to check the fast developing strength of Jones and Glass.

It is said there is considerable unrest in Chesterfield county, especially in the upper end. Of the other counties surrounding Petersburg, Dinwiddie is the machine stronghold. Prince George is said to be on the verge of a revolt, while Amelia shows some unrest, some of the machine candidates for local and state offices having gone to defeat in recent elections.

POSTOFFICES ARE RETAINED.

Two Offices Ordered Discontinued—The Order Changed—Political Gossip. Washington, Aug. 16.—The order issued by the Postoffice Department some time ago discontinuing the postoffices at Falkland and Bruce in Pitt County have been revoked. Representative John H. Small called on Postmaster General Hitchcock today and succeeded in having the offices continued.

The order discontinuing the offices is in like with the "economy" policy which Mr. Hitchcock has been following for the past three years. People in rural districts are beginning to think that Mr. Hitchcock's plan is being worked a little too hard and that they are the ones to suffer. Although thousands of dollars have been appropriated for rural routes the Postmaster General has refused to have them established. It now appears that he is going to close hundreds of small postoffices in order that he may save a few dollars at the expense and inconvenience of the people who live in small towns.

Mr. Small has been in his district for two weeks attending Farmers Institute meetings. He reports fine crops and says that the farmers are in a prosperous condition. When asked about the senatorial contest, Mr. Small said that he was too busy to hear or talk politics.

The chances for S. E. Marshall's nomination being confirmed as postmaster at Mt. Airy during the present session of congress are very remote. Senator Overman received a telegram from Mt. Airy today saying the further changes against Mr. Marshall were being sent to Washington and asked that the confirmation be withheld until they arrived. It was also stated that Senator Bourne, chairman of the senate postoffice committee has asked the Postoffice Department to send an inspector to Mt. Airy to make a thorough investigation of the charges filed against Mr. Marshall. It is so done there is hardly a chance for his nomination being confirmed before December when the regular session begins. Mr. Marshall is in Washington and expects to remain here until congress adjourns unless favorable action is taken on his nomination.

Senator La Follette is making a hard fight to have the cotton bill voted on before the present session adjourns. In this he is opposed by Senators Simmons, Overman and Smith, of South Carolina. It is a well known fact that President Taft will veto the cotton bill as soon as it is sent to the executive office. The Democrats who are opposing the passage of the bill, contend that it is useless to waste time in passing a bill that is known will meet with the President's veto the minute he gets it. And, too, they contend that it is not wise to pass legislation of so great importance without giving those affected an opportunity to be heard before the senate finance committee. Senator Overman will make a speech, perhaps today, in which he will ask that a vote on the cotton bill be postponed.

ZIONISTS CHANGE RULES.

College of Seven Will Manage the Movement in Future. Basel, Switzerland, Aug. 16.—The Zionist congress believing that the retirement of David Wolffsohn as president of the organization offered an opportunity for changes in the rule and statutes of the organization, decided today that a college composed of seven members henceforth shall manage the Zionist movement. There was some criticism at today's meeting by delegates of the management of the Jewish Colonial Trust in London. Delegate Shyne, of Toronto, offered financial assistance for the opening of a branch of the Colonial Trust in Canada, but no decision as to whether his offer will be accepted was reached. The insurgent Chicago Zionist organization, the Knights of Zion, has been recognized by the congress and will remain independent from the American Federation. The congress passed a resolution favoring the fusion of associations of women Zionists. After the elections tomorrow the congress will come to an end.

NOTICE

North Carolina—Wake County. In the Superior Court. Before the Clerk. North State Hyde-Electric Company vs. Isabella O. Walters, Anna Dickson and husband, F. M. Dickson, Mary Dickson and husband, Wm. Dickson, Harry N. Walters and wife, Lallah Walters, Lydia Rogers, Robert P. Walters and wife, Lula Walters, Lou Pritchard and husband, G. T. Pritchard, Nellie Powell and husband, Paul Powell and Bessie Walters, Mary Walters, Helen Walters, Wm. Walters, Robert Walters, and Katherine Walters.

The defendants, Robert P. Walters and wife, Lula Walters, Lou Pritchard and husband, G. T. Pritchard, Nellie Powell and husband, Paul Powell and Bessie Walters, Mary Walters, Helen Walters, William Walters, Robert Walters and Katherine Walters, above named, will take notice that a proceeding entitled as above, has been commenced before the Clerk of the Superior Court of Wake County for the condemnation of an easement and right of way for electric lines, under Chapter 32, Revised of 1905, across the lands of the defendants, situate in Wake Forest township, Wake County, North Carolina; and that said defendants will further take notice that they are required to appear before the clerk of the Superior Court of Wake County at his office in the courthouse on Thursday, September 7, 1911, at 12 o'clock m., and answer or demur to the petition in said action or the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in said petition. This the 7th day of August, 1911. MILLARD MIAL, Clerk Superior Court. 9-16-23-30 and sept 6th.

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GUESTS FIND WEDDING OFF.

Society Marriage in Baltimore Is Abandoned at Last Minute. Baltimore, Aug. 16.—Of a wedding that didn't happen and of guests who arrived at the home of Dr. Randolph Winslow, 1900 Mount Royal Terrace, to be told that the marriage of his daughter, Mary Fayssoux, to J. Merriweather Shellman was off—such is the gossip today in Baltimore and Westminster society.

The engagement was announced on August 5th, and the wedding was set for last Saturday. The invitations were recalled at the last minute some of those who had been invited not learning of the change in plans until they had arrived at the house. When asked about the matter today, Mrs. Winslow said: "That is something I do not care to talk about. I am the mother of several sons and I would not want to say anything. I shall refer you to Mr. Shellman's people."

Inquiry at the office of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, where Mr. Shellman is employed in the paymaster's department, was rewarded with the information that the young man was away on his vacation. When he would be back seemed to be a mystery.

Both the Winslow and the Shellman families are the best which Baltimore and Westminster can show on their social rosters. For this reason the sudden news that the wedding between Miss Winslow and Mr. Shellman was off came as a surprise.

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