

# MARKETS BY WIRE

COTTON STOCKS GRAIN PROVISIONS

### New York Cotton Letter.

New York, March 18.—The low barometer which on Saturday seemed to be working toward the cotton belt passed off northward, leaving the South generally clear and today's map suggests clear weather for next two or three days. Our market opened 5 to 9 points lower. Apprehension of possible European political complications, or of a strike in the anthracite mines, to gether with private advices reporting that it might be some time before the English strike was settled, caused considerable realizing, particularly by Wall street and the South. Leading bulls gave no support of consequence, but there was enough scattered demand to impart a steady undertone although in the last half hour the market weakened and sold 11 to 15 points under the closing figures of Saturday. Bearish sentiment appears to have gained strength today owing to the better weather in the South. Meanwhile sellers of contracts must operate below a parity with the Southern spot markets, which is a situation likely to cause more or less caution.

Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Jan. . . . . 10.55	10.61	10.49	10.49
Feb. . . . . 10.40	10.40	10.29	10.28
Mar. . . . . 10.10	10.40	10.29	10.28
Apr. . . . . 10.37	10.37	10.31	10.25
May . . . . . 10.43	10.44	10.33	10.33
Jun. . . . . 10.51	10.51	10.44	10.44
Jul. . . . . 10.49	10.52	10.45	10.44
Aug. . . . . 10.49	10.51	10.40	10.40
Sep. . . . . 10.53	10.59	10.46	10.46
Oct. . . . . 10.53	10.59	10.46	10.46
Nov. . . . . 10.58	10.66	10.53	10.48
Dec. . . . . 10.58	10.66	10.53	10.48

The market closed barely steady.

### Chicago Grain and Provisions.

Chicago, Ill., March 18.—Wheat strong; cables gave us a firm opening but the advance met with very heavy offerings, market selling off half a cent. Large receipts at primary points, the bearish factor.

Buying around 101 by commission houses checked decline and market turned firm on shorts covering.

Visible expected show about 1,250,000 decrease.

Corn and oats showing strength after weak opening. Warmer weather over country is the bearish factor, but receipts are likely to fall off from now and this causing shorts to cover.

Provisions holding firm notwithstanding large hog receipts. Some buying of ribs and lard thought to be for packers.

WHEAT—	Open.	High.	Close.
Dec. . . . .	1.01 1/4	1.02	1.01 1/4
May . . . . .	.97 1/2	.98 1/2	.98 1/2
July . . . . .	.95 1/2	.96 1/2	.95 1/2
CORN—	Open.	High.	Close.
Dec. . . . .	.69 1/2	.70 1/2	.70 1/2
May . . . . .	.70	.71 1/2	.71
July . . . . .	.70 1/2	.71 1/2	.71 1/2
OATS—	Open.	High.	Close.
Dec. . . . .	.52 1/2	.53 1/2	.52 1/2
May . . . . .	.48 3/4	.48 3/4	.48 3/4
July . . . . .	.41 1/2	.42	.41 1/2
POPK—	Open.	High.	Close.
Jan. . . . .	16.62	16.20	16.20
May . . . . .	16.30	16.47	16.45
LARD—	Open.	High.	Close.
Jan. . . . .	9.12	9.17	9.17
May . . . . .	9.60	9.67	9.67
REBS—	Open.	High.	Close.
Jan. . . . .	9.02	9.07	9.05
May . . . . .	9.05	9.17	9.15

## The Outlaws Not Captured.

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nodded approval and then went quietly to the little room to weigh the evidence. Dexter Goad, the court clerk, his head bandaged and still showing the effects of his injuries, was the first witness.

He read the names of the following against whom true bills were presented:

Floyd Allen, Victor Allen, Claude Swanson Allen (named for United States Senator Swanson of Virginia), Sidna Allen, Friel Allen, Wesley Edwards and Bud Marion. Each was indicted on four separate counts.

There was also an indictment against John P. Moore, who assisted the Allens to escape.

With the thanks of the court the jury was dismissed and then Judge Staples announced that the case would be called for trial on March 26. S. Floyd Landreth, the acting commonwealth's attorney, is a leading republican and a delegate from the Fifth district to the National Republican convention. He does not want the office to which he was appointed yesterday but will do his part toward retribution. "I would not take it but for the crime," he said, "and I expect to see this thing through and then retire."

### Battle Expected.

(Special to The Times.)

Mount Airy, N. C., March 18.—The Allens are supposed to be in hiding in the mountains, with plenty of ammunition and friends to aid them in resisting arrest. More than forty detectives are on the scene and have been reinforced by half a dozen from this side.

On yesterday the detectives located four blockade distilleries in the mountains and found a hundred gallons of whiskey at Floyd Allen's home. Devil's Den, supposed to be the hiding place of torques during the revolutionary war, is said to be the base of supplies and a battle is hourly expected.

One of the outlaws, Edwards, was seen yesterday by detectives but knowledge of surroundings enabled him to elude the officers. Hillsville is full of newspaper men and detectives and the county is in a state of excitement.

Sidna Allen, when leaving home for the mountains, selected a spot for his grave declaring he would never be taken alive. The Allens did not break in a store here, as reported, for the police have located the robbers, who reside in this city.

### Conference With Governor.

Richmond, March 18.—An important conference, involving probably the sending of troops to Hillsville to aid in the search for the court-room assassins, was held in Governor Mann's office, Judge Walter Staples, of Ronoque, who has been occupying the Hillsville bench since Judge Massie's death, came here from Hillsville unannounced and went immediately into conference with the Governor. The chief of the detective agency engaged in the man hunt also attended the conference.

### Devil's Den.

Charlotte, March 18.—Devil's Den, at the crest of the Blue Ridge Mountains, where the Allen gang of outlaws are reported to be concealed, is probably the most inaccessible point in the entire range of mountains. The large cliff that forms the natural cave and fortification is owned by Robert Harris, a brother-in-law of Sidna Allen, who lives within 200 yards of the mouth of the cave on the side of the mountain. The den is frequently visited by summer tourists, who stop at a mountain resort two miles distant which is owned and operated by Cicero Mitchell, Sidna Allen's father-in-law. On the road leading from Mount Airy, N. C., to Hillsville, Va., not more than three miles from Devil's Den, is the home of Floyd Allen, who is now in Hillsville jail and for whom the outlaw band killed the court officers of Carroll county.

Beyond Robert Harris' home, a distance of probably a mile from the mouth of the cave, Victor Allen, another brother and member of the Allen clan, has his home; a little way apart from this spot, and not over a mile apart are the homes of Garland and Jack Allen.

The approaches to the Devil's Den lie in two directions and are guarded by huge rocks, forming a veritable fortress behind which a handful of men with guns might defy an entire regiment for days. The mouth of the cave is not over twenty feet square and leads into a natural corridor extending back into the mountains some distance to a large opening or chamber-like room.

In this opening is a fine spring of water flowing from a rock which would supply the necessary water for a hundred people indefinitely. On two sides of the den are solid rock cliffs running to a height of from fifty to 100 feet which could not be scaled by man with any degree of safety. Toward the opening, persons concealed behind the great rocks can with the aid of field glasses see people on the streets of Mount Airy.

**Judge Appointed.**

Richmond, March 18.—Archibald A. Campbell, of Wytelville, was appointed by Governor Mann to fill the unexpired term of Judge Massie as presiding judge of the 21st judicial district which includes Hillsville. Campbell will accept and proceed to Hillsville immediately.

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### JEWELRY AGENT HELD UP

\$3,000 Worth of Valuables Recovered, but Robbers Keep Cash.

Butler, Pa., March 18.—Tracked by bloodhounds and a posse to a vacant miners' hut at Kayser, 20 miles north of here, four masked men, who held up R. R. McKee, a Chicago jewelry salesman, near Parker, late Wednesday night, escaped in the forest, but a mittense containing \$3,000 worth of jewelry was found in the building. The highwaymen obtained \$500 in cash from McKee. McKee had hired a rig at Chicora to drive to Parker. On his way home, near midnight, he was attacked on the road by masked men. While one man held his horse the others overpowered him after they fired several shots, and took his stock of jewelry and money. McKee drove hurriedly to Chicora when released and gave the alarm.

Chief of Police W. W. Rider and a posse took up the trail with bloodhounds. They found a revolver at the side of the road near the point where McKee was held up, and the bloodhounds took the trail. The scent led the dogs to the hut, but the highwaymen had fled before the posse arrived at 3 o'clock this morning, and at that time the hounds could not get the trail. The state police from the Butler barracks will take up the chase in the morning.

The salesman accuses the trio of being regulars and the police believe the highwaymen are men who were aware of his custom.

### LONDON PAPER SOUNDS ALARM

London, March 18.—The Telegraph prints the following remarkable note under the title of "Policies of Europe."

"In diplomatic circles the European situation is giving rise to considerable anxiety. It is understood that the possibility of an acute crisis is already engaging the attention of more than one of the great powers."

The paragraph appears on the editorial page, and is calculated to arouse considerable speculation. Nothing in the paper's editorials or dispatches contains any definite peg upon which to hang such an alarming statement, though the deadlock into Franco-Spanish negotiations over Morocco and Russia's reported arrangement with Italy for the coercion of Turkey, the alleged development in regard to which created a momentary panic on the Vienna Bourse yesterday, are both situations fraught with uneasiness.

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### Liverpool Cotton.

Liverpool, March 18.—Liverpool due 1 1/2 to 2 1/2 up. Opened quiet, 1/2 to 1 1/2 higher. At 12:15 the market was quiet, 1 lower to 1 1/2 higher. Spot cotton moderate demand, 2 lower. Middling uplands 6.11d. Sales, 19,000; American, 5,000; imports, 22,000, all American.

### RALEIGH COTTON TODAY.

(Quoted by Barbee & Co.)

Good middling—10 3/4.  
Strict middling—10 11/16.  
Middling—10 1/4.  
Low grades—9 to 10.  
Receipts, 100 bales.

### Naval Stores.

Savannah, March 18.—Turpentine firm 48 1/2-2 a 48 3/4, rosin firm, types F and G, 7.00.

### New York Stock Letter.

New York, March 18.—The opening was quiet but steady except Illinois Central which started off half a point. Later stocks advanced briskly but there was a good deal of profit-taking on the advance. Missouri Pacific was a strong feature and looks like accumulation. Discant made a new high record selling at 151 1/2-2. In the early afternoon the general market was strong and in the last hour strength and activity increased all day and the best prices of the day were near the close. Sales 531,000.

### Closing Stock Quotations.

American Cotton Oil	50 1/2
American Car and Foundry	55 1/2
Anacosta Mining Co.	40 1/2
Atchafalaya	106 1/2
Amer. Smelting and Refining	76 1/2
Atlantic Coast Line	128 1/2
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	80 1/2
Baltimore & Ohio	104 1/2
Amalgamated Copper	73 1/2
New York Central	113
Chesapeake & Ohio	76 1/2
Eric	37
Great Northern, pfd.	133 1/2
Missouri, Kansas & Texas	28 1/2
Missouri Pacific	44 1/2
Norfolk & Western	109
Northern Pacific	129 1/2
Ontario & Western	37 1/2
Pennsylvania	124 1/2
Louisville & Nashville	156
Rock Island	25 1/2
Repub. Iron and Steel	21
Reading	155 1/2
Southern Pacific	109 1/2
Southern Railway	29 1/2
Southern Railway, pfd.	74 1/2
St. Paul	108 1/2
Union Pacific	168 1/2
United States Steel	66 1/2
United States Steel, pfd.	111 1/2
Virginia-Carolina Chemical	53 1/2

### Cotton Seed Oil.

March	5.58@5.60
April	5.64@5.66
May	5.67@5.69
June	5.71@5.73
July	5.78@5.79
August	5.87@5.88
September	5.92@5.94
October	5.88@5.90

Market, steady. Sales, 10,800.

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