

Market Review, Marine and Weather News

COTTON. New York, Nov. 2.—The cotton market showed a steadier tone early today. The firmer ruling of the stock market was considered an encouraging feature, while Washington advices were rather more optimistic as to...

NEW ORLEANS COTTON. New Orleans, Nov. 2.—Bearish developments in other markets caused a drop of 24 to 39 points around the opening in cotton here today, but good...

NEW YORK SPOT COTTON. New York, Nov. 1.—Cotton: Spot quiet; middling uplands 23.75. No sales.

LIVERPOOL COTTON. Liverpool, Nov. 1.—Cotton closing: spot in improved demand; prices firm; good middling 22.27; middling 21.62; low middling 21.12; good ordinary 20.77; ordinary 19.67.

COTTON SEED OIL. New York, Nov. 1.—Cotton seed oil closed steady. Sales 3,800. Prime summer yellow 18.50; November 18.50 and 19.00; December 18.30 to 59; January 18.30 to 40; February 18.50 to 35; March 18.20 to 40.

WILMINGTON NAVAL STORES. Spirits—48 1-4. Rosin—N. D. Tar—\$3.50 and 16c. Crude—\$4.00, \$3.

CHICAGO GRAIN. Grain and provisions prices follows: Open Close CORN—December 1.17 3-4 1.17 1-4

WILMINGTON NAVAL STORES. Receipts: Cotton 294. Oats were easy, owing to the downward turn in corn. Upward jumps in hog prices carried provisions higher.—Demand, though, was light.

Ruptured People. You can get a good suitable truss, carefully fitted and guaranteed to retain any case of rupture at Thompson & Bentz, 310 City Hall avenue, near Bank street, Norfolk, Va.

LOCAL MARKETS. WHOLESALE PRICES. Eggs 42c. Butter, per lb. Country 30c. Spring chickens, apiece 35c@40c. Grown chickens, apiece 60c@65c. Puddle Ducks, apiece 50c@55c. Guinea, apiece 35c. Beef 12-18c. Irish Potatoes, Jersey Joint, 10, pk. bags 44.00. N. C. Hams, pound 26@27c. N. C. Shoulders and Ribs, lb. 25@26c. Cabbage, (100 lbs.) 11.50. Hides, Green 30c. Wool, free of bur 55c. Corn, bushel 72.75. Bee's Wax 15c. Salted Hides 11c. Tallow 11c. Wool, clean 70-78. Wool, burr 45@50c. Spanish Onions, the crate 11.75. Onions 2 bu. bags, Silverskin 44.40. Onions 2 bu. bags Red 42.25.

WARNING ISSUED TO FOOD DEALERS Unless They Get Licenses, They May Get in Serious Difficulty. (By The Associated Press) Washington, Nov. 2.—License restrictions today were imposed on the nation's manufacturers and distributors of staple food commodities in an effort by the food administration to regulate the war time supply and eliminate profiteering abuses.

NEGRO SOLDIERS PLACED ON TRIAL. Court Martial Proceedings Against 64 Who Shot Up Houston. (By Associated Press.) San Antonio, Texas, Nov. 1.—Trial by court martial of the 64 negro enlisted men of the 24th United States Infantry, charged with mutiny and murder, in connection with rioting in Houston, Texas, on the night of August 23 last, in which 22 persons were killed, began today at Fort Sam Houston here.

EIGHT KILLED. (By Associated Press.) London, Nov. 2.—Eight persons were killed and 21 others were injured in the German air raid last night, according to an official statement issued today by the British war department.

STAGE OF WATER. Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville, N. C., at 8 a. m. yesterday, 15.7 feet.

STOCKS. New York, Nov. 2.—Prices rebounded vigorously at the opening of today's stock market as a result of the curb placed on short selling by the authorities of the exchange. United States Steel, yesterday's weakest feature, opened with a single lot of 20,000 shares at 98 1-2 to 97, a maximum overnight gain of 4 5-8 points. Advances of 2 to 4 points were made by other steels, coppers, equipment and shippings. Baltimore and Ohio led the rails, rising 4 1-2 points. N. & W. rose 4, Canadian Pacific and St. Paul 3 1-2 and Chesapeake and Ohio three. Many of these gains were materially shaded before the end of the first half hour.

PRICES ON STOCK MARKET CRUMBLED. Minimum Prices for from Five to 20 Years Quoted Today. (By The Associated Press) New York, Nov. 2.—Prices crumbled again in the stock market today, shares of recognized value as well as speculative issues falling to lowest levels of the year. In several notable instances prices of the forenoon reported minimum quotations of 5 to 20 years.

WEATHER REPORTS. Temperatures. WEATHER at 8 a. m. Yesterday's High, Night, Lowest, 24-Hour Precipitation. Asheville, cloudy 46 32 .0. Atlanta, cloudy 54 36 .08. Charleston, clear 62 44 .0. Charlotte, cloudy 58 34 .0. Chicago, cloudy 58 34 .0. Galveston, clear 72 54 .0. Jacksonville, clear 64 46 .0. New Orleans, clear 68 48 .0. New York, clear 46 34 .0. Pittsburgh, snowing 36 28 .0. Raleigh, clear 54 34 .0. St. Louis, clear 42 32 .0. Washington, clear 50 50 .0. Wilmington, pt. cldy 62 39 .0.

GOLD FOR FOOD CONSERVERS. American Bank Offers of Prizes Awarded by Committee. The three prizes in gold offered by the American Bank and Trust Company, to those who would enter the contest in food conservation last summer, were to be awarded today by a special committee, Messdames Annie P. Pretlow and George Grant; Messrs. J. A. McNorton and J. P. Herring, this committee being named by Mr. W. A. McGirt, chairman of the New Harbor Food Commission, at the request of Mr. Thos. E. Cooper, president of the bank, that offered the prizes.

TEN THOUSAND OIL WORKERS WALK OUT. (By The Associated Press) Houston, Tex., Nov. 1.—According to strike leaders here, fully 10,000 workers in 16 oil producing fields of Texas and Louisiana went out at midnight, and at 7 o'clock this morning, general strikers said official notification had been received that every union went out "a hundred per cent. strong."

RHEUMATISM. Physician Believes a Genuine Remedy for the Disease Has Been Found. Rheuma, the wonderful rheumatism remedy sold by R. R. Bellamy and all druggists, gives quicker and more lasting relief than other remedies costing many times as much.

STOMACH Out of Fix? 'Phone your grocer or druggist for a dozen bottles of this delicious digestant, a glass with meals gives delightful relief, no charge for the first dozen used. Shivar Ale. PURE DIGESTIVE AROMATICS WITH SHIVAR MINERAL WATER AND GINGER. Nothing like it for renovating old worn out stomachs, converting food into rich blood and sound flesh.

STRIKE SITUATION SEEMS NO NEARER AN ADJUSTMENT. Both Sides Marking Time, Each Awaiting Next Move by Other. REPLY ISSUED BY THE STRIKE LEADERS. Circular Issued Thursday Brings Out an Answer—Railroad Announces Return of Few Men.

There is practically no change in the strike situation today, the Coast Line giving out no further statement other than that several more clerks had applied for their positions and had been reinstated. General McWade, government representative, and Mr. James J. Forrester, grand president of the railway clerks' union, left last night for Washington, to consult with government officials. It is understood that they will discuss the strike with the National Council of Defense.

Mr. P. R. Albright, general manager of the Atlantic Coast Line, left the city yesterday, though his destination was not made public. Mr. Colvin, representative of the American Federation of Labor, who has been here for several days, is still in the city and is handling the situation of the striking clerks. Mr. Colvin issued a statement today in reply to the petition which is being circulated for the purpose of stopping the strike. The reply is published herewith in full.

Only Half a Prophet. Lord Macaulay foresaw the day when a multitude of people in the State of New York will have only half a breakfast and expect only half a dinner. But if he had been a real prophet he could have seen the people of England begging the people of New York to send them both breakfast and dinner.—Florida Times-Union.

Save—Save—new investment series Carolina B. & L. Assn opens tomorrow at 123 Princess. 50c share weekly. Matures \$100.00 3 1/2 years.—adv.

NEW ARRIVALS. We have just received some of the newest and most desirable styles in Ladies' Novelty Shoes. Brown, Patent, with Ivory Kid Top, A to C width \$9.00. Champagne Kid, Cloth Top to match, A to C widths \$8.50. Light Grey Kid, Cloth Top to match, A to C widths \$8.50. Havana Brown Kid Lace. Louis Heel, AA to D, widths \$9.50. Dark Brown, Black and low and medium walking shoes. \$6.00 to \$8.50. Wilmington Shoe Company. Wilmington's Best Shoe Store.

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In Moving Our Stock of Clothing and Gents' Furnishings a Few Days Ago, We Found That We Were Greatly Overstocked With—Men's Sweaters and Boys' Suits. In order to get these out quick to make room for other goods, we are selling them at greatly reduced rates. Men's Sweaters from \$1.00 Up. Boys' Suits from ... \$3.50 Up. L. W. DAVIS & CO. Inc. 18 South Front Street.

BRINGING UP FATHER BY McMANIS. LOOK-MAGGIE-I BOUGHT A PILLOW FOR MY CHAIR- OH! THAT'S TOO NICE TO USE -I'M GOING TO PUT IT IN THE CEDAR CHEST! BY GOLLY - EVERY THING I'VE GOT WORTH WHILE SHE LOCKS UP IN THE CEDAR CHEST- DID YOU SEE MY PRETTY CAT AROUND HERE? YES-THAT CAT IS TOO NICE TO BE AROUND - O-U!! SO I PUT HIM IN THE CEDAR CHEST-