Market Review, Marine and Weather News

Charleston spot 32 1-2 Norfolk spot 32.00

NEW YORK COTTON.

again early today. Liverpool was months showed advances of 15 to 25 net lower and into new low ground, for the movement. Trade interests seemed to be buying considerable cot- proximated 200,000 shares. ion at the declines, while the rallies fluctuations were virtually irregular 4s at 96.72 to 96.80. after the call with no particular news feature or change of sentiment in av- American Beet Sugar idence around the ring. Preliminary. reports to a local authority indicate increases of from 10 to 50 per cent. in acreage in Alabama and Mississippl and a decrease of probably five to in per cent. in Tennessee.

Cetton	close	d firr	n.			
G-17-30-0-0-1			High	Low	Close	١
May			26.65	26.02	26.60	
July			26.67	25.90	26.41	١
October			25.98	25.40	25.80	١
December			25.75	25.25	25.58	١
January	** *		25.60	25 .00	25.47	١
			2000	<u></u> .	222 4	

NEW YORK SPOT COTTON. New York, April 26.-Spot cotton, quie: middling 28.15.

NEW ORLEANS COTTON.

New Orleans, April 26.-Nervous and wide fluctuations marked the early trading in cotton here today. On the opening call active months rose 25 to 31 points but met heavy selling. A sharp break carried the trading months 28 to 35 points below vesterday's close but an equally sharp recovery wiped out all of the loss. the market standing about net unchanged at the end of the first half

Cotton closed steady at an advance of 26 to 39 points.

					High.	Low.	Close.
May					. 26.25	25.57	26.29
July					 . 25.66	24.80	25.44
Octo	ber				 24.95	24.18	24.75
							24.55
Janu	ary				 24.28	24.28	24.45
25=		_ =					2020.00

NEW ORLEANS SPOT COTTON. New Orleans, April 26.—Spot cotton nominal and unchanged. Sales Northern Pacific 821-2 on the spot 80, to arrive none. Low Ohio Cities Gas 38 1-2 middling 28.50; middling 30.50; good middling 31.75.

LIVERPOOL COTTON.

Liverpool, April 26.-Cotton, spot, quiet; prices lower; good ordinary Sinclair Oil & Refining (bid) .. 27 3-8 22.30; middling 21.78; low middling Southern Pacific 82 5.8 Receipts 19,000 bales, including 3,700 American. Futures closed steady New contracts: April 22.20; May 21.65; June 21.30; July 20.92; August

Old contracts (fixed prices): April 20.93; April-May 20.85; May-June 20.77; June-July 20.69.

WEATHER REFORT

Stage of Water.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville. N. C., at 8 a. m., yesterday, 11.5 feet and falling. Saturday.

Bun Sets 7:52

5.15.已在在最后表面最后的量

	Ter	pera	ture.
WEATHER	Highest	Lowest	24-Hour
	Yesterday	Last Night	Precipitation

| Another Loan to Books | Anot .04 total borrowings from the United

erty Day." The market gave further Grown chickens 70 to 90 proof of underlying firmness however. market was nervous and unsettled although interest centered mainly in Beef (dressed) 13 to 14c, uable service for which their trainspeculative issues at advances of one better than due and the opening here to three and a half points. Peoples as 14 to 40 points higher on covering, with both May and July sell-ering, with b Rails were again ignored, with moder Cabbage, 100 lbs. (scarce) . . .\$4.50 tivities and responsibilities of our sermonths showed advances of 15 to 25 at at strength in Reading and Pacifics. Hides, green 17c vice have steadily increased, it is a

met liquidation or local pressure and first 4s at 96.68 to 96.78, and second Peanuts, Spanish, dull.....\$2.25

1	American Beet Sugar 73
	American Can 4414
	American Car & Foundry 783-
	American Locomotive 643-
	American Linseed 331-
	American Linseed 33 1- American Smelt, & Refining 77 1-
1	American Sugar104
	American T. & T 981-
	Anaconda Copper 63 3-
	Atchison 83
	Atl., Gulf & W. Indies 107 1-
	Baldwin Locomotive 80 7-
	Baltimore & Ohio 513-
	Baltimore & Ohio 51 3- Bethlehem Steel "B" 79 5-
	Canadian Pacific138
	Central Leather 65 3-
	Chesapeake & Ohio (bid) 55 1-
	Chi., Mil. & St. Paul (bid) 373-
	Chi., R. I. & Pac 181
	Chino Copper 42 1
	Colorado Fuel & Iron 40 1-
	Corn Products 38 3-
2	Crucible Steel 65
	Cuba Cane Sugar 28 5-
	Erie (bid) 14 1-
	General Electric (bid)140
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	Creat Northern Pfd XXD.
)	Great North Ore Ctfs 29 1
٠	Illinois Central (bid) 95 1-
	Inspiration Copper 52 1-
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Int. Mer. Marine 23 1-2

Int. Mer. Marine Pfd. 86 7-8

International Paper 40 3-4

Maxwell Motors (bid) 25 1-2

Mexican Petroleum 93 5-8

Norfolk & Western 103 3.8

Pittsburgh Coal 52

Ray Consolidated Copper 25

Reading 81

United States Rubber 57 3-4

American Tobacco168

Atlantic Coast Line (bid) 89

Gulf States Steel 103

Kennecott Copper 32

Louisville & Nashville (bid) ...112

Miami Copper (bid) 28 1-2 GREAT BRITAIN FROM DUNBAR'S Midvale Steel 45 7-8 REVUE. Missouri Pacific 20 1-2 New York Central (bid) 68 1-2

Great Britain in

the Grand Revue at the

Redpath Chautaugua

MEETING CALLED OFF. Captain Vickers Will Not Address the

Pennsylvania 44 1-4 Colored People. arranged for at St. Stephen's colored

Rep. Iron & Steel 80 5-8 church and which was to have been addressed by Captain Leslie Vickers, Southern Railway 20 5-8 who speaks at the Academy, has been 000 bales, including 2,600 American. Studebaker Corporation 3614 of the months Tennessee Copper 181-2 of the weather and Captain Vickers individually. The address at the Tobacco Product.s. 53 3-4 Academy, however, will be held per U. S. Ind. Alcohol 123 3-4

CHICAGO GRAIN.

United States Steel 95 1-4 Chicago, April 26.-Prospects for a Wabash Pfd. "A" 39 3.4 reduction of acreage brought about Utah Copper 79 5-8 Westinghouse Electric 401-2 a sharp advance today in the corn Willys-Overland 17 1-8 market. Opening prices, which ranged from 1.8c off to 1 7.8c advance with May 1.27 1-4 and July 1.51 1-2 to 1.52 1-4, were followed by indica-Oats showed some sympathy with

Provisions were irregular. Grain and provision prices:

Sales	Grain and provision prices:	
	Open	Close
CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.	CORN-	01030
	May 1 27 1-4	1.27 1-2
Chicago, April 26.—Hogs, receipts	July 1.51 1-2	1.53
20,000 Strong, Bulk 17.00 to 17.50;	OATS-	-,00
light 17.05 to 17.65; mixed 16.75 to	May83 5-8	.83 7-8
17.60; heavy 15.85 to 17.30; rough	July74 1-2	.74 5-8
15.85 to 16.40; pigs 13.00 to 17.25.	PORK-	94 - 8 2
Cattle: Receipts 5,000; weak; na-	May 47.25	47.50
tive steers 10.10 to 17.35; stockers		46.75
and feeders 8.25 to 12.15; cows and	LARD-	
heifers 6.75 to 13.80; calves 7.50 to	May 24.85	24.77
13.50.	July 25.17	25.17
Sheep: Receipts 7,000; weak; sheep	No. of the control of	
13.00 to 17.25; lambs 16.25 to 21.60.		22.70
×	July 23.32	
Another Loan to Belgium.	Cash: Corn, No. 2, yellow, 1	
	3, yellow, 1.72 to 1.73; No. 4,	
Washington, April 26.—Belgium	1.60. Oats, No. 3. white, 88 to	
was granted another credit of \$3,250,-	standard, 881-4 to 89. Rye	, No. 2
000 by the treasury today, making her	2.60. Barley, 1.45 to 1.85.	
total borrowings from the United	5.00 to 8.00. Clover, 18.00	
States \$107,850,000, and credits to all		Ribs
the Allies \$5,288,850,000.	22.07 to 22.70.	

ASSOCIATED PRESS MADE REMARKABLE RECORD PAST YEAR

(Continued from Page Five).

United States. Our operators in particular have been able to render val-

In this period of war as the ac-ice has been insured for the benefit of his heirs or dependents in the sum of \$1,000. Because of the greater risk involved, established companies will not accept insurance upon the lives of our men in foreign service, but the board has itself assumed liability

on their behalf. While the growth in membership was unusually large during the last year the members should ni mistake the policy as to growth. Unlika the privately owned and profit-moking news agencies, we do not traffic in news. We welcome only such additions to membership as strengthen the news gathering facilities of this body. At the close of the year there were 635 evening newspapers, 291 morning newspapers and 61 Sunday morning newspapers, er a total of 1,088, receiving the service. These newspapers from the smallest, which received a 500-word daily telegraph service, to the largest, which receives upwards of 50,000 words daily, shows a net increase in membership in the year 1917 of 139, of which 96 are evening, 34 morning and nine Sunday newspapers.

In 1917 there was a great expansion in the Morse leased wire service, more than 2,000 additional miles of wire being added, making the leased wire system of the organization over 53,000 miles in length, and more than wice the mileage of all other press associations combined. Receiving the report on these leased wires, which would stretch more than twice around the world, are 308 evening newspapers, 269 morning newspapers and 49 Sunday morning newspapers.

While there was a rapid extension of the leased wire service, the increase in the number of papers receiving pony service, smaller than the Morse Tonight's meeting that had been leased wire, was still greater, showing a growth of 87 over that of the preceding year.

With the extension of the Morse serice, it was necessary to employ additional Morse operators. The number of operators employed at present is 660, representing an increase of 59 over the number employed for the preceding year. The body of operators who copy the report in every State in the Union, with a single exception, is greater than the combined operating force of all the other press associations of the world. Regardless of the loss of trained men, and the fact that one-fourth of its personnel has been in service less than one year, the delivery of the report has not been interrupted and no member wishing a leased wire has been without service owing to the shortage of operators.

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