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TEXTILE PRODUCERS CAUTIOUS.

Unwilling to Contract for Future Owing to Rising Costs.

The *Dry Goods Economist* says: "The attitude of textile manufacturers continues to be in the direction of confining sales to goods which they have in stock. At least they are declining to take any large orders for distant deliveries. Naturally, some orders are being taken for fall, but, as suggested, the main policy is to sell goods which have already been made.

"This is due to the exceptional difficulty in forecasting cost of production. Prices of raw materials continue their upward tendency, dyestuffs are growing scarcer and command fabulous figures and despite the recent wage advances in New England the attitude of labor is disquieting. Moreover, selling agents desire to protect all their customers as far as possible and not allow those distributers who are alive to the growing possibility of merchandise scarcity to supply themselves to the undue detriment of others.

"The acuteness of the dye situation is indicated by the fact that mills are exchanging lists showing the quantities of each particular color they have on hand and, where possible, are trading with each other, so as to even up supplies."

FINDS ACUTE WHEAT SHORTAGE

"Modern Miller" Reports Mill Problem in Some Sections.

CHICAGO, Jan. 28.—The *Modern Miller* crop outlook: "The winter wheat crop was without snow covering, following unseasonably high temperatures. A cold wave now spreading over the winter wheat area was preceded by snow in Kansas, sleet in Wisconsin and rain in southern districts. Extreme changes in temperature are the most violent recorded this winter in northern and middle areas.

"In some winter wheat sections wheat shortage is acute and mills are calling on the surplus districts for supplies."

SUB-TREASURY STATEMENT.

THURSDAY

Paid by Sub-Treasury to banks	$3,991,000
Paid by banks to Sub-Treasury	3,201,000
Loss to banks on day's transactions	$790,000

SINCE FRIDAY LAST

Paid by Sub-Treasury to banks	$10,957,000
Paid by banks to Sub-Treasury	19,096,000
Loss to banks	$8,739,000
Gain to banks same period previous week	1,034,000

Live Stock Market.

FRIDAY, January 28.

Receipts of beeves were 2,393 head, including 28 cars for the market. Steers were in light supply and just about steady but slow; bulls weak to 10c lower; cows dull at a decline of 10@25c. The yards were cleared. Common to good steers sold at $8.30@$8.40; per 100 lbs; oxen at $5@$7.50; bulls at $5@$7.25, cows at $2.75@$6.25. Dressed beef was slow at 11@14c for city dressed native sides.

Receipts of calves were 1,800 head, including 400 for the market. Demand fair for all kinds of the calves and prices were steady, with a full clearance of the pens. Common to prime veals sold at $9@$12.75 per 100 lbs, culls at $10@$8; barnyard calves at $5@$8; yearlings at $4@$5.50. City dressed veals were quiet at 14@18½c, with a few selling at 19c; country dressed unchanged at 12@16½c.

Receipts of sheep and lambs were 3,313 head, including 4[illegible] cars for the market. Sheep were steady, with light supply; lambs 25c lower than yesterday and slow. Of sale common to good sheep (ewes) sold at $5@$7 per 100 lbs; culls at $4; lambs at $7.50@$11. Dressed mutton slow at 9½@12c per lb.; dressed lambs at 14@17c. A few hog dressed 17½c; country dressed hothouse lambs slow at $10@$12 per carcass.

Receipts of hogs were 4,035 head, including 4 cars for sale. Prices were hardly as strong as yesterday, light to heavy hogs sold at $7.30@$7.80 per 100 lbs.; 2 head at $7.90, pigs at $6.50@$7; roughs at $6.50. Country dressed hogs steady.

FINANCIAL NEWS AND COMMENT

Stocks Turn Reactionary After War Specialties Show Strength.

IRREGULAR AT THE CLOSE

For the first Friday in six weeks the stock market yesterday did not display general activity and pronounced rallying power with a strong close all around at substantial net gains. Whether or not this fact has any significance will no doubt appear in the sequel, but the session was a disappointment to professional traders, whose operations were obviously conducted from the outset of the day on the theory that the list had presumably been superficially oversold again, no matter what its underlying overbought condition might be.

Perhaps the quantity of stocks actually supplied to the market this week had been in large proportion to speculative sales for the decline, for while there was evidence that short covering purchases furnished a leverage for efforts to advance prices the buying power attracted during the day was for the most part unable to sustain a rise, except in special directions, and even in specialties rather poor resistance was offered in the late trading. On the whole, there was nothing to show that the stock market situation had materially changed as yet. Total transactions constituted the smallest volume of the week, and there was much less readiness to make a trading shift from the selling to the buying side than had been the case on previous Fridays since the end of December.

Some handicap was imposed at the outset by the manifest spread of a new feeling of fresh conservatism as the result of overnight developments connected with the country's foreign political relations. The demonstration of a sentiment in the Senate at Washington favoring an embargo on shipments of war munitions was not taken too seriously, but Wall Street has been a little uneasy of late over the symptoms which have been displayed in Congress to interfere in questions of foreign relations, including the controversial matters pending with Great Britain and her allies over the treatment of neutral mails and neutral commerce.

It was, however, the President's main address in this city on Thursday which was responsible for the fresh change of conservatism in financial sentiment. The President's remarks on the subject of preparedness and on issues affecting the future business interests of the country were well received, but there was a good deal of comment on the emphasis with which the President insisted that his assertion of to-morrow's uncertainties in the international field were to be taken literally.

Nevertheless the stock market started with a display of rising strength which it continued in rather dull fashion until well into the afternoon. Crucible Steel and Baldwin Locomotive were the leaders in a group of war order specialties which were bought persistently upward, without, however, attracting more than a languid following, while in more standard quarters of the list offerings were evidently encountered, as buyers showed a disposition to raise their bids. Toward the beginning of the last hour the market came to a halt on the announcement of the Brandeis appointment to the United States Supreme Court. History tells of radicals scared by the responsibilities of office and the Supreme Court is beyond all peradventure a place of sobering influence, but the Brandeis appointment chilled financial feeling for a variety of reasons. Among others it raised doubts of the politics of the year, which had been more or less allayed lately by assurances that political discussion and action would be guided by a wise regard for the conservation of business confidence.

New pressure came into the stock market in the last hour and a generally reactionary movement set in. Instead of the strong closing which had been expected the final tone was heavy with irregular net changes in prices. The investment market continued strong, a feature being the rise of the new State 4s on the curb to 104½, or more than a point above the figure accepted by the State. The interesting development in the foreign exchange market was the weakness of German bills on the first day of the operation of the Imperial Government's scheme for the regulation of German exchange.

THE COFFEE MARKET.

Steadier Trading—Gains of 5 to 8 Points—Sales, 18,000 Bags.

The coffee market was steadier, closing with net gains of 5 to 8 points. Total sales for the day were 18,000 bags. Houses with European connections were moderate buyers early, and this, with the strength in the freight situation, had a stimulating influence on values. At the same time there was an absence of more than moderate selling pressure. Cost and freight offers from Brazil were comparatively few in number, owing, it was thought, to delayed transmission by cable. The figures received were slightly easier, with Santos 4s quoted at 9c for sixty day shipment London credits and Rio 7s at 7.35c. American credits.

The market as a whole was in a waiting position, but owing to the strength in ocean freights in every line of trade there seemed to be little probability of any reduction in rates. In fact many importers were inclined to look for a further advance. The spot market was quiet and unchanged, with Rio 7s quoted at 8¾c.

The official Brazilian cables reported a decline of 1-32d. in Rio exchange on London, while milreis prices in both Rio and Santos remained unchanged. Receipts at the two ports were 35,000 bags, compared with 50,000 last year. Clearances from Rio and Santos for the United States were 11,000 bags. Prices follow:

	Open ing.	High.	Low ing.	Clos ing.	Prev. close.
February				7.25@7.35	7.15
March	7.29	7.29	7.28	7.30@7.32	7.25
April				7.32@7.34	7.25
May	7.32	7.36	7.32	7.35@7.37	7.28
June				7.38@7.40	7.33
July	7.40	7.44	7.40	7.43@7.46	7.38
August				7.48@7.50	7.43
September	7.51	7.51	7.50	7.53@7.55	7.48
October				7.57@7.59	7.52
November				7.62@7.64	7.56
December	7.67	7.68	7.65	7.67@7.68	7.60

DAILY TREASURY STATEMENT.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 28.—The statement of the receipts and disbursements of the Treasury shows:

	This month.	Fiscal year.
Receipts	$65,548,362	$392,357,667
Disbursements	56,611,116	441,280,228
Deficit	$862,754	$47,922,560

Receipts from customs to-day $645,686; internal revenue, ordinary, $11,110,985; income tax, $56,357; miscellaneous, $881,165.

National bank notes received for redemption, $1,272,629.

The current statement of the United States Treasurer for January 27:

GENERAL FUND

Available gold	$81,075,961
Available silver	19,256,748
United States notes	7,895,178
National bank notes and Federal Reserve notes	42,902,022
Certified checks on banks	29,291
Subsidiary silver, minor coin and silver bullion	27,793,932
Unclassified (unsorted currency)	709,638
Deposits in banks and Philippine Treasury	71,418,700
Available currency in Treasury and banks	291,972,445
Deduct—liabilities	56,838,221
Net balance in general fund	110,279,230

RESERVE FUND

Gold coin and bullion	$152,979,023

TRUST FUND

To redeem outstanding certificates	$2,006,016,481
Grand total cash assets in Treasury	2,357,016,949

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE PRICES.

Railroad and Other Shares.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 28, 1916.

Closing Bid.	Closing Ask.	Div Rt	Sales.		Opening.	Highest.	Lowest.	Closing.	Net Change.
23⅝	23¾	..	2300	Alaska G M	24½	24½	24	24	—½
26¾	27	..	1900	Allis Chalmers	27	27¼	26¾	26¾	+¼
78½	79	..	600	Allis Chalmers pf	79	79	78⅞	78⅞	+⅞
9⅛	9¼	..	600	Alaska J	9¼	9¼	9⅛	9¼	..
65½	66	..	800	Am Beet Sugar	65½	66¼	65½	66	+1
68¼	69	4	300	Am Ag Chem	68⅜	68⅜	68¼	68¼	+¼
97½	98	6	100	Am Ag Chem pf	98	98	98	98	+1
102¾	105¼	7	100	Am Brake Shoe	103½	103½	103½	103½	+½
63¼	63¾	..	31400	Am Can	63¾	64⅝	62⅞	63⅝	—¼
113	113¾	7	200	Am Can pf	113⅝	113⅝	113⅝	113¾	+⅞
66	67	2	2100	Am Car & F	66½	67¾	66½	67½	+¾
165	166½	7	2100	Am Coal Pr	164½	167⅜	164¼	165	..
53⅝	55	4	420	Am Cot Oil	54½	54½	53½	53½	—1¼
131	132	6	10	Am Express	130	130	130	130	..
10	10½	..	400	Am Hide & Leath	10⅛	10¼	10⅛	10⅛	+⅛
51½	52½	..	200	Am Hide & Leath pf	52½	52½	52½	52½	+2
27	27¼	..	1200	Am Ice	27⅛	27½	27	27¼	+¼
23⅝	23⅞	..	1600	Am Linseed Co	23⅞	24¾	23½	23½	—½
42	42½	..	900	Am Linseed Co pf	42	42½	42	42½	+1¼
64⅞	65¼	..	7300	Am Loco	64	66½	63⅝	65	+2
102½	103	7	200	Am Loco pf	102½	102½	102½	102½	+⅛
8½	9½	..	100	Am Malt	8⅝	8⅝	8⅝	8⅝	—⅛
101⅜	101½	4	8800	Am Smelt	102⅛	102⅝	101¼	101½	—¼
113¾	114⅛	7	100	Am Smelt pf	114	114	114	114	—⅛
92⅞	93⅛	6	900	Am Smelt sec A	92⅞	93	92⅞	93	+⅛
86½	89⅛	5	300	Am Smelt sec B	87¼	87¼	86¾	87⅛	+⅛
55	55½	..	1200	Am Steel Fdy	54½	55¼	54½	55	+¾
113	114	7	100	Am Sugar	113½	113½	113½	113½	..
127⅜	127½	8	300	Am Tel & Tel	127⅜	127⅜	127⅛	127⅛	+⅛
201	203	20	700	Am Tobacco	202	202	201	201	—2
108¼	109	6	10	Am Tobacco pf	108	108	108	108	..
50¾	51	..	4600	Am Woolen ctfs	50½	52¾	50	51	+1½
86⅛	86¼	12	10200	Anaconda	87¼	87⅜	86⅛	86¼	—¾
67½	68½	..	300	Am Zinc	68	68	67¾	67¾	+½
62⅛	64¼	4	800	Asso Oil Co	64	64	62½	62½	—½
105½	105¾	6	1400	A, T & S Fe	105⅜	106	105⅜	105⅝	+¼
100	100¾	5	1200	A, T & S Fe pf	99⅞	100⅝	99⅞	100⅝	+⅞
..	..	8	2	Bank of Com	173	173	173	173	..
109⅛	109¼	..	23200	Baldwin Loco	108½	110⅞	107½	109⅛	+1⅝
89⅝	89⅞	5	2300	Balt & Ohio	89¾	89¾	89¼	89⅝	—¼
77¼	77¾	4	800	Balt & Ohio pf	77⅞	77⅞	77¼	77¼	—⅝
2½	2⅝	..	200	Batopilas	2⅝	2⅝	2½	2½	..
460	470	30	310	Beth Steel	460	470	460	470	+10
69¾	70	4	5000	B F Goodrich	70½	70½	69¼	70	+⅝
87	87½	6	800	B R T	87	87	87	87	+½
84	86	5	200	Burns Bros	84	84	84	84	—½
75¾	76	30	2500	Butte & S Cop	76¼	76½	75¾	76	..
30½	20⅞	..	1300	Cal Pet	30½	30⅞	30⅛	30⅞	+½
62	64	4	700	Cal Pet pf	62	62½	62	62½	+½
169¼	169¾	10	4100	Can Pacific	169¾	170¾	169	169½	..
53	53½	4	1300	Cen Leather	52¾	53¼	52¾	53	..
62	62¼	..	2500	Ches & Ohio	62¼	62½	62	62	..
130	132	7	100	Chi & N W	130	130	130	130	..
12¾	13	..	300	Chi Gt West	13	13	13	13	+¼
36¼	36¾	4	600	Chi Gt West pf	36	36½	36	36½	+¼
96¼	96¾	5	4500	C, M & St P	96½	97¼	96	96¾	+¾
131	132½	7	1300	C, M & St P pf	131⅞	132½	131⅞	132½	+1½
16¾	17	..	700	Chi, R I & P	17¼	17½	16¾	16¾	..
23½	24	..	1500	Chile Cop	23½	24	23½	23¾	+⅛
53	53½	80	1300	Chino Copper	53½	53½	53⅛	53⅛	+⅛
44¾	45	..	3100	Col Fuel & I	44¼	45¾	44¼	45¼	+¾
49	50	..	100	Comp T R	50	50	50	50	+1
79	81	5	200	Cont Can	79	80	79	80	+¾
139	139½	7	1100	Cons Gas	138⅞	139¼	138⅞	139¼	+½
22½	22⅝	..	10100	Corn Products	22¾	23¼	22½	22½	+½
96¾	97½	5	500	Corn Products pf	97¼	97¾	97	97	+¾
71¼	71¾	..	87100	Crucible Steel	69	73¼	68¼	71¾	+4⅛
110¼	110¾	7	800	Crucible Steel pf	110	111⅝	110	110⅞	+1⅝
180	183	10	300	Cuban Am	183	183	182	182	+6
44½	45	..	2300	Dist Secur	45¼	45¾	44¾	44¾	—½
26⅝	27	20	400	Dome Mines	27	27	26⅞	26⅞	—⅛
36⅞	36½	..	15200	Erie	36⅞	37¼	36¼	36½	+⅛
52	53	..	900	Erie 1 pf	52½	53	52½	52½	..
46¼	47	..	500	Erie 2 pf	47½	47½	46¾	46¾	..
62	63	4	100	Electric S B	62	62	62	62	..
52	54	4	100	Federal M & S pf	53½	53½	53½	53½	+2⅞
119¾	120¼	7	600	F W Woolworth	119⅞	120¼	119¾	119¾	—¼
171	172½	8	650	Gen Elec Co	172	172½	171	171	—¼
111½	113	7	100	Gen Motor pf	112¼	112¼	112¼	112¼	+⅛
92¾	93	6	3200	Granby Con	92	94	91¾	93	+1¼
121¼	121½	7	1400	Gt Nor pf	121½	121½	121¼	121¼	—¼
44¾	44⅝	½	6100	Gt Nor O ctfs	44½	45¼	44½	44½	+¼
48	48½	4	610	Greene Cop	48½	48⅞	48½	48½	—¼
22⅞	22⅝	16	480	Guggenheim	22⅝	22⅝	22¾	22¾	—¼
111	111½	5	700	Harvester N J	110½	111½	110½	111½	+1½
127½	131	7.8	25	Homestake	129	129	129	129	..
105	106	5	100	Ill Central	106	106	106	106	—⅛
44⅞	45	..	5100	Inspiration Con	45	45¼	44¾	44⅞	—⅛
59	60	..	300	Int Agr Corp pf	59⅞	60	59	59	+½
208½	211	..	474	Int Nickel	210	211	210	210⅝	—⅝
109½	111	6	100	Int Nickel pf	111	111	111	111	..
10½	11	..	100	Int Paper	10½	10½	10½	10½	..
46½	47½	2	500	Int Paper pf	46⅛	46⅝	46¼	46½	+½
18⅝	19	..	100	Interboro Con	19	19	19	19	..
75	75½	6	500	Interboro Con pf	74¼	75½	74¼	75½	+1½
26⅝	26⅞	..	1400	Kan City So	26½	27	26½	26⅝	+⅛
81¾	82¼	..	8500	Lack Steel	80	83¼	80	81⅝	+2½
104½	105½	7	300	Laclede Gas	104½	105	104½	105	+⅛
120½	121	7	10	Liggett & Myers pf	120½	120½	120½	120½	..
76¼	76½	10	1900	Lehigh Valley	76½	76½	76	76	..
180	185	10	526	Lorillard	181	185	181	185	+5
79½	80¼	5	100	Mackay Cos	80½	80½	80½	80½	+½
131¼	131½	7	100	Manhattan El	131⅞	131⅞	131⅞	131⅞	+⅞
18½	18¾	..	10800	Marine ctfs	19⅛	19⅛	18½	18½	—¼
80⅞	81	..	25000	Marine pf ctfs	81¾	82¾	80⅞	80⅞	—⅛
50	55	2	200	May Dept Stores	55½	55¼	55	55	3
68⅝	68⅞	..	3800	Maxwell Motor	69	69¾	68½	68½	—¼
87½	87⅞	7	600	Max Motor 1st pf	87¼	87½	87¼	87½	+½
52½	53½	..	100	Max Motor 2d pf	52¼	52¼	52¼	52¼	..
102¼	103	..	36900	Mex Pet	102¾	105⅞	102¼	102⅝	..
37⅞	38	100	1400	Miami Copper	37⅞	38	37⅞	38	+⅛
6½	8	..	500	Minn & St Louis	6¼	6½	6	6½	..
16⅝	21	..	100	Minn & St Louis pf	16⅝	16⅝	16⅝	16⅝	..
120	122	7	200	Minn, St P & S S M	122	122	122	122	+2
15	16	..	200	Mo, Kan & Tex pf	15	15	15	15	..
5	5¼	..	600	Mo Pacific	4⅞	5¼	4⅞	5¼	+½
5	5¼	..	400	Mo Pacific ctfs	4½	5⅛	4½	5	+⅝
110	113	7	100	Montana Power pf	111	111	111	111	..
122	129	7	300	Nat Biscuit Co pf	127	127	127	127	..
68¼	69	3	1900	Nat Lead	69¼	69⅞	68⅝	68⅝	—⅞
25¾	27	..	400	Nat E & S	24¾	25¾	24¾	25¾	+¾
92½	95	7	10	Nat E & S pf	95	95	95	95	..
146	147	6	1400	N Y Air Brake	145¾	147¾	145¼	147	+2¼
105⅞	106	5	5400	N Y Central	106¼	106½	105¾	105¾	—½
68	68⅛	..	6400	N Y, N H & H	71	71	68	68⅛	—3¼
116¼	116½	6	1700	Norf & West	116⅜	117	116⅜	116½	+½
113⅝	113¾	7	3200	Nor Pacific	113	113⅞	113	113½	+½
8¼	8½	..	300	Ont Silver	8⅜	8⅜	8⅜	8⅜	..
57⅞	58	6	1095	Penn R R	57⅞	58	57⅞	58	+¼
107	107¼	8	500	Peoples Gas	107¼	107½	107	107½	+1
32½	33	..	1550	Pitts Coal	32⅛	33	32⅛	32⅞	+⅝
107	108	5	300	Pitts Coal pf	107	107½	107	107½	+1
56	56½	..	1900	Pr Steel Car	55½	57	55	56½	+1
166	167	8	200	Pullman P C	165½	165½	165½	165½	+½
5¾	6	..	400	Quicksilver	6	6¼	6	6¼	+½
8	8⅜	..	400	Quicksilver pf	8¼	8½	8	8	+½
24⅛	24¼	20	2600	Ray Con Cop	24¼	24¼	24	24¼	..
38⅞	40	..	300	Rwy Steel Spg	39⅞	39⅞	39	39	..
99	100	7	100	Rwy Steel Spg pf	99	99	99	99	..
51	51⅜	..	3200	Republic Steel	50¾	51⅜	50¾	51⅜	+¾
108	108¼	7	100	Republic Steel pf	108¼	108¼	108¼	108¼	+¼
77¼	77¾	8	3000	Reading	77¼	78¼	77⅛	77½	+⅛
42	45	4	100	Reading 1st pf	43⅞	43⅞	43⅞	43⅞	+⅝
42¼	42½	4	300	Reading 2d pf s 30	42¼	42¼	42¼	42¼	..
⅝	⅞	..	700	Rock Island pf	⅞	⅞	⅝	⅝	..
16½	17	..	500	Seaboard A L	17¼	17¼	16½	16½	..
37	37½	..	500	Seaboard A L pf	37½	37½	37½	37½	+¼
182	182½	7	500	Sears-Roebuck	181½	182⅞	181½	182⅞	+2⅞
58	59	..	100	Sloss-Sheffield	57⅞	57⅞	57⅞	57⅞	..
19	20	..	100	St L So W	19	19	19	19	..
..	45	..	100	St L So W pf	44	44	44	44	—1
100¼	100½	6	1700	South Pacific	100⅜	100¾	100¼	100¼	..
20⅞	21⅛	..	900	South Rail Co	21	21	21	21	+¼
60¼	60½	..	300	South Rail Co pf	60	60	60	60	—⅞
149	149¼	6	8500	Studebaker	151¼	151½	148⅝	149¼	—⅞
111	114	7	100	Studebaker pf	111	111	111	111	—½
56¼	57	12	1500	Tenn Copper	57½	57⅝	56⅛	56½	—½
201½	202¾	10	2500	Texas Co	203½	205	201⅝	201⅝	+⅛
7¾	7⅞	..	500	Texas Pacific	7⅞	8	7⅞	8	+⅛
60½	61	4	600	Third Ave	61	61	60½	60½	..
87	89	4	100	Underwood odd lots	89	89	88½	88½	..
110	113	7	100	Underwood pf	110	110	110	110	..
6⅞	7	..	600	Un Bag & P	6⅞	7	6⅞	7	..
134	134¼	8	4700	Union Pacific	134⅜	134¾	133¾	134⅛	—⅝
82¾	84	4	400	Union Pacific pf	82¾	84	83¾	84	+⅛
9⅛	9¼	7	1100	Uni Cigar Strs ex div	9¼	9¾	9¼	9¼	—⅛
138⅛	138¾	8	500	Uni Fruit	138½	139	138½	138⅞	+⅝
19	19½	..	200	U S C I Pipe	19½	19½	19½	19½	..
49¼	50	2	300	U S C I Pipe pf	49½	49½	49½	49½	+½
43	47	..	200	U S Express	45¼	45¼	45¼	45¼	..
150½	151	..	7800	U S I Alcohol	152	153¾	150	150¾	—⅝
1⅝	2	..	100	U S R & R Co pf	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝	+⅛
51	51¾	..	6800	U S Rubber	52¾	52½	50½	51	—1¼
107¼	107½	8	200	U S Rubber 1st pf	107¼	107¼	107¼	107¼	+¼
83¾	83½	5	49900	U S Steel	83⅞	84¼	83¾	83¾	..
118	118¼	7	1630	U S Steel pf	118	118¼	117⅞	118	+⅛
78⅝	78⅞	60	2000	Utah Copper	79	79⅛	78⅞	79	..
19½	19¾	..	700	Utah Sec	19½	19⅞	19½	19⅝	+⅝
47½	47¾	..	1600	Va-Caro Chem	47½	47⅞	47¼	47¾	+⅝
108	111	8	100	Va-Caro Chem pf	110	110	110	110	+1¼
..	..	..	200	Vulcan Detin	9½	9½	9	9	—3
147⅛	151⅛	..	2000	Wabash	151¼	151¼	147⅛	147⅛	..
45¼	45¾	..	800	Wabash pf A	45¾	45¾	45½	45½	+¼
28¾	29	..	1300	Wabash pf B	29	29⅛	28⅞	29	+⅛
128	130	6	100	Wells Fargo Exp	130	130	130	130	—3½
66⅝	67	6	10700	West Electric	66⅛	67⅛	66⅛	66⅝	+⅝
26½	27½	..	3000	West Maryland	26	27⅞	25½	27⅞	+1⅞
89	89¾	5	700	West Union Tel	89¾	89¾	89	89½	+½
3	3¼	..	200	Wheel & L E	3¼	3¼	3¼	3¼	+¼
4	4½	..	200	Wheel & L E 2d pf	4	4½	4	4½	+1¼
..	..	6	550	Willys-Overland	206½	207	204½	205	..

Total sales to-day, 534,200 shares. Same day 1915, 283,780. January 1 to date, 14,654,100. Same period 1915, 4,785,948.

Where a "c" follows a quotation it indicates a bid or offer for 10 shares.

COTTONSEED OIL.

The list sagged 3 to 6 points from the early slight advances. There was talk of hedge selling, but the basis for such operations is about 20 points under a parity. Crude oil is firm at $1@62c. The easier lard list was against speculative demand and consuming inquiry lacked volume. There is no pressure of spot oil, however.

	Closing prices.	Prev. close.
Spot	9.10	9.15
March	9.20@9.21	9.22
May	9.17@9.18	9.18
July	9.24@9.25	9.26

BID AND ASKED PRICES.

Closing prices of stocks in which there were no transactions yesterday:

	Bid.	Asked.		Bid.	Asked.		Bid.	Asked.		Bid.	Asked.
AdamsEx	140	150	CnGELP	109¼	114½	LWB 1 pf	90	95	PhilaCo	42	45
AlbanySus	.....	280c	ContCn pf	106	108	LWB 2 pf	56	60	PFW&C	158	..
ABrSh pf	184	192	CrescAr	40	49	McCos pf	66½	68	PubSup	96	97
AlbSup pf	93	94½	CrescPt	22½	32	Manhart	55	60	PstStl pf	103	104
ACr&F pf	117½	119	CuAsp pf	103	105	Mans pf	103	109	PubServC	115½	117¼
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