RAILROAD TIME-TABLES.

Louisville and Nashville and Great Southern.

	LEAVE.	ARRIVE.
Express, daily (except Sat.)	11.50 p.m.	4.00 p.m.
Mail, daily	9.00 a.m.	8.15 a.m.
M'Kenzie Accommodation, daily (except Sundays)	4.40 p.m.	.....

Memphis and Charleston.

(City time)	LEAVE.	ARRIVE.
Mail & Express Train, daily	12.00 p.m.	11.45 a.m.
Somerville Accommodation daily (except Sundays)	5.45 p.m.	7.58 a.m.
Grand Junction Acc., daily (except Sundays)	5.30 a.m.	9.35 a.m

Mississippi and Tennessee.

	LEAVE.	ARRIVE.
New Orleans Mail, daily	2.15 p.m.	11.25 a.m.
Sardis Accommodation, daily (except Sundays)	4.30 p.m.	8.30 a.m.
Freight and Accommo'n, daily (except Sundays)	5.45 a.m.	4.10 p.m.

Memphis and Little Rock.

	LEAVE.	ARRIVE.
Main Train, daily	3.00 p.m.	11.40 p.m.
Freight, daily except Sun.)	6.50 a.m.	5.30 p.m.

Paducah and Memphis.

	LEAVE.	ARRIVE.
Mail & passeng'r train, daily	4.00 p.m.	10.00 a.m.

FINANCIAL.

It was still too hot yesterday for man or mule to show activity, and of course the banks reflected the prevailing dullness, and without a shadow of a change. Exchange quoted at par buying and ¼ premium selling on New York; on other eastern cities par buying, and ¼ premium selling for both demand and sight; on New Orleans, ½ discount buying; selling at par. The New York *Herald* reported, on Saturday: "The following were the rates of exchange on New York, on Saturday, at the undermentioned cities: Savannah—buying ⅛, selling ¼; Charleston firmer, 3-16; selling ¼; St. Louis, 90 premium; New Orleans, commercial 3-16, bank ¼; Chicago, 65 premium; and Boston par." The New York *Bulletin*, of Tuesday, reports activity in government 4 per cents at 109⅝, last week they amounted to $3,367,550, during the last eleven weeks to $29,000,000. The eastern financial papers say that the present brisk demand arises from the fact that savings bank depositors have in many cases withdrawn their deposits since the payment of the July interest and put the money in governments. It is besides no doubt the case that the July interest and dividends from all classes of securities are being used in the same way, so that it may be expected that there will be some decrease in the demand as soon as this universal money just thrown on the market is absorbed. Considerable quantities of the bonds are also bought by the banks all over the country, in order to obtain interest on the great surplus of money which the business depression leaves on their hands, and these bonds will of course be put on the market again whenever trade revives." The APPEAL yesterday received the following from New York, showing that the movement is still going on: "There was an unusual heavy movement yesterday in United States bonds, the sales of a single national bank alone amounted to nearly four million. It was also stated that a number of government bond sales were making for foreign account, and that during the past week bonds amounting to nearly three million were disposed of in New York."

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

NEW ORLEANS, July 17.—Gold, 100⅛@100¼; New York sight, ⅛ premium. Sterling exchange, bankers' bills, 486@487.

LONDON, July 17.—Consols—money, 95 9-16; account, 95⅝; Pennsylvania Central, 34¼; New Jersey Central, 42½; Illinois Central, 88; canals, 92½; 4½s, 106½; 5-20s of 1867, 108⅛; 10-40s, 111¼; new 5s, 108⅛; ex-coupon; Reading, 29½; Erie, 16½; Erie preferred, 32½.

NEW YORK, July 17.—Money market easier at 1½@2 per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 3@4 per cent. Customs receipts, $351,000. The assistant treasurer disbursed $184,000. Clearings, $144,000,000. Sterling exchange steady; 60 days, 4.83; sight exchange on New York, 4.86. Gold steady at 100⅜. Carrying rates, 3, 1, and flat. Bar silver, 114⅞ gold. Government bonds generally steady; coupons of 1881, 107½; do 1865, new, 102½; do. 1867, 106; do. 1868, 108; do. new 5s, 107¼; do. 4½s, 104½; do 4s, 100½; 10-40s, registered, 109⅝; do. coupons, 109⅝; currency 6s, 125¼. State bonds dull; Tennessee 6s, old, 35½; Tennessee 6s, new, 35½; Virginia 6s, old, 20; Virginia 6s, new, 20; Missouri 6s, 104½. Railroad bonds were strong. Stocks were irregular the greater portion of the day, but in the main weak, with the greatest decline in St. Paul shares. Just before the close there was a recovery of ⅛ to ½ per cent., the market closing firm. Transactions aggregated 69,000 shares, of which 4000 were Erie, 20,000 Lake Shore, 2000 Northwestern common and 8000 preferred, 26,000 St. Paul common and 3000 preferred, 11,000 Lackawanna, 2000 New Jersey Central, 1400 Western Union, and 2400 Pacific Mail. The closing quotations of to-day were as follows: Western Union telegraph company, 90¾; Quicksilver, 12¼; Quicksilver preferred, 18¼; Pacific Mail, 17½; Mariposa, 100¾; Mariposa preferred, 100¾; Adams Express company, 104½; Wells & Fargo Express company, 91¾; American Express company, 47½; United States Express company, 47¾; New York Central, 109¼; Erie, 16⅞; Erie preferred, 32½; Hartem, 189; Michigan Central, 67¼; Panama, 124; Union Pacific stock, 63¼; Lake Shore, 62½; Illinois Central, 86; Cleveland and Pittsburg, 82⅞; Northwestern, 50¾; Northwestern preferred, 77½; Cleveland, Columbus, Cincinnati and Indianapolis, 29¼; New Jersey Central, 69¼; Rock Island, 114¾; St. Paul, 50⅝; St. Paul preferred, 82¼; Wabash, 13⅝; Fort Wayne, 94½; Terre Haute, 101; Terre Haute preferred, 103; Chicago and Alton, 89⅝; Chicago and Alton preferred, 103; Ohio and Mississippi, 7⅞; Delaware, Lackawanna and Western, 60⅝; Atlantic and Pacific telegraph, 27¾; Missouri Pacific, 101; Chicago, Burlington and Quincy, 112; Hannibal and St Joe, 11½; Central Pacific bonds, 105¾; Union Pacific bonds, 105⅞; Union Pacific land grants, 108; Union Pacific sinking funds, 104½.

COTTON.

Liverpool spots were reported yesterday 1-16d higher; arrivals opened partially 1-32d, but the advance was afterward lost, and the market closed weaker. New York spots remained unchanged, and steady; futures were quiet, steady, and 1 to 7 points better. Our market was firm, but owing to the fact that New York spots did not respond to the Liverpool advance, buyers had but little faith and holders were not anxious to sell. Sales in consequence were light, and entirely to fill small orders given prior to the advance. Quotations continued unchanged, as follows:

Cotton Exchange Quotations.

[Standard International Classification.]

	Yesterday.	Day before.
Ordinary	—@ 9—	—@ 9—
Good ordinary	—@10—	—@10—
Low middling	—@10½	—@10½
Middling	—@11—	—@11—
Good middling	—@11½	—@11½
Middling fair	—@11¾	—@11¾
Fair	—@12⅛	—@12⅛
States	9¾@10½	9¾@10½

Market firm. Sales 150 bales, all to spinners.

Cotton Statement.

COTTON EXCHANGE, July 17.

Stock September 1, 1877		5,292
Received to-day	74	
Received previously	409,183	409,257
		414,549
Shipped to-day	323	
Shipped previously	410,755	411,078
Stock (running account)		3,471
IMPORTS.		
Total		674
Thus far this week		396
Thus far last week		634
Since September 1st		409,257
EXPORTS.		
Total		323
Thus far this week		1,806
Thus far last week		1,275
Since September 1st		411,078

The New York *Bulletin*, of Monday, reports: "There has not been much general animation, but on the active months the movement was fair. Much the same features continue current, the changes on value being due almost exclusively to local manipulation, and the market going somewhat contrary to what might be expected on the surface influences as shown. The cable again reported Liverpool firm, but no attention apparently was paid to this, and on near-by deliveries the turn was downward, with a loss of several points on both this and next month. Indeed, August was offered with much freedom, and, if anything, rather crowded, with many indications leading to the belief that 'bulls' were unloading and getting out as best they could on the present crop. Commencing with the first of the next crop, however, and running through the fall and winter months, the tone was rather firmer and some advance made, but only a limited amount of business transacted, and no positive reason shown for this difference in temper. It is quite evident, however, that a majority of the trade are more or less perplexed over the present situation, and move with great care until they can come to some better conclusion as to the tendency of affairs."

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

The following are the official telegrams of the condition of the domestic markets as received by the cotton exchange:

Latest Telegrams.	*State of Market.*	*Rec'pts.*	*Price. Middling.*
Galveston	Irreg'lar	29	10⅝
New Orleans	Strong.	103	11—
Mobile	Quiet.	23	10¾
Savannah	Firm.	60	10 13-16
Charleston	Quiet.	9	11—

The following are the New York market reports for yesterday: Ordinary, 9 9-16c; good ordinary, 10 7-16c; low middling, 11⅛c; middling, 11 7-16c; good middling, 11 13-16c. At 10:48, quiet and steady; 12:20, quiet and steady; 2:10, quiet. Sales, 700 bales.

The following were the closing rates in New York futures yesterday and day before:

Months.	*Yesterday.*	*Day before.*
January	11.07@11.08	11.06@11.07
February	11.13@11.15	11.12@11.14
March	11.21@11.22	11.19@11.21
April	11.29@11.31	11.28@11.30
May	11.38@11.39	11.37@11.39
June	—@—	—@—
July	11.57@11.58	11.50@11.52
August	11.61@11.62	11.56@11.57
September	11.31@11.32	11.30@11.31
October	11.19@11.20	11.17@11.18
November	11.03@11.05	11.01@11.02
December	10.02@10.03	11—@11.01

Tone of the market at 10:05, quiet and steady; 10:53, quiet and steady; 12:23, steady; 1:35, quiet—September-October, 1 point lower; 2:30, quiet and steady; 3:10, quiet—1 point lower. Sales, 34,000 bales.

New Orleans closed strong at 11c for middling. Sales, 1190 bales; receipts, net, 103 bales; gross, 103 bales; exports coastwise, 2101 bales; stock, 19,652 bales.

Yesterday's Liverpool telegrams reported the market active and firm; middling uplands, 6 7-16d; Orleans, 6⅝d. Sales, 18,000 bales, —— of which were American. Receipts, 300 bales, 200 of which were American.

Liverpool *arrivals* opened partially 1-32d better; advance since lost; July, 6 15-32d; July-August, August-September, 6 15-32d; September-October, 6½@6 17-32d; October-November, 6½d; November-December, 6⅝d. At 2 o'clock: July-August, 6⅝d; August-September, 6⅝d. At 5 o'clock arrivals closed weaker, with tree sellers at previous prices; September-October, 6 17-32d.

The movement at the ports was reported as follows:

	This Week.	*Last Week.*	*This Week Last Year.*
Rec'ts since Friday	2,536	3,570	2,557
Exp'ts to G. Britain	1,226	3,078	6,184
Exp'ts to Continent	1,948	1,649	3,074
Stock	136,886	148,835	215,290

GENERAL TRADE.

There was no river arrival from the north yesterday, and the weather was too warm for activity in the demand, and little fell to the reporter's share. The St. Louis *Republican*, of Tuesday, reported the arrival of the first car load of new oats; the quality was good, and they sold at 26½c on 'change; also, that wheat was lower for cash, and corn higher for the same, but without activity except for spected, which sold freely for 33c; oats were at rather better prices. The Cincinnati *Gazette* says: "It is encouraging to go among business men now, and hear them talk about the future. The opinion is universal that the worst has passed and the turn fairly made. Croakers have disappeared, or rather they have changed sides. This is in striking contrast with the talk a while ago. Then it was gloomy indeed. Well, when everybody talks favorably, much is gained, because confidence has everything to do with business. Now we have returning confidence based upon splendid crops; low prices; a hard-pan foundation; plenty of money; coin about equal; no resumption scare; and Europe in the market for our surplus products. Capitalists, too, are showing their faith by their works. Movements are being made here in the line of manufactures that will employ much capital and many men. Projects that would not be looked at six months ago are eagerly sought after now." *Wheat*—there was a sale in our market of 20 sacks from Hernando, Mississippi, at 80c a bushel. *Corn* was not offering from first hands; 50 sacks of white sold from store at 51½c. *Oats* were in fair demand, stocks being low; choice northern would bring 36c. *Bran*—nothing reported; last sales at $11 50 @11 75. *Cornmeal* quiet at $2 40. *Hay*—sale of two car-loads of new prairie at $7. *Potatoes*—nothing doing in shipping; in store, $1@1 25 a barrel. *Onions*, $1 25@2. *Cabbage*, $2 50 a crate. *Apples*—very quiet at 50c a barrel measure. *Peaches*, 50c a bushel. *Hides