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COTTON LETTER

From Atwood, Violett & Co.

New York, Feb. 2. Messrs. Atwood, Violett & Co. of New York have just issued the following circular:

The United States from America from January 1 to August 31, this year, inclusive, were 4,116,000 bales, being increase of 1,296,000 bales over the same period last year, and 1,000,000 bales over the same period two years ago, and 1,000,000 bales over the average of the last three seasons.

Commercially, the total net exports from September 1, 1899, to August 31, 1900, promises to exceed 9,000,000 bales, and thereby bring January 31 to hand with a stock of cotton of any such quantity, we believe, has not been the case before.

The total supply of all American in this country on the 31st last was 12,000,000 bales, and on the same date the actual visible of the present crop, according to the Financial Chronicle, had been 4,000,000 bales. Assuming, as we do, that this crop will reach 8,500,000 bales, it means that the available supply in this country was on the 31st last about 8,500,000 bales, which, added to the visible supply, gives a total of 12,500,000 bales. The Financial Chronicle of the 27th last makes Southern consumption to that date, since September 1, 1899, about 2,000,000 bales, and Northern mill takings about 1,000,000 bales, an aggregate of 3,000,000 bales.

The total of Northern spinners' takings and Southern consumption is one-third of last season's crop, 8,500,000 bales, approximately. If this country consumes no more than last season, whereas it will consume 2,000,000 bales in excess of last season, it would take that to equal 11,500,000 bales will be required between January 31 and August 31, 1900, for consumption in addition to 2,000,000 bales, as above, to the 31st last.

Then, again, there must be carried over on September 1 next, in this country, at least 400,000 bales of visible and invisible supply, and deducting these two amounts from 8,500,000 bales, it shows that there will be left for export, not only to Europe, but to China, Japan, Mexico and Canada, from January 31 to August 31, 1900, about 3,500,000 bales, against exports during the same period last year of 1,700,000 bales. These figures are startling because of the supply, particularly when taking them in connection with the world's consumption of American cotton, in regard to which we have to say as follows:

According to the statistics on European mill stocks and consumption (Mr. Thomas Ellison), the aggregate amount consumed by British and Continental spinners is now 325,000 bales weekly of all kinds, or 16,900,000 bales per annum.

Taking the daily report of the Liverpool market, it shows that the proportion of American cotton sold to that of all kinds is about 70 per cent, and, no doubt, the same proportion is true of the daily continental sales of cotton of all kinds. Assuming, however, that only 65 per cent of European consumption is American cotton, and this represents, out of 325,000 bales weekly, about 225,000 bales of American.

The weekly consumption of Southern mills, according to the Financial Chronicle and Sunday Herald, is 75,000 bales. The consumption by Northern mills must certainly be 40,000 bales weekly, or a total of 275,000 bales. To this must be added the consumption of American by China, Japan, Mexico and Canada and elsewhere. Assuming that this aggregate is only 6,000 bales weekly, it gives a total weekly consumption by the world of 281,000 bales of American, or 14,600,000 bales per annum. It can be safely said, however, that the spinning world is today consuming of American cotton an amount per annum of 15,000,000 bales, equal to the largest consumption on record—that of last year, when it was largely stimulated by the low prices.

The world's floating power, however, has increased so materially during the past twelve months as to show that the higher prices for cotton, instead of limiting consumption, are stimulating the manufacturing of the world's cotton manufacturing industries.

With a crop this season of even 8,500,000 bales, and adding to it 1,500,000 bales to carry over on September 1 next of the world's visible supply of American of 12,000,000 bales, which will leave on September 1, 1900, a deficit between supply and consumption of 1,000,000 bales, but it would also leave the world's visible supply somewhat small, and smaller than on September 1 of last year show, yet the excess of which season was 1,500,000 bales, and at which time the price of middling cotton in New York was 10½ cents, against 8½ cents today.

Any one can reasonably anticipate from these statistical exhibits as we have presented them an advance of great proportions, and in giving this data as herein contained, we do so in order to show what has been for a long time past the basis of our bullish views for the staple, and which we have continually put forth in our market letters to the local and Southern press during the past five months.

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LONDON MARKET RULED ALMOST FEATURELESS.

AMERICAN STOCKS REFLECTED FOREIGN PRICES.

Strength Displayed in Steel Stocks Was the Feature of New York Market—Gould Purchases.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

New York, Feb. 2.—The London market was almost featureless to-day, but console maintained their position and even advanced slightly. The general market was steady, while American stocks reflected the prices here and followed silent parity. Discount rates were unchanged and money was easily obtainable. There was no definite war news to cause marked fluctuations and in respect to the South African position, the tone was fairly confident.

The feature of the market here was the strength displayed in the steel stocks, more particularly Tennessee Coal and Iron. This advanced some 6 points on good inside buying and glowing reports of the profitable business the company is doing. There are singular rumors of the business of all the steel companies. Five and even 6 per cent was talked of on American Hoop and Nail Steel Stock, while an extra dividend on Federal Steel was also mooted.

Probably one of the most encouraging features of the financial position so far as it concerns the steel stocks is that there is a likelihood of the other steel companies following the example of the steel and wire company in giving full information to their shareholders. Nothing could better calculated to restore the severely shaken public confidence in industrial securities. The decisions in Sugar were not of great importance, and, upon the whole, the action looked better than the Inquiry. Wormser & Co. were large buyers of Anaconda, prefered and the stock of this company sold in fair amount in the morning but was easily absorbed. The tone is exceedingly excellent now and the buying seems destined on its merits.

Good interests were still buyers of Missouri Pacific and Southern. Traction stocks were somewhat inactive and inclined to decline on the unsettled condition of Third Avenue affairs, but Standard Oil brokers were buyers of Brooklyn Rapid Transit.

The market closed strong with one or two exceptions. Third Avenue was still weak, and it was reported that the investigation of the company's state of affairs showed a very unsatisfactory state of things. Tractions were dull in sympathy, although the buying was good enough to prevent any serious decline. The rest of the market was strong, and the movement in steel stocks seemed to be extended to some of the railroads, notably Atchison. It was reported that Morgan interests bought a considerable quantity of dividend-paying stocks for investment.

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Amer. Tinplate	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

STOCKS AND BONDS IN BOSTON.

Boston, Mass., Feb. 2.—Following are the quotations:

Money.

Call loans, [illegible]

Stocks.

[illegible]

Bonds.

[illegible]

Mining Shares.

[illegible]

State Bonds.

[illegible]

Government Bonds.

[illegible]

Miscellaneous Securities.

[illegible]

BOND SALES AT NEW YORK.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

New York, Feb. 2.—Sales of bonds were made [illegible]

First Call.

[illegible]

Second Call.

[illegible]

Third Call.

[illegible]

Pittsburg Stocks.

Received daily by D. R. Francis, Bro. & Co., 40 Olive st.

Pittsburg Plate Glass 0a 103. No sales.

Chicago Stocks and Bonds.

Received daily by D. R. Francis, Bro. & Co., 40 Olive street.

	Bids.	Asks.
National Carbon	[illegible]	[illegible]
Do. pfd	[illegible]	[illegible]
National Biscuit	[illegible]	[illegible]
National Steel	[illegible]	[illegible]
Do. pfd	[illegible]	[illegible]
West Chicago Street Railway	[illegible]	[illegible]
North Chicago Street Railway	[illegible]	[illegible]
South Side Elevated	[illegible]	[illegible]
Lindell Gas	[illegible]	[illegible]
Do. pfd	[illegible]	[illegible]
Metropolitan West Side Elevated	[illegible]	[illegible]
Do. pfd	[illegible]	[illegible]
Union Traction	[illegible]	[illegible]
Do. pfd	[illegible]	[illegible]
Diamond Match	[illegible]	[illegible]
Lake Street Elevated	[illegible]	[illegible]
Do. trust certificates	[illegible]	[illegible]
Metropolitan West Side Elevated	[illegible]	[illegible]
Do. pfd	[illegible]	[illegible]
National Biscuit	[illegible]	[illegible]
Do. pfd	[illegible]	[illegible]
National Carbon	[illegible]	[illegible]
Do. pfd	[illegible]	[illegible]
National Steel	[illegible]	[illegible]
Do. pfd	[illegible]	[illegible]
North Chicago Street Railway	[illegible]	[illegible]

MONEY AND SECURITIES.

Money Without Any Change of Importance—A Good Demand Bid.

[illegible]

Domestic Exchange.

[illegible]

City of St. Louis.

[illegible]

LOCAL STOCKS AND BONDS.

Trading Light, but Demand Good and Tone Stronger.

[illegible]

FOREIGN FINANCE.

England.

[illegible]

France.

[illegible]

Germany.

[illegible]

The Banks.

[illegible]

Bar Silver.

New York, Feb. 2.—Bar silver per oz. standard, [illegible]

London, Feb. 2.—Bar silver steady, [illegible]

New York Market Gossip.

The following extracts of the gossip in regard to the trading features of the New York market are received by D. R. Francis, Bro. & Co., 40 Olive street:

New York—Local prices came almost even with New York on outside this morning, and on advance very arbitrage buying was done with our stocks, in all about 1500 shares, the bulk of which was Union Pacific and Southern Railway preferred. The market on the other side followed cues closely, and on the advance the arbitrage trading was restricted.

Sugar has inclined decidedly to become the market leader, and the tone of the situation exerted a more generally active influence than it has had for many weeks. Houses close to a large speculative clientele in business were buyers, as were R. S. Co. and other operators, and other commission houses took fair amounts of stocks like N. Y. C., Pennsylvania and R. I. In all these stocks there was a fairly large part of the buying for the account of shorts, and the fact that we had a 1½ per cent decrease in net earnings published a power strong argument on the arm against covering with full vigor. The last minutes have gone to Washington for federal company action and the buying seems destined on its merits.

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Amer. Tinplate	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

New York Curb Stocks.

Received daily by D. R. Francis, Bro. & Co., 40 Olive street.

[illegible]

Foreign Exchange.

[illegible]

Metal Market.

[illegible]

Liverpool Market.

[illegible]

Wool.

New York, Feb. 2.—Wool steady.

[illegible]

Boston, Feb. 2.—The Boston Commercial Bulletin's wool report of the week ending to-day says: The market is less active than last week. Boston dealers have established markets and stocks of fairly fine and been without their offerings for some time. Fine wools are firmly held, and there are no indications that the blood and half-blood advanced about a cent the second week, but the demand has gone off in the wide range of fine and of manufacturers to carry stocks of the mills.

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RAILROAD TIME TABLE.

ST. LOUIS TIME.

Arrivals and Departures of Trains at the Union Station.

[illegible]

B. & O. S.-W. R. R.

Trains.	Departs.	Arrive.
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

BIG FOUR.

[illegible]

BURLINGTON ROUTE.

Trains.	Depart.	Arrive.
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

ST. LOUIS AND HANNIBAL.
VIA WABASH RAILWAY.

Trains.	Depart.	Arrive.
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

ST. LOUIS-PEORIA LINE.
(ST. L. & S. I. R. R.—St. L., C. & N. P. R. R.)

Trains.	Depart.	Arrive.
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

AIR LINE.
LOUISVILLE, EVANSVILLE AND ST. LOUIS CONSOLIDATED RAILROADS.

Trains.	Depart.	Arrive.
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

IRON MOUNTAIN.

Trains.	Depart.	Arrive.
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

ILLINOIS CENTRAL.

[illegible]

I. & N. R. R.

Trains.	Depart.	Arrive.
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

I. M. & ST. L. RY. (Henderson Route.)

Trains.	Depart.	Arrive.
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

M., K. & T.

Trains.	Depart.	Arrive.
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

MISSOURI PACIFIC.

Trains.	Depart.	Arrive.
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

MOBILE AND OHIO.

Trains.	Depart.	Arrive.
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

ST. LOUIS MERCHANTS' BRIDGE TERMINAL RAILWAY SUBURBAN TRAIN SERVICE.

[illegible]

ST. L., K. C. & C. R. R.

Eastbound.

Train No. 22, Night Express, daily arrive St. Louis ..... 8:20 am

Westbound.

Train No. 19, Union Express, daily, leave St. Louis ..... 4:40 pm

VANDALIA LINE.

Trains.	Depart.	Arrive.
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

WABASH LINE.
LINES EAST OF THE MISSISSIPPI.

Trains.	Depart.	Arrive.
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

LINES WEST OF THE MISSISSIPPI.

Trains.	Depart.	Arrive.
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

CHICAGO AND ALTON.

Trains.	Depart.	Arrive.
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

CLOVER LEAF.

Trains.	Depart.	Arrive.
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

COTTON BELT.
ST. LOUIS SOUTHWESTERN RAILWAY.

Trains.	Depart.	Arrive.
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

FRISCO LINE.

Trains.	Depart.	Arrive.
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

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American market. The sales of the week are 1,000,000 lbs. domestic and 220,000 lbs. foreign, a total of 1,220,000 lbs. for the week, against a total of 2,000,000 lbs. last week and a total of 4,000,000 lbs. the corresponding week last year. The sales to date show an increase of 7,000,000 lbs. domestic, and an increase of 6,000,000 lbs. foreign, over last year. The sales to date show an increase of 4,000,000 lbs. domestic and a decrease of 1,000,000 lbs. foreign.

Turpentine and Rosin.

New York, Feb. 2.—Turpentine strong, 50½ bid. Rosin firm; strained and common to good $1.02½.

Sugar.

New York, Feb. 2.—Sugar—Raw strong; refined firm, but quiet.

New Orleans, Feb. 2.—Sugar—Strong; open kettle 3¾@4 3-16; open kettle centrifugal 4¼@4 5-16; centrifugal plantation granulated 4⅞; white granulated, yellow clarified 4 15-16; seconds 3⅞@4 3-16. Molasses—Quiet; open kettle 22@26; centrifugal 26; syrup steady, 15c.

Wabash Depot Robbed.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

St. Charles, Mo., Feb. 2.—The Bridge Depot of the Wabash Railroad in this city was robbed by a masked man at 2 o'clock this morning, and $38 was taken. The operator, Oscar Brooks, was forced to turn over the money at the point of a revolver.