TARIFF UNCERTAINTY

INDUCES MERCHANTS TO BUY FOR ACTUAL NEEDS ONLY.

It is Estimated that 225,000 Workmen are Idle on Account of the Strike—Reports from the South.

NEW YORK, May 11.—Bradstreet's to-morrow will say:

Prolonged warm weather has stimulated farm work as well as sales in seasonable lines of merchandise, but renewed tariff uncertainty tends to prolong the period during which merchants will continue to buy for actual needs only, evidence of which fact have appeared.

The great coal miners' strike has been extended in the far West and in portions of Maryland and the Virginias, and this has been followed by an increase of the number of the industrial shut-downs due to increasing scarcity of fuel.

About 225,000 men are idle in the coal trades, and with those idle on account of strikes in other lines the total out of work is not less than 225,000. The Pennsylvania and the Baltimore and Ohio have recently reported confiscating coal in transit.

In the larger eastern cities those who do not report a moderate and undersized volume of trade report less favorable features. Philadelphia reports improvement in textile manufacturing lines and prices unsatisfactory. Orders in Baltimore take for needs only, while merchants are discounting May bills better than expected. In eastern markets the demand for wool is quiet and the sales small, but broken stocks show steady quotations. Only a moderate volume of business in dry goods is reported, merchants purchasing only for actual needs. Cotton mills have surplus stocks, which threaten prices, and a reduction of the cost of production is probable.

Charleston, Atlanta, Chattanooga, Augusta, New Orleans, Galveston and Nashville all report little or no change in trade circles within a week, and at most of these cities business is quiet. The volume of trade at Jacksonville is decreasing, and drought threatens the strawberry and melon crops in the vicinity. The Alabama coal strike further depresses trade at Birmingham.

Special Effect of the Strike

NEW YORK, May 11.—R. G. Dun & Co's Weekly Review of Trade to-morrow will say:

The strikes begin to have a serious, though it is assumed only a temporary effect. The number of works depending upon supplies of bituminous coal or coke for fuel is large, and quite a considerable proportion of them has already been compelled to stop operations. No doubt the proportion is larger in the iron and the steel manufacture than any other business, but nearly a third in capacity of the iron furnaces at work a month ago appear to have closed. Some railroads at the West are embarrassed and textile works of some importance will close soon, unless the strike ceases. The movement of so-called armies of unemployed on Washington has caused little excitement, and is less important or significant than the outward movement of specie, which shows shrinking foreign demand for products and further withdrawal of foreign capital. But neither striker nor foreign distrust long retard the progress of this country.

The capacity of iron furnaces in blast May 1st was 110,220 tons, a decrease of 20,127 tons during April, but the Iron Age has trustworthy reports of stoppage by other furnaces having a capacity of 25,002 tons, including some expected to stop this week, which would make a decrease of about a third in production since April 1st. The fact that prices of some grades of pig iron, especially of foundry, show weakness, notwithstanding there has been no increase in stock, seems to indicate about as large a proportion of the works using pig iron also been compelled to stop, and it is stated that in the Pittsburg region many are close to the end of their supplies of fuel. Prices of furnished products are fully maintained, and many kinds have advanced a little, but it is noticed that the demand is not as large as we expected, and while an early termination of the strikes is hoped for, the appointment of committees to negotiate regarding wages for the coming year brings attention to the fact that existing conditions do not favor any advance in prices or in cost of production. In minor metals no industrial change of importance appears.

The textile manufacturers are not improving in position or prospects, for while orders do not increase, uncertainties in regard to labor grow more serious. The working force shows much unwillingness to accept for the next season wages which were temporarily adopted in order to have the works re-opened after last summer's suspension. The apathy of buyers in cottons is reflected in further decline of print cloths, although some qualities of goods have advanced slightly.

The decline of the Treasury gold reserve below $64,000,000 suggests the possibility that continued exports of the precious metal may cause not a little trouble before the season is over.

The large failure about doubled the aggregate of liabilities for firms failing in the week ending May 3d, which would have otherwise been quite small, but were $3,272,791. The number and the general average of liabilities are still encouragingly shrinking. For four weeks of April the liabilities reported were $33,836,962, of which $3,937,220 were of manufacturing and $4,677,689 of trading concerns. For the past week the failures have been 209 in the United States, against 231 last year, and 42 in Canada, against 52 last year, with none of especial importance, although four bank failures are included.

Presidential Nominations.

WASHINGTON, May 11.—The President today sent to the Senate the following nominations: Charles D. Walcott, New York, director of Geological Survey, vice John W. Powell, resigned; Postmaster—William P. Huffman, Hickory, N. C.

"How iron should be taken."

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FINANCE AND COMMERCE

THE CLOSING QUOTATIONS OF MONEY.

Offerings and Sales at the Richmond Tobacco Exchange—Internal Revenue Collections—Foreign Advic.

NEW YORK, May 11.—It was almost insufferably dull at the Stock Exchange to-day, only 100,000 shares having been traded in during the entire session. At the opening the market was weak for the Industrials and firm for the Railways, but the changes were unimportant. The market ruled steady until after 1 o'clock, when Sugar receded 1½ per cent., General Electric 1, and Chicago Gas ⅞. These were the greatest fluctuations outside of Manhattan, which dropped from 125 to 123¾. The last named was sold down on the statement for the March quarter, which shows a decline in gross of $215,712, in net of $183,911, and in surplus of $170,241. It was also reported that the East Side lines were being injured by the cable roads. Neither the gold exports nor the poor railway earnings for the first week of May to hand to-day had much influence on the share speculation, as both were expected. At the moment the market appears to be in the hands of the room traders, the big operators having evidently retired from the field until something definite is known regarding the tariff bill. The net changes for the day show declines of ⅛@1 per cent., except for Manhattan, which lost 2 per cent. Rock Island gained ⅜ and Delaware and Hudson ⅞. Railway and Miscellaneous bonds were weaker. Sales—Listed stocks, 64,000 shares; unlisted, 27,000 shares.

Money on call easy at 1 per cent., last loan at 1 per cent., and closing offered at 1 per cent.; prime mercantile paper, 3¼@4 per cent. Bar silver, 62¾. Sterling exchange firm, with actual business in bankers' bills at 487⅛@487½ for sixty days and 488⅝@489 for demand; posted rates, 488½@490; commercial bills, 488@488¼. Government bonds steady. State bonds dull. Railroad bonds weaker. Silver at the board quiet.

Treasury Balances—Coin, $94,657,000; currency, $54,797,000.

STOCK QUOTATIONS.

	Closing Bids.
American Cotton Oil	29
American Cotton Oil preferred	74½@75
American Sugar	106¾
American Sugar Refineries, pref'd	96¾
American Tobacco	80
American Tobacco preferred	90
Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe	12⅞
Baltimore and Ohio	75¾
Canada Pacific	60¾
Chesapeake and Ohio	18
Chicago and Alton	139
Chicago, Burlington and Quincy	78⅝
Chicago Gas Trust	65¾
Delaware, Lack. and Western	140¾
Distillers	23¾
East Tennessee, Va. and Georgia	9¾
East Tenn., Va. and Ga. preferred	11
Erie	14½
Erie preferred	30
General Electric	35¾
Illinois Central	93
Lake Erie and Western	16⅝
Lake Erie and Western preferred	67
Lake Shore	131⅛
Louisville and Nashville	46¾
Louisville, New Albany & Chicago	8¼
Manhattan Consolidated	127⅝
Memphis and Charleston	5
Michigan Central	96
Missouri Pacific	29⅝
Mobile and Ohio	18½
Nash., Chattanooga and St. Louis	73
National Cordage	24½
National Cordage preferred	48
New Jersey Central	10⅝
New York Central	108¼
New York and New England	47¼
Norfolk and Western preferred	20½
Northern Pacific	4⅝
Northern Pacific preferred	18
Northwestern	108½
Northwestern preferred	142
Pacific Mail	43¾
Reading	17
Richmond and West Point	8½
Rock Island	69⅝
St. Paul	69⅝
St. Paul preferred	119
Silver Certificates	64
Tennessee Coal and Iron	17⅝
Tennessee Coal and Iron preferred	65
Texas Pacific	8¾
Union Pacific	17¾
Wabash	7⅝
Wabash preferred	16¼
Western Union	84⅝
Wheeling and Lake Erie	12
Wheeling and Lake Erie preferred	47½

BONDS.

Alabama—Class A	99
Alabama—Class B	103
Alabama—Class C	92@97
Louisiana Stamped 4's	100
North Carolina 4's	101½
North Carolina 6's	125¼
Tennessee Old 6's	60
Tennessee New Settlement 6's	102
Tennessee New Settlement 5's	101
Tennessee New Settlement 3's	78¾
Virginia 6's	50
Virginia ex-matured Coupons	35
Virginia 2-3, 1991	50½@60
United States 4's, registered	113⅝
United States 4's, coupon	113⅝
United States 2's, coupon	96

LONDON BAR SILVER MARKET.

LONDON, May 11.—Bar silver market unchanged and quoted at 28¾d. per ounce.

CHICAGO.

CHICAGO, ILL., May 11.—Wheat suffered from an unexpected break to-day. There had been too much buying during the past few days, and everybody seemed to be fixed for a bulge, in anticipation of a bullish Government report, in place of which the crowd was treated to a genuine surprise in a weak market. There was some buying near the close, much of it by holders of "puts." July opened at 59⅝c., declined to 59¼c., and closed at 59¼@59½c., a net loss of ⅜c. for the day.

Corn—The corn market declined under free offerings by receivers and long wheat in liquidation. The feeling was imbibed from wheat, although prices did not fare so badly as they did in that market. The range of prices for July was between 39⅝c. and 38¾c., and the close ⅜c. below that of yesterday at 38⅝@38⅞c. There was a fair demand for cash corn. Prices were about ¼c. lower than yesterday.

Oats—The May options were again the weakest delivery. The rest of the market was easier, in sympathy with it and wheat. Offerings were very free and shorts are recovering their courage. At the close May was ⅜c. under yesterday and July ⅛@⅜c. lower.

Provisions—On a light trade the market for product was firm. The hog market was firm and higher. Consequently, a like tone was shown by provisions. The best buying of the day was by the Cudahys, and their purchases constituted the only feature in the dull market. July pork 5c. higher, July lard 7½c. higher, and July ribs 5c. higher. There was a fairly good cash demand for home consumption, but other accounts were dull.

	Opening.	Closing.
Wheat—		
May	57½	56⅝
July	59⅝	58⅝
September	60⅝	59⅝
December	62⅝	61⅝
Corn—		
May	38⅛	37⅝
July	39⅛	38⅞
September	40	38¾
Oats—		
May	34¾	34
June	34⅝	33¼
July	30⅝	30
September	29⅝	29¼
Mess Pork—		
May	$12.30	$12.30
July	12.35	12.35
September	12.40	12.40
Lard—		
May	7.35	7.40
July	7.10	7.12½
September	7.07½	7.10
Ribs—		
May	6.40	6.42½
July	6.37½	6.40
September	6.40	6.40

Cash Quotations—Flour dull and easy; wheat, 56⅝c.; No. 2 red, 56⅝c.; corn, 37¼@37¾c.; oats, 34⅞c.; pork, $12.35@12.37½; lard, $7.40@7.42½; ribs, $6.47½@6.50; shoulders, $5.75@6.00; sides, $6.87½@7.12½; whisky, $1.15.

THE COTTON MARKETS.

NEW YORK, May 11.—Cotton quiet and steady; middling gulf, 7 9-16; middling uplands, 7 5-16. Futures closed very steady; sales, 91,000 bales; May, 7.04; June, 7.07; July, 7.12; August, 7.16; September, 7.19; October, 7.22; November, 7.27; December, 7.32; January, 7.38. Net receipts, 16 bales; gross, 4,148 bales; exports, to Great Britain, 2,722 bales; forwarded, 649 bales; sales, 141 bales—all spinners; stock, 238,520 bales.

Weekly—Net receipts, 788 bales; gross, 21,773 bales; exports, to Great Britain, 5,839 bales; France, 379 bales; Continent, 3,243 bales; forwarded, 7,673 bales; sales, 4,469 bales; spinners, 1,660 bales.

Total to-day—Net receipts, 4,099 bales; exports, to Great Britain, 13,564 bales; France, 5,703 bales; Continent, 2,542 bales; stock, 512,443 bales.

Total so far this week—Net receipts, 23,043 bales; exports, to Great Britain, 29,496 bales; France, 6,082 bales; Continent, 16,273 bales.

Total since September 1st—Net receipts, 5,704,571 bales; exports, to Great Britain, 2,702,313 bales; France, 580,765 bales; Continent, 1,515,118 bales; channel, 9,681 bales.

NEW ORLEANS, May 11.—Cotton futures steady; sales, 51,700 bales; May, 6.83; June, 6.88; July, 6.91; August, 6.96; September, 6.90; November, 6.96; December, 6.70; January, 7.06.

The following are the total net receipts of cotton at all ports since September 1, 1893: Galveston, 990,625 bales; New Orleans, 1,814,545 bales; Mobile, 212,776 bales; Savannah, 932,974 bales; Charleston, 401,754 bales; Wilmington, 188,878 bales; Norfolk, 467,722 bales; Baltimore, 60,094 bales; New York, 113,189 bales; Boston, 96,847 bales; Newport News, 48,896 bales; Philadelphia, 55,169 bales; West Point, 236,296 bales; Brunswick, 66,519 bales; Velasco, 8,292 bales; Pensacola, 75,016 bales. Total, 5,771,534 bales. Deduct 66,963 bales from net receipts since September 1st, making the corrected total 5,704,571 bales.

LIVERPOOL, May 11.—12:30 P. M.—Cotton—Fair business done at steady prices; American middling, 3 15-16; sales, 10,000 bales; American, 9,400 bales; speculation and export, 1,000 bales; receipts, 12,000 bales; American, 11,400 bales. Futures firm and demand fair; May and June, 3 5-64; June and July, 3 55-64@3 56-64; July and August, 3 56-64@3 57-64; August and September, 3 57-64@3 58-64; September and October, 3 58-64@3 59-64; October and November, 3 59-64@3 60-64; November and December, 3 60-64@3 61-64; December and January, 3 61-64. Tenders, 4,400 bales new dockets and 1,800 bales old dockets.

4 P. M.—May, 3 54-64@3 55-64; May and June, 3 54-64@3 55-64; June and July, 3 56-64, values; July and August, 3 57-64, buyers; August and September, 3 58-64, buyers; September and October, 3 58-64; October and November, 3 60-64 bid; November and December, 3 61-64 bid; December and January, 3 62-64. Futures closed quiet but steady.

Sales of the week, 59,000 bales; American, 51,000 bales; forwarded from ship's side to spinners, 60,000 bales; actual export, 7,000 bales; total imports, 45,000 bales; American, 37,000 bales; total stock, 1,091,000 bales; American, 1,429,000 bales; total afloat, 77,000 bales; American, 60,000 bales; speculators took 100 bales and exporters took 4,000 bales.

THE DAILY COTTON LETTER.

Following is the daily cotton letter of Atwood, Violett & Co., of New York, by private wire to C. W. Branch & Co.:

There has been considerable buying here to-day for the Continent and Liverpool, indicating that they are discrediting private reports of a largely increased acreage, inasmuch as the bureau report of yesterday estimated smaller acreage than last season. Our idea has been continually that the South is not in condition financially to prepare for a large crop, because people there, as elsewhere, are discouraged and depressed by universally unfavorable commercial conditions, and as the world's visible supply of all kinds and of American is quite sufficient for present and immediate future requirements, it would seem suicidal to prepare for a supply that would largely augment what is already in sight on the other side, if not in this country. We are rather disposed to believe that the bureau, in its official announcement as to what the acreage is to an acre on June 10th, will show little, if any, increase in area over last year. If this should be realized, and crop conditions become in the slightest unfavorable, it would mean a very rapid advance in cotton despite the depressed state of business affairs, because American cotton, after all, is a limited crop in size, and whether the next crop should be 7,000,000 bales, 7,500,000 bales, or 8,000,000 bales, it will have to provide for all the short interest in all of the future markets in this country and abroad, and also 65 per cent. to 70 per cent. of the spinning needs of the world. On Friday, May 4th, the visible supply in this country at ports and at interior was only about 250,000 bales more than the same date in 1879, while on the 24th of the same month, in 1879, July contracts sold here at 14-26, a difference of over 7 cents between that price and quotations here to-day. The crop of that year was 5,000,000 bales; port receipts to-day 3,900 bales, against 4,300 bales last year, and for the week 23,018 bales, against 28,000 bales last year. The visible supply to-day at Liverpool of American was 1,429,000 bales, against 1,340,000 bales, and afloat for Liverpool 60,000 bales, against 65,000 bales, amount that came into sight this week, according to New Orleans Exchange 31,000 bales, against 37,000 bales last year. Interior receipts, 3,658 bales, against 5,444 bales last year. Interior stocks will lose since last Friday about 15,000 bales, according to the Chronicle. Exports to-day were 23,000 bales.

BALTIMORE.

BALTIMORE, MD., May 11.—Flour dull and unchanged.

Wheat dull and lower; No. 2 red spot and May, 58⅞@59c.; June, 59⅛c. bid; July, 59⅝@60c.; August, 60⅛@60⅜c.; steamer No. 2 red, 55½c. asked; milling wheat, by sample, 59@60c.

Corn quiet; spot, 45½c.; May, 44¾c. bid; July, 44⅝c. bid; steamer mixed, 46@53½c.; southern corn, by sample, 45½@46c.; do. on grades, 45¾c. bid.

Oats firm; No. 2 white, western, 43c. bid; No. 2 mixed, western, 40@41c.

Rye dull; No. 2, 57@58c.

Hay steady and unchanged.

Freights dull and unchanged.

Provisions steady; mess pork, $15.00; bulk shoulders, $7.25; short rib sides and clear sides, $7.75; sugar-cured shoulders, $8.75; hams, small, $12.25; large, $11.75.

Lard—Refined, $9.00.

Butter steady; creamery, fancy, 17c.; ladle, fancy, 14c.; store-packed, 7@11c.

Eggs steady at 9½@10c.

Coffee steady; No. 7, $16.50.

Sugar easy; granulated, $4.25.

Bonds—Virginia 3's, new, 72@72½; Baltimore and Ohio stock, 76 asked; Consolidated Gas bonds, 115¼; do. stocks, 65@65½.

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

NEW YORK, May 11.—Flour dull and weak; winter wheat, low grades, $1.90@2.50; patent, $3.90@4.20; Minnesota clear, $2.20@2.75; superfine, $1.90@2.10; do. patent, $3.25@4.15. Southern flour dull and weak; common to fair extra, $2.00@3.00; good to choice, $3.00@3.50.

Wheat quiet at ¼c. lower, closing firm; No. 2 red, store and elevator, 59¾@59⅞c.; afloat, 60½@61c. Options fairly active and weak at a decline of ⅛@⅜c.; No. 2 red closed: May, 59¾c.; July, 61c.; September, 63c.

Corn moderately active at ¼c. lower, closing firm; No. 2, 43½c., elevator; 44½c. afloat. Options were dull and ⅛@¼c. lower, closing weak; May, 43½c.; June, 43¾c.; July, 44½c.

Oats dull and easier; May, 38⅛c.; June, 37⅞c.; July, 37½c. Spot—No. 2, 38c.; No. 2 white, 42@42½c.; mixed western, 40@46½c.; white do., 42@45½c.

Hay—Choice fairly active and firm; shipping, 60@65c.; good to choice, 80@90c.

Wool in moderate demand and fair; domestic fleece, 20@25c.; pulled, 16@25c.

Beef dull and steady; family, $12.00@14.00; extra mess, $8.00@8.50; beef hams quiet at $18.00; tierced beef slow; city extra, India mess, $19.00@21.00; cut meats unchanged; dry salted shoulders, $6.00; hams, $10.25; middles nominal.

Lard firmer and quiet; western steam closed at $7.12½. Futures nominal.

Pork steady and quiet; old mess, $13.75@14.00; extra prime, $13.50.

Butter—Fancy in fair demand and steady; State dairy, new, 12@17c.; do., old, 10@12c.; creamery, new, 14@17c.; western dairy, new, 9@12c.; do., creamery, new, 13@17c.; Elgins, 17c.

Cotton seed oil dull and nominal; crude, 29@30c.; yellow, 33c.

Petroleum quiet and unchanged.

Rosin quiet; strained, common to good, $1.20@1.25.

Turpentine dull and steady at 29½@30c.

Rice dull and steady; domestic, fair to extra, 3¾@5¼c.; Japan, 4⅝@4⅞c.

Molasses—Foreign nominal; New Orleans, open kettle, good to choice, dull and steady at 30@38c.

Peanuts quiet.

Coffee—Options steadier and unchanged to 5 points down; May, $15.45; July, $15.20; August, $14.90. Spot Rio quiet and steady; No. 7, $16.50.

Sugar—Raw fairly active and firm; refining, 2 7-16c. Refined quiet and steady; off A, 3 11-16@3 5-16c.; standard A, 4@4 3-16c.; cut-loaf, 4⅝@4 15-16c.; crushed, 4⅝@4 15-16c.; granulated, 4@4 5-16c.

Freights to Liverpool quiet; cotton, 3-32d.; grain, 1d.

CHICAGO CATTLE MARKET.

UNION STOCK YARDS, ILL., May 11.—Cattle—Receipts, 6,000; market steady; common steers, $3.50@4.25; stockers and feeders, $2.75@4.80; cows and bulls, $1.65@3.40; calves, $2@5.75.

Hogs—Receipts, 15,500; market strong; heavy, $5@5.25; common to choice mixed, $4.90@5.25; choice assorted, $5.15@5.20; light, $4.85@5.15; pigs, $4.50@5.

Sheep—Receipts, 8,000; market easy; inferior to choice, $1.50@3.25; lambs, $3.25@4.25; spring lambs, $4.50@6.50.

SAVANNAH.

SAVANNAH, GA., May 11.—Spirits turpentine market firm at 27½c. for regulars; sales, 400 casks.

Rosin firm at advance; sales, about 2,500 barrels; quote A, B, C, D, $1.15; E, $1.20; F, $1.25; G, $1.40; H, $1.75; I, $1.95; K, $2.25; M, $2.40; N, $2.60; window glass, $2.75; water white $3.

CINCINNATI.

CINCINNATI, O., May 11.—Flour—Spring patent, $3.40@3.65; family, $2.40@2.65.

Wheat—No demand; No. 2 red, 55c.

Corn active; No. 2 white, 43c.; No. 2 mixed, 42½c.

Oats steady; No. 2 mixed, 40½c.; No. 2 white, track, 41c.

Pork—Mess, $12.75; clear mess, $13.75; family, $12.25.

Whisky steady at $1.15.

Bacon steady; shoulders, $6.75; short rib sides, $7.12½; short clear and boxed short clear sides, $7.62½.

Lard dull; prime steam, $7.12½@7.25 bid.

CHARLESTON.

CHARLESTON, S. C., May 11.—Turpentine firm at 26c.

Rosin, good strained, 95c.; held higher.

TOBACCO EXCHANGE.

RICHMOND, VA., May 11, 1894.

Offerings of tobacco at auction on Change to-day, 28 packages sun-cured tobaccos. One package sold at $13, one at $12.25, one at $5.60, one at $5.20, one at $4.60, one at $4.40, one at $4.35, one at $3.80, three at $3.50, one at $3.40, one at $3.30, two at $3, one at $2.45, two at $2.40, two at $2.30, one at $2.25, one at $2.10, three at $2, one at $1.90, one at $1.80, one at $1.70.

Private sales reported to the secretary of the Richmond Tobacco Trade to-day: Wrappers, 16 hogsheads; fillers, 2; scrap (bright), 1; leaf (dark), 4; lugs (dark), 4. Total, 27 hogsheads.

The tobacco inspector reports to-day: Inspections—Bright, 33 hogsheads and 17 tierces; dark, 23 hogsheads and 17 tierces. Reinspections—Bright, 40 hogsheads; dark, 5 hogsheads and 15 tierces; western, 1 hogshead.

Myers', Davenport's, Jones', Alleghany, Crenshaw's, Vaughan's, Seabrook's, Old Dominion, Shelburne's, Shockoe, Neal's, and Planters' tobacco warehouses report to-day: Receipts, 63 packages; deliveries, 64 packages.

United States internal revenue collections for the city of Richmond, Va., to-day: Cigars and cigarettes, $5,230.45; plug tobaccos, $2,167.50. Total, $7,403.95.

Crenshaw's warehouse sold for the week ending to-day, 27,530 pounds dark loose tobaccos; highest price, $10.

A very good sale of bright loose at Shelburne's tobacco warehouse to-day; highest prices were had, quality considered.

A fair sale of dark and bright loose tobaccos at Shockoe warehouse to-day; highest price for dark, $7.

The Planters' tobacco warehouse had a good sale of good tobaccos to-day; prices decidedly higher.

GRAIN AND COTTON EXCHANGE.

RICHMOND, VA., May 11, 1894.

Offerings—Wheat, 600 bushels; corn (white), 200 bushels; corn (mixed), 200 bushels.

Sales—Wheat, 600 bushels.

Quotations—Wheat—Longberry, 60c. to 61c.; mixed, 59c. to 61c.; shortberry, 58c. to 61c.; No. 2 red, 60½c. to 61c.

Corn—White, Virginia (bag lots), 48c. to 49c.; No. 2 white, 48c.; No. 2 mixed, 47c.

Oats—No. 2 mixed, 40c.; No. 3 mixed, 38½c. to 39c.

Rye, 53c. to 55c.

WILMINGTON.

WILMINGTON, N. C., May 11.—Rosin firm; strained, 85c.; good strained, 90c.

Turpentine firm at 26½c.

Tar firm at $1.15.

Crude turpentine firm; hard, $1.60; soft, $1.70; virgin, $2.15.

COUNTRY PRODUCE—WHOLESALE.

Butter—Choice butter scarce and in active demand; common butter plentiful and very dull. The quotations are as follows: Fancy dairy, 20@21c.; choice dairy, 17@18c.; choice family (packed), 17@20c.; choice store (packed), 15@17c.; medium store (packed), 12½@14c.; old common butter, 7@10c.

Eggs—Receipts fair and demand steady at quotations. The present quotations are: In crates, near by and fresh, 10c.; in crates, fresh and clean, 10c.; in barrels and boxes (fresh), 10c.

Poultry—Receipts of old fowls equal the demand. Following are present prices: Spring chickens scarce and wanted (live), per pound, 18@22c.; ducks (live), per pound, 8@9c.; hens (live), per pound, 8c.; geese (live), per head, 40@50c.; roosters (old), per pound, 4@5c.

Fruits—Receipts oranges light and prices higher. Quotations are as follows: choice brights, 150's to 200's, $3.75@4.00; choice Russetts, 150's to 200's, $3.50@4.00; choice 96's to 128's, $3.00@3.50.

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

MINIATURE ALMANAC, May 12, 1894.

Sun rises	5:04
Sun sets	7:08
Moon sets	1:21 A. M.
Day's length	14h.4m.

HIGH TIDE.

Morning	11:05
Evening	11:47

PORT OF WEST POINT, May 11, 1894.

ARRIVED.

Steamship Danville, Baltimore, Murphy, passengers and general cargo.

SAILED.

Steamship Danville, Baltimore, Murphy, passengers and general cargo.

SUNDAY CHURCH NOTICES.

THE BROAD-STREET MISSION (712 east Broad street).—Open every night. Noon-day prayer-meeting every day except Sunday. All welcome.

PINE-STREET BAPTIST CHURCH (corner Pine and Albemarle streets), Rev. J. B. HUTSON, pastor.—Preaching Sunday at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. by the pastor. Sunday school at 9 A. M. Prayer-meeting Wednesday night at 8 o'clock. Young people's meeting Friday night at 8 o'clock. Young men's meeting Monday night at 8 o'clock.

HIGHLAND PARK METHODIST church.—Preaching at 11 A. M. and at 7:30 P. M. by the pastor, Rev. J. N. LATHAM. Sabbath school at 9:30 A. M. Prayer-meeting Wednesday night at 8 o'clock.

GRACE-STREET PRESBYTERIAN church, Rev. JAMES Y. FAIR, D. D., pastor.—Services at 11 o'clock A. M. and 8 o'clock P. M.—preaching by the pastor. Sunday school services at 9:45 o'clock A. M. Wednesday night services at 8 o'clock. Young People's Christian Endeavor meeting at 7:15 o'clock P. M. ts

MIZPAH (PRESBYTERIAN), CHESTNUT Hill, Rev. W. McC. WHITE, pastor.—Services every Lord's-Day at 4 P. M. Sabbath school at 3 P. M. Midweek meeting at 8 P. M. All invited to attend.

ST. JAMES METHODIST EPISCOPAL church (corner Twenty-ninth and Marshall streets), Rev. J. W. MOORE, pastor.—Preaching Sunday at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sunday school at 9:15 A. M. Wednesday and Friday night prayer-meetings at 8 o'clock. A cordial welcome to all.

EAST-END BAPTIST CHURCH (CORNER Twenty-eighth and R streets).—Preaching by the pastor, J. T. TUCKER, at 11 A. M. and 8:15 P. M. Sunday school at 9:30 A. M. ts

ALL SAINTS' P. E. CHURCH (MADISON, near Grace), Rev. J. Y. DOWNMAN, rector.—Morning services at 11 A. M. Evening services at 8 P. M. Sunday school at 9:30 A. M. ts

MOORE MEMORIAL PROTESTANT Episcopal church (north Laurel street opposite the Park), Rev. J. J. GRAVATT, rector. Sunday services at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. Sunday school at 9:30 in the chapel. Wednesday evening service at 8 o'clock. Holy Communion first Sunday at 11 A. M. and third in chapel at 8 o'clock. Children's service Sunday at 7:30 A. M. Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Second Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Holy-Day services at 11 A. M. All persons welcome and will be furnished seats by ushers. ts

GROVE-AVENUE BAPTIST CHURCH (corner Grove avenue and Beach street).—Rev. J. C. HIDEN, D. D., pastor, will preach at 11 A. M. and 8:15 P. M.

SECOND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH. Dr. HOGE will preach at 11 A. M. and at 8 P. M.

ST. JOHN'S PROTESTANT EPISCOPAL church (Broad street, between Twenty-fourth and Twenty-fifth).—Services at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M., the rector, Rev. R. A. GOODWIN, officiating. A cordial welcome to all.

TRINITY METHODIST EPISCOPAL church (corner Broad and Twentieth streets), Rev. J. S. HUNTER, pastor.—Preaching at 11 A. M. and at 8 P. M. by the pastor. Wednesday night service at 8 o'clock. Sunday school at 9:15 A. M. A cordial welcome to all.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH, CORNER Grace and Pine streets), Rev. H. A. BAGBY, pastor.—Preaching at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. Sunday school at 9 A. M. Prayer-meeting and lecture Wednesday night, and young men's prayer-meeting Saturday night. Seats free and a hearty welcome to all.

GRACE EPISCOPAL CHURCH (CORNER of Main and Foushee streets)—Rev. LANDON R. MASON, rector.—Services Sunday at 11 A. M. and 8:15 P. M. Sunday school at 9:30 A. M. Holy communion first Sunday in each month at 11 A. M. and on the third Sunday at 7:30 A. M.

LIFE AND ADVENT CHRISTIAN Church (Gatewood's Hall, 318 west Broad street).—Bible class and Sunday school at 9:30 A. M. Conference and prayer at 11 A. M. Preaching at 3:30 P. M., followed by communion service. Prayer-meeting every Wednesday night at 8 o'clock, and Bible study every Tuesday night at 412 south Belvidere street.

ST. MARK'S (CORNER FIRST AND Clay), Rev. GEORGE C. ABBITT, rector.—Services at 11 A. M. and at 5 P. M. on Sunday. Lecture Wednesday at 8 P. M.

ST. LUKE'S EPISCOPAL CHAPEL (corner Beverly and Washington streets), Rev. C. R. KUYK, minister in charge.—Sunday school at 3:45 P. M. Sunday service at 5 P. M. Thursday night at 8 P. M. Evening service at 4:30 P. M. Evening prayer and song service, with lecture, every Friday night at 8 o'clock. You will be cordially welcomed at any of the services. If you do not attend religious services elsewhere, we would be especially pleased to have you come and worship with us regularly.

RESCUE MISSION (551 EAST FRANKLIN street).—Gospel meetings Sunday at 4 o'clock and 8 o'clock; also, Tuesday and Friday nights at 8 o'clock. Come.

"THE CHRISTIAN ALLIANCE," DESIGNED to promote a deeper Christian life, will meet every Sunday at 4 P. M. in the Broad-Street Mission Hall, 712 east Broad street. The Broad-Street Mission is open every night at 8 o'clock. Noon-day prayer-meeting every day from 12 to 12:45 o'clock (except Sunday). A cordial welcome to all.

MONUMENTAL EPISCOPAL CHURCH (Thirteenth and Broad streets), Rev. JOHN P. NEWTON, rector.—Sunday school at 9:30 A. M. Services at 11 A. M. and 5 P. M. Seats free. Welcome to all.

PARK-PLACE METHODIST CHURCH (corner Franklin and Pine streets).—Preaching at 11 A. M. by Rev. SAM SMALL. Preaching at 8 P. M. by the pastor, Rev. W. J. YOUNG, D. D.—subject: "Roger Williams and the Baptists." Sunday school at 9:30 A. M. Class meeting at 3 P. M. Prayer-meeting Wednesday at 8 P. M. Young people's meeting Friday at 8 P. M. Sunday school at Epworth Mission (Reservoir street) at 3 P. M.

UNION GOSPEL MISSION (CORNER Eighth and Main streets).—Interesting meetings on Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock and 8 o'clock at night; also, Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday nights during the week, conducted by Mrs. R. M. GLOVER and coworkers. A welcome to one and all. tf

BROAD-STREET METHODIST church (corner Broad and Tenth streets), Rev. W. V. TUDOR, D. D., pastor.—Sunday school at 9:30 A. M. Preaching by the pastor at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. Subject at 8 P. M.: "The Common Weal; or, Our National Destiny." At 3 P. M. Sunday young people's meeting. Service Wednesday at 8 P. M. Class-meeting Thursday at 8 P. M. Young men's meeting Saturday at 8 P. M.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH (Grace and Madison streets).—Rev. T. R. ENGLISH, D. D., will preach at 11 A. M. Memorial services of the late J. D. K. SLEIGHT at 4:30 P. M. No service at night.

CLAY-STREET METHODIST EPISCOPAL church (corner Adams and Clay streets).—Preaching by the pastor, Rev. R. T. WILSON, at 11 A. M.—subject: "John's Testimony to the Mission of Jesus to be the Saviour of the World." 8 P. M.—subject: "The Price of a Man—The Difference between Pagan and Christian Estimates." 9:15 A. M., Sunday school. 2:30 P. M., young men's prayer-meeting. Wednesday, 8 P. M., regular services and meeting of all the committees of "The Church at Work" for election of officers. Friday, 8 P. M., meeting of Epworth League. Seats free. Cordial invitation to all.

GRACE-STREET BAPTIST CHURCH (corner Grace and Foushee streets), Rev. WILLIAM E. HATCHER, D. D., pastor.—Sunday school at 9 A. M. Preaching by Rev. E. L. PELL at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. Prayer-meeting Wednesday night at 8 o'clock. Young People's Union Friday night at 8 o'clock. Young men's meeting Saturday night at 8 o'clock.

UNITARIAN CHURCH, REV. GEO. LEONARD CHANEY, pastor.—Services in Belvidere Hall, 437 west Main street. Preaching at 11 A. M.—subject: "Religious Unity—How May It be Secured?" Sunday school at 12:30 P. M.

LEIGH-STREET BAPTIST CHURCH (corner Twenty-fifth and Leigh streets), Rev. W. L. WRIGHT, pastor.—Preaching Sunday at 11 A. M. by the pastor. Baptist Sunday-School Association at 4 P. M. B. Y. P. Union at 5 P. M. Preaching at 8 P. M. by the pastor. Sunday school at 9:15 A. M.

SEVENTH-STREET CHRISTIAN church, JABEZ HALL, pastor.—Preaching at 11 A. M. by the pastor and 8 P. M. by Rev. A. R. MOORE