RISE IN READING WAS WET BLANKET

Violent Jump Checked Speculative Enthusiasm and Reversed Upward Course of Prices.

A PARTIAL REVIVAL LATER ON

Threatened Strike of Pennsylvania Railway Trainmen Causes Undertone of Anxiety.

(By Associated Press.)

NEW YORK, Jan. 19.—Transactions on the Stock Exchange were not as large today as yesterday, but sales touched about the million-share mark, and the less congested dealings in Reading sufficiently accounted for the contraction in the total. The movement of prices was hesitating and irregular, the level fluctuating constantly in both directions throughout the day. The violent advance in Reading instead of proving an incitement to the buying of stock elsewhere developed into a positively deterrent factor. The rocket-like rise in that stock to above 90 in the first hour proved a wet blanket to speculative enthusiasm, and the upward course which prices had taken at the opening was reversed. When Reading was let back and quieted somewhat prices were pushed upwards at some other points and efforts made to revive the animation of the market. Rumor continued very busy with assertions of a short interest in Reading, which was in distress. At the same time the way in which the prosperity of the anthracite trade and the great earnings by the coalers were cinarged upon made a diversion of the speculation into the other coalers the easiest recourse for the market leaders. The movement turned first into Ontario and Western and then into the Eries, Amalgamated Copper enjoyed an early advance on the strength of increase of dividend disbursement by a subsidiary company and the expectation of corresponding action by its own directors. But the speculation in the stock proved unusually quiet for a day set apart for dividend action, and it was under pressure on reactions with the rest of the market. Besides the misgivings caused by the fears of trouble amongst a short interest in Reading, the threatened strike of trainmen in the Pennsylvania service caused an undertone of anxiety through the whole market. Pressure against Reading and Amalgamated Copper helped to make the closing easy.

There was a broad and active demand for bonds of practically all grades, and the course of prices was generally upwards. Total sales, par value, $8,005,000. United States bonds were all unchanged on the last call.

The total sales of stocks for the day were 1,047,200 shares.

MONEY AND EXCHANGE—CLOSE: Money on call steady at 1 3-4@3 per cent.; closing bid, 2 per cent.; offered at 2 1-2 per cent.; time loans, sixty days, 2 3-4@3 per cent.; ninety days, 3 per cent.; six months, 3@3 1-4 per cent.; prime mercantile paper, 4@4 1-2 per cent. Sterling exchange strong with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.87.75 for demand and at $4.85.35 for sixty day bills; posted rates, $4.86 and $4.88 1-2; commercial bills, $4.84 3-4@4.85 1-8. Bar silver, 60 1-2; Mexican dollars, 47 1-2.

BALTIMORE STOCK MARKET.

BALTIMORE, MD., Jan. 19.—Seaboard Air Line common—Nothing doing. Seaboard Air Line preferred, 35¾@36¼.

COTTON MARKET.

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—The cotton market developed no new feature and related generally quiet with quotations moving with a range of 7 points. The opening was steady and unchanged to 2 points lower or about in line with the Liverpool cables, which reported a decline of 5@6 points on futures at the hour of the local opening. But spot cotton there was in good demand at the decline of 6 points. There was no hint of further financial trouble in the banking situation South, and there appeared to be no renewal of the pressure which caused the late break here yesterday. Consequently offerings were small, and following the call moderate covering that may have been influenced to some extent by the report of important buying in the New Orleans market near the close yesterday rallied prices to a net gain of about 4@5 points. Following this the market worked off under private reports of weaker Southern spot markets, and in the early afternoon was about 10@12 points net lower. Toward the close early sellers covered, rallying the market to the best point of the session, prices being finally steady, net 3@6 points higher.

The movement continued very small with the into-sight figures for the week thought likely to fall around 150,000 bales against 253,000 bales last year. Official reports from Southern spot markets did not in the least confirm the reports received from private sources of increased offerings, the market being quiet and unchanged.

On the break following the early bulge the bears used the industrial disturbances in Russia and Germany as an argument against prices, but this phase of the situation evidently had little weight in view of the apparance of continued firmness among spot holders.

Estimated receipts at the ports to-day were 15,538 bales against 24,941 last week and 19,122 last year; for the week 135,000 bales against 177,403 last week and 158,245 last year. To-day's receipts at New Orleans were 8,178 bales against 8,635 last year, and at Houston 2,798 bales against 5,365 last year.

Cotton futures opened steady and closed very steady:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
January	6.78	6.79	6.76	6.78
February	6.80	6.80	6.80	6.81
March	6.81	6.87	6.83	6.86
April	6.90	6.90	6.90	6.91
May	6.90	6.96	6.89	6.95
June	.....	.....	.....	6.99
July	7.00	7.07	7.00	7.06
August	7.04	7.10	7.04	7.10
September	.....	.....	.....	7.15
October	7.10	7.20	7.10	7.19

Spot cotton closed quiet; middling uplands, 6.80; middling gulf, 6.60; sales, 461 bales.

Cotton, quiet; middling, 7.25; net receipts, 765 bales; gross, 2,626 bales; sales, 464 bales; stock, 85,021 bales; export to France, 987 bales; to the Continent, 700 bales.

Total to-day at all ports—Net receipts, 15,538 bales; export to Great Britain, 11,816 bales; to France, 6,310 bales; to the Continent, 700 bales; to Mexico, 1,148 bales; stock, 873,073 bales.

Consolidated at all ports—Net receipts, 97,446 bales; export to Great Britain, 71,263 bales; to France, ... bales; to the Continent, 31,888 bales; to Mexico, 1,148 bales.

Total since September 1st at all ports—Net receipts, 6,364,841 bales; export to Great Britain, 2,343,095 bales; to France, 53,509 bales; to the Continent, 1,863,985 bales; to Japan, 64,356 bales; to Mexico, 17,710 bales.

Note—The Cotton Exchange will be closed on Saturday, February 11th, and Monday, February 13th, in observance of Lincoln's birthday.

NEW ORLEANS, LA., Jan. 19.—COTTON—Spot cotton quiet; buyers and sellers apart. Sales 1,000 bales, including 150 to arrive. Quotations unchanged.

Futures opened unchanged to 1 point up and closed quiet throughout the session with very narrow fluctuations. The activity of the Liverpool market to-day strength to the local situation, causing a firm undertone. The bears assert that there will be at least a million bales of cotton ginned from December 13th to January 10th, the period to be covered by the forthcoming bureau report. In the trading January opened at 6.70 and advanced to 6.75, and March opened at 6.74, sold down to 6.71 and advanced to 6.78. The net gains were 4@6 points.

Cotton futures steady. January, 6.75@6.76; February, 6.76@6.78; March, 6.78@6.79; April, 6.80@6.82; May, 6.85@6.86; June, 6.89@6.91; July, 6.95@6.96; August, 6.99@7.01; September, 7.01@7.02.

RICHMOND PRODUCE MARKET.

FLOUR—Market continues quiet, but firm with moderate receipts. WHEAT—Active. Very light receipts. CORN—Continues quiet at prices quoted. OATS—Fairly active. RYE—Steady. Light receipts. HAY—Under continued small receipts market is active for the best grades. Low grades dull.

POTATOES—Receipts moderate. Market about steady.

ORANGES—Moderate, but equal to demand, except for small sizes, which are scarce and wanted.

APPLES—Market quiet. Receipts liberal.

ONIONS—Cotninue firm at quotations. Light receipts.

EGGS—Receipts equal to demand and market fairly active.

BUTTER—Prime to choice grades, active; other grades quiet.

POULTRY—Receipts increasing and market weaker with downward tendency.

VIRGINIA BACON—Receipts not heavy, but market is dull.

GAME—Active; light receipts.

RECEIPTS FOR THE WEEK—Wheat, 36,515 bushels; corn, 21,774 bushels; oats, 18,783 bushels; rye, 894 bushels; flour, 2,300 barrels; hay, 230 tons; mill feed, 112 tons.

STOCK IN ELEVATOR—Oats, 55,207 bushels.

POULTRY—LIVE AND DRESSED.		
Turkeys, large and fat, lb	13 @	14
Turkeys, small, poor, per lb	12 @	13
Chickens, per lb	12 @	13
Hens, per lb	11 @	12
Ducks, large, per lb	11 @	12
Ducks, small, per lb	11 @	12
Roosters, per piece	25 @	30
Guineas, per piece	20 @	25
Geese, per piece	50 @	75
Turkeys, dressed, undrawn, lb	14 @	15
Ducks, dressed, undrawn, lb	12 @	13
Geese, dressed, undrawn, lb	12 @	15
Chickens, dressed, undrawn, lb	14 @	15
Hens, dressed, undrawn, lb	14 @	15
Note—Drawn poultry sells from 1 to 2 cents per pound higher than undrawn.		
GAME.		
Wild turkeys, per lb	13 @	14
Partridges, large, per doz	1.25 @	1.50
Partridges, small, per doz	75 @	1.00
Phaesants, each	35 @	50
Rabbits, large, fresh, each	13 @	15
Rabbits, small, fresh, each	6 @	7
Squirrels, each	4 @	5
BUTTER.		
Choice family packed	17 @	18
Fancy dairy packed	19 @	20
Choice dairy packed	18 @	20
Choice store packed	16 @	17
Medium	14 @	15
Common	10 @	12
Choice yellow rolls	17 @	18
Mixed, white and yellow	15 @	16
EGGS.		
Crates, nearby, fresh laid		26
Crates, other sections		25
Barrels and boxes		24
FRUITS AND VEGETABLES.		
APPLES—		
Per bbl., fancy, handpacked	2.25 @	2.50
Per bbl., choice handpacked	2.00 @	2.25
Per bbl., medium handpacked	1.75 @	2.00
Per bbl., common	1.00 @	1.50
LEMONS—Per box	2.75 @	3.00
ORANGES—Florida, fancy	2.00 @	2.25
Florida, choice	1.75 @	2.00
Florida, off grades	1.00 @	1.50
BLACK PEAS	1.15	
BLACKEYE PEAS—		
Prime to fancy	1.30 @	1.40
Common to good	1.20 @	1.25
CLAY PEAS—Per bushel	1.05 @	1.10
MIXED PEAS	1.00 @	1.10
BEANS—		
Navy, No. 1 white	1.60 @	1.75
Common to choice	1.20 @	1.60
Mixed, per bushel	1.30 @	1.45
Colored	1.25	
POTATOES—Fancy, per bus	40 @	42
No. 1 per bbl	1.50 @	1.75
No. 2 per bbl	1.00 @	1.25
Gulls, per bbl	75	
ONIONS—Per bus	85 @	1.00
CELERY—Large, fancy, doz	60 @	75
CABBAGES—Per lb	1	
Per ton	13.00 @	15.00
TOMATOES—Fancy, per car	2.00 @	3.00
LETTUCE—Per ½ bbl. basket	1.25 @	1.50
HAY.		
No. 1 Timothy	15.00	
No. 2 Timothy	13.50 @	14.00
No. 3 Timothy	11.00 @	12.50
No. 1 clover, mixed	13.00 @	13.50
No. 2 clover, mixed	12.00 @	12.50
No. 1 clover	13.00	
No. 2 clover	nominal	
Virginia Timothy, No. 1	13.50 @	14.00
Virginia Timothy, No. 2	12.00 @	13.00
Virginia mixed	9.00 @	12.00
Clover, Virginia	nominal	
SHUCKS—Baled, compressed	8.50 @	9.00
Baled, large bales	8.00 @	8.50
STRAW—Compressed	8.50 @	9.00
Loose pressed, large bales	9.00 @	9.50
Load your cars so that hay at doors represents contents, and thus avoid rejections.		
FLOUR.		
Winter superior	4.00 @	4.25
Winter extra	4.50 @	4.75
Winter clears	5.50 @	5.75
Winter straights	5.75 @	6.00
Winter patents	6.25 @	6.50
Buckwheat, per lb	2½@	3
CORNMEAL—City, sacked	62½@	65
Country, bolted, sacked	55	
MILLFEED—		
Shipstuff, ton, sacked, winter	21.50	
Bran, winter	20.00	
Shipstuff, spring	20.50	@ 21.00
Bran	20.00	
WHEAT.		
No. 2 red	1.20	
No. 3 red	1.17	@ 1.19
Steamer	1.17	@ 1.19
Rejected	85	@ 1.15
Va. bag lots	1.10	@ 1.19
CORN.		
No. 2 white	53	
No. 3 white	51½	
No. 2 mixed	51½	
No. 3 mixed	50	
Va. corn, on cob	54	@ 52
Va. corn, bag lots	54	@ 52
OATS.		
Winter seed oats	40	@ 45
No. 2 mixed	36½	
No. 3 mixed	35½	
No. 2 white	37	@ 37½
No. 3 white	36½@	37
Rye	80	@ 85
HIDES.		
Dry flint, per lb	13	@ 14
Dry salted, per lb	11	@ 12
Green salted, per lb	8	
Green, per pound	7	
Dry flint calfskins, per lb	11	@ 12
Sheep skins	50	@ 80
Green salted calf skins	55	@ 80
Lambskins	15	@ 60
COUNTRY PRODUCE—WHOLESALE.		
FEATHERS—Live geese, lb	40	@ 50
Mixed, per lb	30	@ 40
SEEDS—		
Clover, wholesale, per bus	6.75	@ 7.00
Timothy, wholesale	1.25	@ 1.35
Orchard grass, wholesale	1.25	@ 1.35
Buckwheat, per bus	80	@ 90
German millet, per bushel	80	@ 90
BEESWAX—Per lb	26	
DRIED APPLES—Slicer, per lb	3	@ 3½
Quartered	3	
Common to good	2	@ 3
DRIED PEACHES—Peeled, lb	11	@ 12
Peeled, dark, lb	8	@ 9
Unpeeled, per lb	4	@ 5
CHEERIES—		
Pitted (new) dry order	10	@ 11
RASPBERRIES—Per lb	16	@ 18
BLACKBERRIES	4	@ 5
WHORTLEBERRIES	9	@ 10
WOOL—		
Tub washed, free of burrs	20	@ 22
Unwashed, free of burrs	26	
Merino, unwashed	15	@ 18
Burry, 2@5c. per lb. less.		
ROOTS—		
Ginseng, per lb	6.00	@ 7.00
Seneca, per lb	45	@ 50
Virginia snake, per lb	20	@ 25
May apple, per lb	3	@ 4
True pink, per lb	10	@ 12
Wild ginger, free of fibre	8	@ 12
Wild ginger, natural	6	@ 7
PEANUTS—Per lb. (farmers)	3½	@ 5
BACON—Hams, small	15	@ 16
Hams, large	12	@ 14
Sides, dressed	9	
Shoulders, smoked	8	
DRESSED HOGS	5	@ 6½
LARD—Country prime	8	@ 10
FLAXSEED—Per bushel	1.20	@ 1.40
TALLOW—Per lb	3	
WALNUT KERNELS—Per lb	12	@ 14
BLACK WALNUTS—Per bus	50	
CHICKEN COOPS	85	@ 90
TURKEY COOPS	1.15	@ 1.25
EGG CRATES	45	@ 50
BUTTER BUCKETS—Per doz	2.75	@ 3.00

Other Produce Markets.

NEW YORK, Jan. 19.—FLOUR—Quiet and lower. Rye Flour—Dull. Buckwheat Flour—Dull—Cornmeal—Steady. Barley—Quiet.

Wheat—Weak; No. 2 red, $1.19½; Options ½@1½c net lower. May closed at $1.14⅝; July, $1.02½.

Corn—Steady; No. 2, 62½c. Options ¼c. net lower. May closed at 50@50¼c. Oats—Irregular; mixed, 37½@38c.

Beef—Steady. Cut Meats—Nominal; refined, steady. Pork—Steady. Tallow—Quiet. Rosin—Steady; strained, $2.87½. Turpentine—Easy at 56½@57c.

Coffee—Spot, quiet. Futures unchanged to 5 points lower. Sugar—Raw, strong, fair refining, 4¾c.; centrifugal, 96 test, 4¾c.; molasses sugar, 4½c.; refined, firm. Confectioners' A, $6.00; mould A, $6.50; cut loaf and crushed, $6.85; granulated, $6.15; cubes, $6.40. Rice—Firm. Molasses—Steady.

Butter—Firm and unchanged. Cheese—Firm and unchanged. Eggs—Easier; nearby, fancy, 35@36c.; Southerns, 22@27c.

Potatoes—Quiet; Long Island, $1.75@2.00; State and Western, $1.25@1.50; Jersey sweets, $2@3.75. Cabbages—Quiet; flat Dutch, per 100, $2@3.00. Peanuts—Steady; fancy handpicked, 5¼@5½c.; other domestic, 3¼@5½c. Cotton—By steam to Liverpool, 12@16c.

CHICAGO, ILL., Jan. 19.—Heavy liquidation following a predictation of greatly increased shipments from Argentina caused a fall of 2c. a bushel to-day in the price of wheat. A fraction of the loss was recovered, May wheat at the close being off 1½@1⅝c.; corn is down ½@¾c.; oats show a loss of ¼@⅝c., and provisions are practically unchanged.

The leading futures ranged as follows:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
WHEAT—No. 2.				
May	$1.16¼	1.16¼	1.14¼	1.14⅝
July	98½	98¾	98	98¼
CORN—No. 2.				
Jan.	.....	.....	.....	42¼
May	45⅛	45⅛	44¾	44⅞
July	46½	46½	45¾	45¾
OATS—No. 2.				
Jan.	30¼	30¼	30¼	30¼
May	31⅜	31⅜	30¾	31
July	31⅜	31⅜	31	31
MESS PORK—Per bbl.				
Jan.	.....	.....	.....	12.37
May	12.62	12.65	12.62	12.65
LARD—Per 100 lbs.				
Jan.	6.62	6.65	6.62	6.65
May	6.82	6.85	6.82	6.85
July	6.95	6.97	6.95	6.97
SHORT RIBS—Per 100 lbs.				
Jan.	.....	.....	.....	6.42
May	6.67	6.70	6.67	6.70
July	6.82	6.82	6.82	6.82

Cash quotations were as follows—FLOUR—Easy. No. 2 spring wheat, $1.12@1.16; No. 3, $1.02@1.14; No. 2 red, $1.16¼@1.18. No. 2 corn, 42½c.; No. 2 yellow, 43c. No. 2 oats, 30½c.; No. 2 white, 33c.; No. 3 white, 31@31½c. No. 2 rye, 75c. Good feeding barley, 37@38c.; fair to choice malting, 43@48c. No. 1 flaxseed, $1.10; No. 1 northwestern, $1.12½. Mess pork, per barrel, $12.40@12.45; lard, per 100 pounds, $6.62; short ribs sides (loose), $6.25@6.50; short clear sides (boxed), $6.50@6.62. Whiskey—basis of high wines, $1.23. Clover, contract grade, $13.00. Butter—Easy; creameries, 19@30c.; dairies, 18@22c. Cheese—Firm at 11@12c. Eggs—Weaker at mark, cases included, 19@20c.; firsts, 23c.; prime firsts, 25c.; extras, 27c.

BALTIMORE, MD., Jan. 19.—FLOUR—Quiet and unchanged. Wheat—Dull and easy; spot, contract, and the month, $1.15⅝@1.16; Southern by sample, $1@1.15. Corn—Steady; spot and the month, 50⅝@50¾c.; Southern white, 45@50c. Oats—Dull and easy; No. 2 white, 37½@37¾c. Rye—Steady. Butter—Firm and unchanged; fancy imitation, 22@23c.; do. creamery, 29@31c. Eggs—Easy at 25c. Cheese—Firm and unchanged. Sugar—Strong; coarse and fine granulated, $6.25.

RICHMOND GRAIN MARKET.

Richmond, Va., Jan. 19, 1905.

QUOTATIONS.

WHEAT—		
Longberry (car lots)	$1.19	@$1.20
Mixed (car lots)	1.19	@ 1.20
Shortberry (car lots)	1.19	@ 1.20
No. 2 red (car lots)	1.20	
Va. bag lots	1.10	@ 1.19
CORN—		
White, Va. bag lots	50	@ 53
No. 2 white (car lots)	52	@ 52½
No. 3 white (car lots)	51½@	52
No. 2 mixed (car lots)	51½@	52
No. 3 mixed (car lots)	61	@ 51½
OATS—		
No. 2 mixed (car lots)	36	@ 36½
No. 3 mixed (car lots)	35½@	36
No. 2 white (car lots)	37	@ 37½
No. 3 white (car lots)	36	@ 37
Winter seed	40	@ 45
RYE	80	@ 85

CATTLE MARKETS.

CHICAGO, ILL., Jan. 19.—CATTLE—Receipts, 18,000 head. Market steady to 10c. lower. Good to prime steers, $5.75@6.25; poor to medium, $4.35@4.60; stockers and feeders, $4@4.25; cows and heifers, $4.15@5.15; bulls, $2.10@4.10; calves, $3@8.00. Hogs—Receipts, 30,000 head. Market steady to 5c. lower. Mixed and butchers, $4.30@4.65; good to choice heavy, $4.60@4.70; rough, heavy, $4.40@4.60; light, $4.25@4.65; bulk of sales, $4.40@4.62½. Sheep—Receipts, 17,000 head. Market steady; lambs 15c. lower. Good to choice wethers, $5@5.50; fair to choice, mixed, $4@4.90; native lambs, $5.75@6.40.

NEW YORK, Jan. 19.—BEEVES—Receipts, 322 head. Nothing doing; feeling weak, except for strictly good beeves. Calves—Receipts, 80 head. Feeling steady. Veals, $5@6.90; little calves, $4; barnyard calves, nominal. Dressed calves slow; city dressed, 9@12c.; few extra, 14½c.; country dressed, 6@12c.; dressed barnyard and fed calves, 4@8c. per pound. Sheep and Lambs—Quiet and steady. Sheep, $4.50; few choice, $6.00; lambs, $7.25@8.00. Hogs—Receipts, 7,639 head. Nominally steady.

UNION STOCK YARDS, PITTSBURG, PA., Jan. 19.—CATTLE—Supply light; market steady. Choice, $5.40@5.60; prime, $5.20@5.35. Hogs—Receipts, light; market slow. Prime heavy, $4.50@4.55; mediums, $4.60; heavy yorkers, $4.75@4.80; light yorkers, $4.60@4.70; pigs, $4.50@4.55; roughs, $4@4.25. Sheep—Supply light; market steady. Prime wethers, $5.15@6.00; common sheep, $2.50@3.25; spring lambs, $6@7.75; veal calves, $8@8.25.

CINCINNATI, O., Jan. 19.—HOGS—Active, 5@10c. higher. Butchers, $4.85@4.90; common, $3.75@4.65. Cattle—Steady. Fair to good shippers, $4@4.75; common, $2@2.50. Sheep—Slow and lower at $2.75@3.75. Lambs—Market 10@15c. lower at $4.75@7.85.

TOBACCO MARKET.

Richmond, Va., Jan. 19, 1905.

Tobacco—Dark Fired (New).—Receipts increasing. Market continues firm at unchanged prices. Reordered—Very quiet and little or nothing doing. Brights—Unchanged; quiet, but firm; light receipts. Sun-Cured—Receipts continue light and market active for all desirable stock.

The quotations are as follows:

DARK FIRED TOBACCO—NEW.		
Primings	$ 1.50	@$ 3.50
Lugs	3.50	@ 6.00
Short to medium leaf	6.00	@ 9.00
Long leaf	10.00	@ 14.00
DARK FIRED TOBACCO—REORDERED.		
Lugs	4.50	@ 5.50
Short leaf	6.00	@ 7.50
Medium leaf	7.00	@ 8.00
Long leaf	8.00	@ 12.00
Wrappers and selection	10.00	@ 14.00
BRIGHT TOBACCO.		
SMOKERS—Common	7.00	@ 9.00
Medium	9.50	@ 11.50
Fine	12.00	@ 13.00
CUTTERS—Common	11.00	@ 13.00
Medium	13.00	@ 15.00
Fine	16.00	@ 20.00
Fancy	20.00	@ 22.50
FILLERS—Common	7.00	@ 8.00
Medium	9.00	@ 10.00
Good	10.50	@ 11.50
Fine	12.00	@ 14.00
WRAPPERS—Common	14.00	@ 18.00
Medium	18.00	@ 25.00
Good	27.00	@ 35.00
Fine	35.00	@ 40.00
Fancy	40.00	@ 45.00
SUN-CURED TOBACCO—NEW.		
Primings	1.50	@ 3.10
Lugs, common to good	4.00	@ 5.00
Lugs, good to prime	5.00	@ 7.50
Short leaf	7.00	@ 8.50
Long leaf	8.50	@ 11.00
Wrappers	12.50	@ 25.00

Lynchburg Tobacco Market.

Lynchburg, Va., Jan. 19, 1905.

Sales of loose tobacco on the Lynchburg market for the two weeks ending January 13, 1905, reported by John L. Oglesby, of Lynchs Warehouse:

Sold week ending January 6th, 161,200 pounds; sold week ending January 13th, 340,300 pounds; increase for week ending January 13th, 179,000 pounds.

Sold from September 1, 1904, to January 13, 1905, 4,944,700 pounds; sold from September 1, 1903, to January 13, 1904, 4,285,000 pounds; increase for 1905, 559,700 pounds.

The receipts the past week were fully as heavy as was expected after the very cold, bad weather of the previous week and the continued bad weather the past week. The tobacco was in much better condition than that heretofore offered. The quality of the offerings continue good and indications are that the crop is one of better quality than any sold on this market for several years. Prices during the week were fully up to quotations, which seems to be satisfactory to the planters. There is but little bright tobacco being offered.

The quotations are as follows:

Dark lugs, common	$ 3.50	@$ 4.00
Dark lugs, medium	4.00	@ 4.50
Dark lugs, good	4.75	@ 5.00
Dark leaf, common	5.00	@ 6.50
Dark leaf, medium	6.50	@ 8.50
Dark leaf, good	8.50	@ 11.00
Dark leaf, fine	11.00	@ 15.00
Dark wrappers	15.00	@ 20.00

MISCELLANEOUS MARKETS.

PEANUT MARKET.

PETERSBURG, VA., Jan. 19.—PEANUTS—Spanish firm at 87½c; good demand; receipts light. Virginias firm at 3¾@3⅞c. for fancy stock; machine pulled, 2½@3¼c.; shelling stock, 2@2½c. Good demand; receipts light.

DRY GOODS MARKET.

NEW YORK, Jan. 19.—The meeting of jobbers to-day has withdrawn a good many buyers from the city dry goods market, while those who have been in evidence have conducted operations on a very conservative basis. Little effect is noticeable as yet from the settlement of the Fall River strike, although buyers are inclined to believe in lower prices as an ultimate result.

NAVAL STORES.

WILMINGTON, N. C., Jan. 19.—SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Nothing doing; receipts, 19 casks. Rosin—Nothing doing; receipts, 73 barrels. Tar—Firm at $1.60; receipts, 69 barrels. Crude Turpentine—Firm at $2.30@3.70; receipts, 96 barrels.

SAVANNAH, GA., Jan. 19.—Holiday in naval stores market.

CHARLESTON, S. C., Jan. 19.—TURPENTINE AND ROSIN—Unchanged.

COTTONSEED OIL MARKET.

NEW YORK, Jan. 19.—Cottonseed oil dull and featureless. Prime crude, f. o. b. mills, 16c.; prime summer yellow, 23½@24½c.; off summer yellow, nominal. Prime white, 27@27½c.; prime winter yellow, 27½@28c.

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

PORT OF RICHMOND, JAN. 19, 1905.

ARRIVED.

Steamer Berkeley, Shelly, Norfolk, merchandise and passengers, Old Dominion line.

Steamer Pocahontas, Graves, James river landings and Norfolk, merchandise and passengers, Virginia Navigation Co.

Tug Radiant, Baltimore, two barges of oil, Standard Oil Co.

SAILED.

Steamer Berkeley, Shelly, Norfolk, merchandise and passengers, Old Dominion line.

Schooner William Marshall, Sharp, Bermuda Hundred, lumber.

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ARRIVED.

Steamer Manningtrey, Boston.

Steamer Ceylon, Philadelphia.

Steamer Almora, Glasgow.

Schooner Horace A. Stone, Boston.

Steamer Cayo Blanco, New Orleans.

Steamer Kanawha, Liverpool.

Schooner Percy Birdsall, Boston.

Barge Annie, Bridgeport.

Barge George Moon, Providence.

SAILED.

Steamer Manningtrey, Savannah.

Barge Coal King, Portland.

Barge Foster, Boston.

Steamer Cayo Blanco, Genoa.

Schooner Cora F. Cressy, Boston.

Barge Beattie, East Boston.

Barge Marion Chappell, New London.

Cattle Quarantine.

(By Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 19.—The Department of Agriculture has issued regulations establishing, on February 1st next, a Federal quarantine against a large part of the South and parts of other States to prevent the spread of splenetic or Southern fever among cattle. The quarantine lines are largely the same as last year. The quarantined territory embraces the Eastern part of North Carolina, all of South Carolina, Indian Territory, Alabama, Mississippi and Louisiana; that part of Virginia below the James River and running to the northeast corner of Bedford county; all of Georgia but Union, towns and Rabun counties; all of Arkansas except the two Northern tiers of counties which are now outside the quarantine lines during February and March, but are placed within the quarantine during the rest of the quarantine period; part of Tennessee and Oklahoma; most of Texas except the panhandle, and the lower part of California. The quarantine is declared to be in force until November 1st, but this date is subject to change.

SOUTHERN BALL WILL BE BRILLIANT AFFAIR

(From Our Regular Correspondent.)

WASHINGTON, January 19.—Socially, Washington is a southern city. "Old Washington people," those who have lived here for decades and who have not learned to look with favor on the new and commercial standard of social status, are as essentially southern as are the people of Louisville, New Orleans or Richmond. Consequently the annual ball of the southern folk, the southern relief charity ball, which is given for the benefit of destitute Confederate veterans, is an event of great importance to the city. It is by no means confined to the southern colony here but is an event in which the whole social city takes a lively interest.

Mrs. Jefferson Davis heads the list of its patronesses, which includes Miss Mary Lee, daughter of General Robert E. Lee, Mrs. Charles Warren Fairbanks, the Baroness Speck von Sternberg, Mrs. Dewey, Mrs. Schley, Mrs. William B. Bate, Mrs. Jo. C. S. Blackburn, Mrs. Thomas Nelson Page, Mrs. John M. Harlan, Mrs. John Sharp Williams, and many others of like social prominence.

The ball will be given at the New Willard on January 24th. It is the annual feature of the year's work of the Southern Relief, a society of southern women in Washington who care for destitute Confederate veterans in the District of Columbia. Mrs. Lomax, wife of General Lindsay Lomax, of Virginia, is the president of the society, and Mrs. Rosalie H. Bocock of Virginia and Maryland, is chairman of the Executive Committee, and has active charge of the arrangements for the ball.

The Entertainment Committee boasts of some prominent names; Colonel Hilary A. Herbert, former Secretary of Navy, is chairman. Other members are Senator John W. Daniel, of Virginia; Senator Stephen B. Elkins, of West Virginia; General Lomax, Hon. John Goode, Hon. Harry St. George Tucker and Major Robert Hunter, all of Virginia; Captain John M. Hickey, of Tennessee; Senator Joseph Bailey, of Texas, and Mr. John Sharp Williams, of Mississippi.

Miss Rosa Johnston Tucker, daughter of Hon. Harry St. G. Tucker, is chairman of the Young Ladies' Reception Committee. Miss Elizabeth Padgett represents Tennessee; Miss Emily Yerkes represents Kentucky; Miss Morgan represents Alabama; Misses Mary Rixey, Day, Kean, Beckham, Arthur, Lee and Mason, represent Virginia. The other southern States also have representatives.

On the Floor Committee Virginia is represented by its chairman, Colonel Robert E. Lee, Jr.; Tennessee has Mr. Kent Sims; Kentucky, Mr. James H. Dorman, as well as several other young men, well known in Washington. The city itself is largely represented on all those committees.

Governor Warfield, of Maryland, will attend the ball with his staff in full dress uniform, and Governor Montague, of Virginia, is also expected to come with his staff.

The ball is expected to be the largest and most brilliant ever given by the society.

STEAMBOATS.

W. G. ROCKEFELLER IS OUT OF AMALGAMATED

Resigns as Secretary and Treasurer on Account of Condition of His Health.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

NEW YORK, Jan. 19.—William G. Rockefeller has resigned as secretary and treasurer of the Amalgamated Copper Company. A. H. Melin has been elected secretary and treasurer in his place. F. P. Adricks, formerly assistant-secretary, has been elected vice-president.

Mr. Rockefeller's resignation is on account of his illness last fall, when he found it would be necessary to resign from some of the companies in which he was interested.

The vacancy caused by the resignation of William G. Rockefeller on the Amalgamated Board of Directors will not be filled immediately. The directors of Amalgamated Copper declared a dividend of 1-2 per cent. and 1-2 per cent. extra.

Dividend payable February 27th. Books close January 26th, and reopen February 14th.

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