MARKET DULL AND NEARLY STAGNANT

Dealings Very Light for Day Outside of Few Speculative Features.

CLOSING TONE WAS HEAVY

Further Deposits of Government Funds in National Banks to Be Made.

NEW YORK, September 21.—The shrinkage in the volume of the dealings in today's stock market was principally due to the lessening of the furious activity in a few stocks when kept up the aggregate for several days past. Reading and Southern Pacific were still disproportionately active, but in nothing like the same degree as for some time past. Outside of the speculative favorites the market was exceedingly dull and sluggish and nearly stagnant at times. The contrast in the call loan rate receding below six per cent. with the stock market quiet and gilt-edge mercantile paper commanding 6 1-2 to 7 per cent. and also loans for sixty and ninety days commanding a premium equal to an interest above 7 per cent. was regarded in stock market circles as glowing evidence of the innocence of speculative borrowers of any part in the responsibility for high money rates. This contrast was felt to offer a convincing argument in favor of new relief measures by the Treasury Department. Belief was very confident, in fact, that further deposits of government funds in national banks was immediately imminent. Estimates of the week's movements of cash point to a gain by the banks of upwards of $11,000,000. This represents the week's acquisitions of foreign gold with the subtraction of drains to other quarters. An important element in the offset was the loss on balance to the interior on the express movement, which rose again to above $4,000,000, indicating that the interior drain on New York has been fully resumed. The special strength of Southern Pacific was passed on reports of an intended issue of preferred stock to provide means for taking over St. Paul. Amalgamated Copper responded to an advance in the price of the metal, and a number of minor industrials were affected by special factors bearing on their industries. The closing tone was heavy, and there was no relief from the predominant dulness.

Bonds were heavy. Total sales par value $1,874,000. United States 2s coupon declined 1-2 per cent. on call. Total sales stocks were 856,300 shares.

NEW YORK, September 21.—Money on call firm at 5@6 per cent., ruling rate, 7 per cent., closing bid, offered at 5 per cent., sixty days, 7@7 1-2 per cent., six months, 6@6½ per cent.; prime mercantile paper, 6@7 per cent.

Sterling exchange firm, with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.85@$4.85⅝ for demand and at $4.79 20@$4.79 30 for 60-day bills. Posted rates, $4.80 1-2@$4.84 and $4.87@$4.88. Commercial bills, $4.78 3-4@4.79¼.

Bar silver, 68. Mexican dollars, 50 1-2.

RICHMOND STOCK MARKET.

Richmond, Va., September 21, 1906.

SALES AT BOARD.

Virginia Centuries—50 at 94½.

STATE SECURITIES.	Bid.	Asked.
North Carolina 4s, C., 1910	100	...
Va. 3s, old, C. and R., 1932	94½	95½
Va. Centuries, 2-3, C. and R., 1991	94½	94¾
RAILROAD BONDS		
Atlanta and Char. 1st 7s, R., 1907	106	...
A. C. L. R. R. Cons. 7s, g.	98	...
A. C. L. R. R. of Ind. 4 p. c.	90	...
Georgia Pacific 1st 6s, C., 1922	118	...
Georgia, Southern and Fla. 1945	116	...
Georgia and Ala. Con. 5s, 1947	108	...
Nor. and Western Ry. 4s, 1996	100	...
Norfolk and West. Pocah. 4s, 1944	93	...
Western N. C. 1st 6s, C., 1914	111	...
Seaboard Air Line 4s, 1950	84½	...
RAILROAD STOCKS.	Par.	
Atlanta and Charlotte	100	175	...
Atlantic Coast Line "A"	100	142	...
Atlantic Coast Line Com.	100	142	...
Chesapeake and Ohio—November	100	61	...
Norfolk and Western Com.	100	93	...
BANK AND TRUST CO. STOCKS.			
American National	100	117½	...
Local Assoc.	25	28	...
City National	25	34	...
Merchants National	100	200	...
National Bank of Virginia	100	125	...
Bank of Richmond	100	131	132
MISCELLANEOUS.			
Va.-Car. Chem. pfd. 4 p. c.	100	92	...
Va.-Carolina Chemical com.	100	40	...
Va.-Car. C. Co. Cons. Tr. 5 p. c.	100	...	...

BALTIMORE STOCK MARKET.

BALTIMORE, MD., September 21.—Seaboard Air Line, common and preferred—Nothing doing.

COTTON MARKET.

NEW YORK, September 21.—The cotton market was quiet again yesterday and fluctuated within a very narrow range, the close being steady, net unchanged to 2 points lower. Sales were estimated at 75,000 bales.

The market opened steady at unchanged prices in sympathy with a 1 point on a little covering, which was probably due to reports of too much rain in some Eastern sections. The rest, as the cables were decidedly bearish. Trading was very quiet from the start. There was a good demand for December and January through one or two brokers, which served to steady the market, but on the other hand there were free offerings of October, which prevented any aggressive buying by room scalpers, and between these two the market hovered around the opening prices. It looked as if October longs were shifting their position into the later months to avoid October tenders, and differences increased slightly between options with the closing losses on the near positions.

Estimated receipts at the ports to-day were 26,041 bales against 24,068 last week and 29,036 last year. For the week 180,000 bales against 129,111 last week and 240,076 last year. To-day's receipts at New Orleans, 4,003 bales against 2,817 last year, and at Houston 14,411 bales against 10,753 last year.

Cotton futures closed steady.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
September	...	9.84	9.79	9.82
October	9.88	9.94	9.86	9.87
November	...	9.92	9.92	9.91
December	9.91	9.92	9.19	9.90
January	9.90	9.91	9.27	9.29
February	...	...	...	9.37
March	9.46	9.46	9.44	9.45
April	...	...	...	9.51

Spot cotton closed quiet; middling uplands, 9.75; middling gulf, 10.00; sales, 24 bales.

Cotton, quiet, middling, 9.75; gross receipts, 8,517 bales; sales, 28 bales; stock, 88,473 bales.

Total to-day at all ports—Net receipts, 26,041 bales; export to Great Britain, 2,999 bales; to the Continent, 10,250 bales; stock, 316,346 bales.

Consolidated at all ports—Net receipts, 185,987 bales; export to Great Britain, 41,090 bales; to France, 6,775 bales; to the Continent, 45,125 bales; to Japan, 200 bales.

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SALES:	Open.	High.	Low.	Bid. Closing.	Asked.
200 Atlantic Coast Line, com.	143	143	143	142½	144
17,700 American Smelters, com.	155	156½	154⅞	155⅝	155⅝
119,600 Amalgamated Copper	114⅝	115¾	113⅝	114⅝	114⅞
2,200 Amer. Car and Foundry	44	44½	43⅝	43⅝	44
100 Amer. Car and Foun., pfd	101	101	101	100	101
1,500 American Cotton Oil	35⅝	35⅝	34⅝	34⅝	36
300 American Tobacco, pfd	99½	99½	99½	99½	100
American Can	...	...	...	6¾	7
200 American Can, pfd	58	58	58	57¾	58½
2,200 Amer. Locomotive, com.	76	76	75½	76½	76¾
Amer. Loco., pfd., ex. div.	...	...	...	112	113½
500 American Sugar	136½	136½	136½	136	136½
9,700 A., T. and S. Fe, com.	107⅝	107⅝	106⅝	107	107⅛
1,400 A., T. and S. Fe, pfd.	101⅝	101⅝	101⅝	101	101½
58,400 Baltimore and Ohio	124⅝	125¼	124⅝	124½	124⅝
21,000 Brooklyn Rapid Transit	79½	80⅝	78½	79⅝	79
400 Canadian Pacific	177⅞	177⅞	177½	177⅝	177⅞
3,000 Chesapeake and Ohio	63⅝	63⅝	63	63	63½
900 Chicago Great Western	17⅝	17⅝	17½	17⅝	17⅞
33,500 Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul	177⅝	179⅝	177⅝	178½	178⅝
1,700 Colorado Fuel and Iron	57¼	57¼	56⅝	56⅞	57
300 Colorado South., com.	37	37⅛	37	36⅝	37¼
Colorado South., 1st pfd.	...	...	...	66½	67½
Colorado South., 2d pfd.	...	...	...	49½	50½
100 Clev., Cin., Chi. and St. L.	93½	93½	93½	93½	94
1,100 Consolidated Gas	139	139¼	139	139	140
400 Delaware and Hudson	227	227	225½	226	227
Del., Lack. and Western	...	...	...	530	550
8,400 Erie, com.	48⅞	48⅝	47⅝	47⅞	48
300 Erie, 1st pfd.	77½	77½	77½	77⅝	77⅞
Erie, 2d pfd.	...	...	...	70½	71½
500 Great Northern, pfd.	335	335¼	324	324	324½
100 General Electric	166½	166½	166½	166½	167
200 Illinois Central	175½	175¼	175	174½	175½
2,100 Louisville and Nashville	150½	150½	150	150¼	150¾
Manhattan	...	...	...	143	147
Metro. Street Railway	...	...	...	105	111¼
100 Mexican Central	21¼	21¼	21¼	21¼	21¾
1,400 Mo., Kan. and Tex., com.	36½	36½	35⅞	35⅞	36

SALES:	Open.	High.	Low.	Bid. Closing.	Asked.
100 Mo., Kan. and Tex., pfd.	70¼	70¼	70¼	70¼	70½
3,100 Missouri Pacific	98¼	98¼	97⅝	97⅞	98
2,600 National Lead	79½	80⅝	79½	79¾	79⅞
3,000 New York Central	143½	143½	143	143	143¼
1,200 Norfolk and Western	93⅝	93⅝	93½	93⅝	93½
N. Y., Ont. and Western	...	...	...	49½	50
2,200 Northern Pacific	216	216¼	215	214½	216
26,400 Pennsylvania Railroad	142½	142½	142⅜	142⅜	143
People's Gas (Chicago)	...	...	...	89	89½
400 Pressed Steel Car	55	55⅛	55	54⅞	55
Pressed Steel Car, pfd.	...	...	...	97	98
1,600 Republic I. and S., com.	39	39	38½	38⅝	38⅞
200 Republic I. and S., pfd.	99¼	99¼	99¼	99¼	99½
235,200 Reading, com.	152	152⅝	150½	151⅝	151⅞
Reading, 1st pfd.	...	...	...	89	90
400 Reading, 2d pfd.	99⅞	100	99⅞	99	100
4,500 Rock Island, com.	27¼	27⅝	27	27	27¼
100 Rock Island, pfd.	65⅝	65⅝	65⅝	65½	66
100 Sloss	75	75	75	75	78½
Sloss, pfd.	...	...	...	116	110
88,700 Southern Pacific	96⅝	97½	96⅝	96⅝	96⅞
2,700 Southern Railway, com.	37⅝	37½	37¼	37½	37½
100 South. Ry., pfd., ex. div.	97½	97½	97½	97⅝	97½
Seaboard Air Line, 1st pfd	...	...	...	33	38
Seaboard Air Line, 2d pfd.	...	...	...	33	38
Seaboard Air Line, com.	...	...	...	24	29
200 Tennessee Coal and Iron	158	158	158	158	160
3,800 Texas Pacific	37⅛	37¼	36⅝	36⅝	36⅞
59,400 Union Pacific	188⅝	189	187½	187½	187⅝
33,100 United States Steel	43⅝	43½	43¼	43½	43⅝
1,400 United States Steel, pfd.	106⅞	106⅞	106½	106⅝	107
6,600 United States Rubber	55½	56½	55¼	55½	55½
500 U. S. Rubber, 1st pfd.	110⅝	111¼	110⅝	110	110½
300 U. S. Rubber, 2d pfd.	80½	80⅝	80⅝	78	81
100 Va.-Car. Chemical, com.	40½	40½	40½	40½	41
Va.-Car. Chemical, pfd.	...	...	...	110½	111
Wabash, com.	...	...	...	19⅞	20
100 Wabash, pfd.	44½	44½	44½	44¼	44½
100 Western Union	86	86	86	86⅝	88

Total sales, 854,900 shares.

CLOSING BOND QUOTATIONS.

U. S. refunding 2s, registered	104½
U. S. refunding 2s, coupon	105
U. S. 3s, registered	108½
U. S. 3s, coupon	108½
U. S. Old 4s, registered	109¾
U. S. Old 4s, coupon	109¾
U. S. New 4s, registered	134
U. S. New 4s, coupon	137
American Tobacco 4s	77½
American Tobacco 6s	102
Atchison general 4s	102⅝
Atchison adjustment 4s	96½
Atlantic Coast Line 4s (offered)	99⅝
Baltimore and Ohio 3½s	89
Baltimore and Ohio 3½s	89
Brooklyn Rapid Transit conv. 4s	93⅝
Central of Georgia 5s	122
Central of Georgia 1st inc.	87
Central of Georgia 2d inc.	67⅝
Central of Georgia 5s inc.	82
Chesapeake and Ohio 4½s	101¼
Chicago and Alton 3½s	75⅝
Chicago, B. and Quincy new 4s	96½
Chicago, R. I. and Pacific R. R. 4s	74⅝
Chicago, R. I. and Pacific R. R. col. 4s	70⅝
C., C., C. and St. Louis gen. 4s	100
Colorado Industrial 5s, series A	74⅝
Colorado Midland 4s	52⅝
Colorado and Southern 4s	81⅝
Cuba 5s	101
Denver and Rio Grande 4s	95⅝
Distillers' Securities 5s	87½
Erie prior lien 4s (offered)	100
Erie General 4s	69⅝
Hocking Valley 4½s	106⅝
Japan 5s	101
Japan 4s, 2d series	78⅝
Japan 4½s, certificates	84½
Japan 4s, certificates	82⅝
Japan 4½s certificates, 2d series	84½
Louisville and Nash. United 4s	100⅝
Manhattan consol gold 4s	104½
Mexican Central 4s	81
Mexican Central 1st inc.	21⅝
Minn. and St. Louis 4s	93½
Missouri, Kansas and Texas 4s	90⅝
Missouri, Kan. and Tex. 2nds (offered)	85⅝
Mobile and Ohio Collateral Trust 4s	80
National R. R. of Mexico gen. 4s	85½
New York Central gen. 3½s	97⅝
New Jersey Central gen. 5s	120
Northern Pacific 4s	104
Northern Pacific 3s	75⅝
Norfolk and Western con. 4s	100
Oregon Short Line refunding 4s	93
Pennsylvania conv. 3½s	101
Reading General 4s	99⅝
St. Louis and Iron Mountain gen. 5s	114⅝
St. Louis and San Francisco fr. 4s	92⅝
St. Louis Southwestern con. 4s	71
Seaboard Air Line 4s (offered)	86⅝
Southern Pacific 4s	91⅝
Southern Pacific 1st 4s, certificates	94
Southern Railway 5s	115⅝
Texas and Pacific 1sts	119
Toledo, St. L. and Western 4s	81
Union Pacific 4s	103⅝
United States Steel 2d 5s	94⅝
Wabash 1sts	114½
Wabash Deb. B	79
Western Md. 4s	84½
Wheeling and Lake Erie 4s	87⅝
Wisconsin Central 4s	90

Total sales, 2,000,000 shares.

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 21.—COTTON—Spot cotton closed steady, unchanged from Thursday; middling, 9 15-16c.; spot sales were 2,373 bales; receipts, 2,100 to arrive. The future market opened quiet at 2@3 points above yesterday's close. The market continued dull and featureless throughout the day; fluctuations were limited to 1@2 points. September bids closed 4 points up, the rest of the list closed dull, but steady, 1@2 points over Thursday's final figures.

Cotton futures closed dull, but steady: September, 9.90; October, 9.12; November, 9.06; December, 9.12; January, 9.22; February, 9.21; March, 9.27; April, 9.41; May, 9.42; June, 9.39; July, 9.38.

RICHMOND PRODUCE MARKET.

(Corrected Daily.)

POULTRY—LIVE.

Chickens, large, per lb.	$ 14	@	15
Hens, per lb.	10	@	11
BUTTER.			
Choice family packed, per lb.	17	@	18
Choice dairy packed, per lb.	15	@	17
Choice store packed	16	@	17
Packing stock	10	@	11
EGGS			
Gates, nearby, fresh laid	21	@	22
Gates, from other sections	20	@	21
POTATOES.			
Nancy, per bbl.	2.25	@	2.50
Virgins, per bbl.	1.00	@	1.25
LEMONS—Per box	4.00	@	4.50
ORANGES—			
California, per box	4.00	@	4.50
GRAPES—Per crate	1.00	@	1.50
PEACHES—Per crate	1.00	@	1.50
BANANAS—Per bunch	.50	@	1.00
PEACHES—Nancy per carrier	1.75	@	2.00
Virginia per carrier	1.00	@	1.50
BLACK PEAS—Per bus			nominal
Prime to fancy			nominal
Common to good			nominal
Clay peas, per bus			nominal
Mixed peas, per bus			nominal
BEANS—Nancy, No. 1 white	1.60	@	1.65
Common to choice, per bus	1.25	@	1.50
Mixed, per bus	1.20	@	1.25
Colored, per bus	1.20	@	1.25
ONIONS—			
Virginia, per bbl.	1.25	@	1.60
CABBAGE—Jersey, per crate	.60	@	.75
CELERY—Fancy, per bunch	.30	@	.35
Choice, per bunch	.25	@	.40

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

NEW YORK, September 21.—FLOUR—Dull, but firm. Rye Flour—Steady. Cornmeal—Steady. Rye—Firm. Barley—Firm.

Wheat—Receipts, 87,500 bushels. Spot—Irregular, steady. No. 2, 78c. elevator. Options closed practically not unchanged. May, 84 13-16c.; September, 79½c.; December, 82½c.

Corn—Spot easy. No. 2, 56½c. elevator. Options dull and no transactions. May, 56½c.; September, 56½c.; December, 57½c. Oats—Spot steady; mixed, 27@32c.

Beef—Firm. Cut Meats—Steady. Lard—Steady; western prime, $8.05@8.10; refined, steady; short clear, $8.30@8.50. Tallow—Firm. Petroleum—Steady. Rosin—Steady. Turpentine—Steady.

Molasses—Steady. Molasses—Quiet. Coffee—Spot Rio, quiet; No. 7 invoice, 5¾c.; mild, steady. Futures closed at a net decline of 10@20 points. Sugar—Raw, steady; fair refining, 3⅞c.; centrifugal, 4⅞c.; molasses sugar, 3⅝c.; refined, steady.

Butter—Steady, and unchanged. Cheese—Firm; State full cream, small, 12½@13c.; large, colored, 10@12½c.; skims, 2@9c. Eggs—Firmer; nearby, mixed, 26@27c.; western, firsts, 25c.

Peanuts—Quiet, and unchanged. Freights—Steady, unchanged. Potatoes—Irish, easy, unchanged; sweets, weak, fewer; per basket, ship. Eastern shore, per barrel, 90@$1.25. Cabbages—Quiet and unchanged.

Cottonseed Oil—Moderately active and about steady. Prime crude, f. o. b. mills, 32@32½c.; prime summer yellow, 36c.; prime white, 41@42c.; prime winter yellow, 40c.

CHICAGO, September 21.—Heavy realizing sales and the decided opinion of the bears, backed by short sales, that a reaction in the wheat market is due, caused prices in the local wheat market to-day, after a strong opening, to react and to close to the final quotations of yesterday. At the end of the session, December wheat was unchanged to ⅛c. higher. Corn was down ⅛@¼c. Oats were ⅛@¼c. lower. Provisions were up 10@15c.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
WHEAT—				
Sept.	77⅝	77⅝	77½	77½
Dec.	79⅝	79⅝	78⅝	78⅝
May	76¼	76⅝	76⅛	76⅝
CORN—				
Sept.	49⅝	49⅝	49⅛	49⅛
Dec.	45⅝	45⅝	45⅛	45
May	46⅝	46⅝	46⅛	46⅝
OATS—				
Sept.	24	24¼	23⅞	24⅛
Dec.	24⅝	24⅝	23⅞	24⅝
May	27	27	26½	26⅝
PORK—Per bbl.				
Sept.	16.75	16.75	16.60	16.60
Jan.	19.20	19.20	19.02½	19.12½
LARD—Per 100 lbs.				
Sept.	8.87½	8.90	8.87½	8.87½
Oct.	8.90	8.92½	8.90	8.90
Nov.	8.42½	8.45	8.42½	8.42½
Jan.	7.77½	7.80	7.75	7.77½
SHORT RIBS—Per 100 lbs.				
Sept.	8.37½	8.37½	8.30	8.30½
Oct.	8.40½	8.40½	8.37½	8.37½
Jan.	7.02½	7.05	7.00	7.00

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour—Firm. No. 2 spring wheat, 79@81c.; No. 3, 69@76c.; No. 2 red, 79@79½c.; No. 3 do., 47@77c.; No. 2 yellow, 48@49c.; No. 2 oats, 24@24½c.; No. 3 white, 24@24½c.; No. 4 white, 23@23½c.; No. 2 rye, 81c. Fair to choice malting, 44@52c. No. 1 nonsteed, $1.04½. No. 1 northwestern, $1.11. Clover, contract grade, $12.50. Short ribs sides (loose), $8.50@8.95; mess pork, per barrel, $16.60@16.85; lard, per 100 pounds, $8.07½; short clear sides (boxed), $8.20@8.37½. Whiskey, basis of high wines, $1.29. Butter—Market steady; creameries, 19@24c.; dairies, 17@20c. Eggs—Firm; at mark, cases included, 19@20c.; firsts, 20c.; prime firsts, 21½c.; extras, 23c. Cheese—Steady at 11½@12½c.

BALTIMORE, MD., September 21.—FLOUR—Steady and unchanged. Wheat—Spot, contract, 79½@79¾c. Corn—Easier; spot, 54⅝@54⅞c.; southern white, 56@56½c. Oats—Firmer; No. 2 mixed, 26½@27c. Rye—Firm; No. 2 western, domestic, 86@86½c. Butter—Firm and unchanged. Eggs—Firm at 24c. Cheese—Active and unchanged; large, 12½c.; small, 13½c. Sugar—Steady and unchanged.

RICHMOND GRAIN MARKET.

Richmond, Va., September 21, 1906.

QUOTATIONS.

WHEAT—			
No. 2 red (car lots)	$ 78		
No. 3 red (car lots)	76	@	77
Steamer (car lots)	73	@	75
Rejected (car lots)	66	@	72
Virginia (bag lots)	65	@	..
CORN—			
No. 2 white (car lots)	$ 57		
No. 3 white (car lots)		@	56½
No. 2 mixed (car lots)		@	55½
No. 3 mixed (car lots)		@	55
No. 2 white (bag lots)	57	@	57½
No. 3 white (bag lots)		@	57
Winter seed	67	@	67
RYE—			
No. 2 (car lots)	67	@	67
Virginia (bag lots)	64	@	65

CATTLE MARKETS.

RICHMOND LIVE STOCK MARKET.

(Sales at Union Stock Yards.)

Richmond, Va., September 21, 1906.

The live stock report for the week ending September 21st is as follows:

Beef steers, 4@5½c.; a few extra higher; fair to good, 4@4½c.; common, 3@3½c.; best heifers, 4½@4½c.; fair to good, 3½@4c.; common, 2½@3c.; best cows, 3½@3½c.; common to fair, 2@2½c.; old, poor cows, 1½@2c.; bulls, 2@3½c.; best calves and veals, 6@6½c. per head; veal calves, 5@5½c.; extra, 5½c.; sheep, 3@3½c.; best lambs, 6@6½c.; extra, 7½c.; fair to good, 5@6c.; common, 4@4½c.; hogs, 6@6½c.; cows and stags, 3@3½c.

CHICAGO, September 21.—CATTLE—Receipts, about 4,000 head. Market steady. Common to prime steers, $3.75@6.90; cows, $1.90@4.25; heifers, $2.00@5.50; bulls, $2.40@4.25; calves, $3.00@7.50; stockers and feeders, $2.40@4.25. Hogs—Receipts, 30,000 head. Market steady to 5c. higher. Choice to prime, heavy, $6.32@6.45; medium to good heavy, $6.20@6.35; light weights, $6.20@6.40; good to choice, mixed, $6.20@6.35; packing, $5.90@6.05; pigs, $6.20@6.50. Sheep—Receipts, 4,000 head. Market steady. Sheep, $4.50@5.75; yearlings, $5.25@6.15; lambs, $6@7.75.

NEW YORK, September 21.—BEEVES—Receipts, 2,313 head. Common to prime steers, $3.30@5.85; oxen and stags, $1.25@4.75; bulls, $2.00@3.90; cows, $1.25@4.40. Exports to-day, 1,200 quarters of beef, to morrow, 50 cattle and 4,000 quarters of beef. Calves—Receipts, 1,900 head. Veals, $4.75@7.75; grassers, $3.00@5.00; milch calves, dull; veals steady; fed calves, 10c. higher; fed and grass calves, 10c. higher for city dressed and Pennsylvania; 10c. for country dressed. Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 3,900 head. Sheep, $2.00@5.60; culls, $1.75; lambs, $5.50@7.75; culls, $4@6.50. Canada lambs, $7.50. Hogs—Receipts, 1,200 head. Firm; 10c. higher.

PITTSBURG, PA., September 21.—CATTLE—Supply light. Market steady. Choice, $5.20@5.60; prime, $5@5.15; good, $4.75@5; tidy, $4@4.50; fair, $3@3.50; common, $2@2.50; bulls, stags, cows and mixed, $1@3.50; calves, $7.50@8.25. Hogs—Receipts, light; market active. Prime heavies, $6.70@6.80; mediums and heavy yorkers, $6.60@6.65; light yorkers, $5.50@6.50; pigs, $6.70@6.75; roughs, $5@5.50.

CINCINNATI, O., September 21.—HOGS—Active. Butchers and shippers, $6.40; common, $5.50@6.10. Cattle—Slow. Fair to good steers, $2@3.25; common, $1@1.75. Sheep—Steady at $3@4.75. Lambs—Steady at $4@7.50.

TOBACCO MARKETS.

Richmond, Va., September 21, 1906.

Tobacco—Dark-Fired (Reordered)—Market continues quiet at prices quoted. Receipts and offerings very light. Bright—Unchanged. Quiet but firm. Light receipts. Sun-cured—Receipts continue very light and market active at unchanged quotations.

Notes—Much of the tobacco arriving is in a damaged condition, and such tobacco sells low. Planters are cautioned to look after the order of their tobacco before sending it to market.

DARK FIRED TOBACCO (REORDERED).

Lugs	$ 4.00	@	5.50
Thick leaf	5.50	@	9.00
Medium leaf	7.00	@	10.00
Long leaf	8.00	@	12.00
Wrappers	12.00	@	25.00

BRIGHT TOBACCO (REORDERED).

SMOKERS—Common	8.00	@	8.50
Medium	10.00	@	11.50
Fine	12.00	@	13.00
CUTTERS—Common	11.00	@	12.00
Medium	12.00	@	14.00
Fine	14.50	@	16.00
Fancy	17.00	@	20.00
FILLERS—Common	8.00	@	8.50
Medium	10.00	@	11.00
Good	11.00	@	13.50

SUN-CURED TOBACCO.

Lugs, common to good	4.00	@	5.50
Lugs, good to prime	6.00	@	8.00
Short leaf	7.00	@	9.00
Long leaf	8.00	@	12.00
Wrappers	12.00	@	25.00

LYNCHBURG TOBACCO MARKET.

Lynchburg, Va., September 21, 1906.

The sales of tobacco on the Lynchburg market for the two weeks ending September 14, 1906, as reported by J. L. Oglesby, of Lynch's Warehouse, were as follows:

Sold week ending September 7th, 98,500 pounds; sold week ending September 14th, 98,200 pounds; increase for week ending September 14th, 1,700 pounds.

Sold from September 1, 1906, to September 14, 1906, 196,700 pounds; sold from September 1, 1905, to September 14, 1905, 189,200 pounds; increase for 1906, 18,500 pounds.

The receipts the past week were composed entirely of primings, which was of fairly good quality and condition. The prices ranged from $2.50 to $4.20 per 100 pounds, which was quite satisfactory to the planters.

DANVILLE TOBACCO MARKET.

(Reported by Dibrell Bros.)

Danville, Va., September 21, 1906.

The quality of tobacco sold on the loose leaf market the past week was about the same as last, the offerings showing up a larger percentage of stalk cured tobacco, with fewer primings. Prices are somewhat firmer. We have had nice weather during the week and the farmers are busy gathering in the crop.

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MISCELLANEOUS MARKET.

PEANUT MARKET.

(Reported by Robers, McCabe & Co.)

PETERSBURG, VA., Sept. 21.—PEANUTS—Spanish—Firm, $1.50 bid. Stock practically exhausted. No offerings. Virginia—Firm; 90c. bid, 95c. asked for fancy stock; machine picked, 94@95c. shelling stock, 94@95c. Firm and active. Good demand.

NAVAL STORES.

WILMINGTON, N. C., September 21.—SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Firm at 43½c.; receipts, 84 casks. Rosin—Firm at $3.50 bid; receipts, 406 barrels. Tar—Firm at $1.60; receipts, 236 barrels. Crude Turpentine—Firm; hard, $3.00; dip and virgin, $3.00; receipts, 58 barrels.

SAVANNAH, GA., September 21.—TURPENTINE—Firm at 43½c.; sales, 470 casks; receipts, 261 casks. Rosin—Firm; sales, 2,601 barrels; receipts, 7,262 barrels; shipments, 7,798 barrels; stock, 211,848 barrels.

CHARLESTON, S. C., September 21.—TURPENTINE—Firm at 43c. Rosin—Firm.

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

PORT OF RICHMOND, SEPT. 21, 1906.

ARRIVED.

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

SAILED.

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

Steamer Pocahontas, Graves, James River landings and Norfolk, merchandise and passengers, Virginia Navigation Company.

Schooner George C. A. Travers, Cannuly, James River, light.

Barge Rebecca T. McClain, Andrews, Powhite Creek, light.

Schooner Janet, South, James River, light.

PORT OF WEST POINT, SEPT. 21, 1906.

ARRIVED

Steamship Baltimore, Hoert, Baltimore, passengers and general cargo.

SAILED

Steamship Baltimore, Hoert, Baltimore, passengers and general cargo.

GLAMOR OF STAGE CALLS WIFE AWAY

Mrs. M. W. Becton Goes Contrary to Husband's Wishes and Takes Place as Show Girl.

NEW YORK, September 21.—Deaf to entreaties of her husband to abandon her plan to embark upon a stage career, Mrs. Vida Beeton, wife of M. W. Becton, a wealthy member of Becton, Dickenson & Company, manufacturers of surgical instruments in No. 162 Duane Street, appeared last night for the first time as a show girl in "My Lady's Maid," in the Casino.

Mrs. Becton's prominence in society of the upper west side took many well known persons to the theatre to see if rumors concerning her intention of sacrificing home and position, which had been in circulation for several weeks, were true. Up to the time of her appearance as one of the "society ladies" in the opening scene of the second act they were inclined to believe that at the crucial moment she would recede from her determination and obey the wishes of her husband, but she did not.

MOTHER DEAD, BABY WON LIFE STRUGGLE

NEW YORK, September 21.—Struggling for life with all the resoluteness of a prehistoric child and with the intelligence of a civilized one, John Boyle, fourteen months old, through five terrible days kept himself from death, though alone in a little flat in No. 4294 Third Avenue, Brooklyn, with the body of Mrs. Catherine Denham, his mother by adoption. He was found there yesterday by the dead woman's aunt, who, obtaining no answer to repeated calls, got a patrolman to break in the door of the flat for her. Mrs. Denham's body lay in the middle of the kitchen floor, close to the