MARKET STAGNANT DESPITE ADVANCE

Professional Element Puzzled and Inclined to Suspect Stability of Recent Rise.

NEW YORK, May 21.—Dealings in stocks to-day shrank to a small proportion of the recent daily average. The action of the market proved puzzling to the professional trade element. Subsidence of demand on an advance in prices is construed usually as unfavorable to the stability of the rise. The professional operators, acting on this principle, sold stocks short when the market turned dull and forced a reaction. Prices did not respond, but showed a resistance, without any increase in the animation. The holding of the extreme advance is unusual, and resulted in a confused state of speculative sentiment. Late in the afternoon the dealing sank to a state of stagnation. There was little to show any decided change in conditions bearing on values. An advancing tendency in the interest rate in London and also in Paris was reported to-day, and this is believed to be due to New York borrowings. The intense dullness of the late market allowed some gravitation of prices to a lower level, but the closing tone was steady.

Binds were irregular. Total sales, par value, $3,980,000. United States bonds were unchanged on call. The total sales of stocks to-day amounted to 515,100 shares.

NEW YORK, May 21.—Money on call easy, 1½@2 per cent.; ruling rate, 1⅞; closing bids, 1½ per cent.; offered at 1¾. Time loans very dull and easy; sixty days, 2¼ to 2½ per cent., and ninety days, 2¼ to 2½ per cent.; six months, 3 to 3¼ per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 3½ to 4 per cent. Sterling exchange steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.8630@$4.8640 for sixty-day bills, and at $4.8780 for demand. Commercial bills, $4.85¾@$4.86¼. Bar silver, 52¾. Mexican dollars, 44.

RICHMOND STOCK MARKET.

Richmond, Va., May 21, 1909.

SALES AT BOARD.

Virginia-Carolina Chemical pfd.—40 at 118¾.

STATE SECURITIES.	Bid.	Asked.
North Carolina 4s, C. 1910	99	...
North Carolina 6s, C. 1919	116	...
Va. 3s, Old, C. and R., 1932	92¾	93
Centuries, 2-3, C. and R., 1991	93	93½
CITY SECURITIES.		
Rich. City 4s, R., 1920-1930	101½	...
Richmond City 4s, C. and R.	101½	...
RAILROAD BONDS.		
A. C. L. R. R. Con. Tr. 4 p. c.	97	...
A. C. L. R. R. Ctfs. of Ind. 4s	84	...
Char. Col. and Aug. Ex. 5s, C.	110	...
C. & O. R. & A. Gen'l M. 4½s	105	...
Georgia Pacific 1st 6s, C, 1922	116	...
Georgia, Sou. and Fla., 1945	110	...
Ga. and Ala. Con. 5s, 1945	105	...
Nor. and West. Ry. 4s, 1996	98	...
Nor. and West. Poca. 4s, 10	93	...
Rich. and Dan. Gold 6s C.	110	...
Southern Railway 1st 5s, 1994	112	...
So. R. Dev. G. M. 4s A. 1956	82	...
Western N. C. 1st 6s, C, 1914	108½	...
Seaboard Air Line 4s, 1950	84*	...
RAILROAD STOCKS. Par.		
Atlanta and Charlotte 100	190	...
Atlantic Coast Line pfd 100	116	...
Atlantic Coast Line com 100	128	...
Ches. and Ohio Nov. 100	78½	...
Norfolk and Western com. 100	91	...
R., F. and P. com. 100	260	...
R., F. and P. Div. Oblig. 100	260	...
Southern Railway pfd 100	63	...
Southern Railway com 100	30	...
BANK AND TRUST CO. STOCKS.		
American National 100	150	...
Broad Street Bank 25	32½	...
Bank of Richmond 100	125	...
City 25	34	...
First National 100	255	...
Merchants National 100	550	...
National Bank of Va. 100	170	...
National State Bank 100	180	...
Planters National 100	500	...
Savings Bank of Richmond 25	55	...
Union Bank of Richmond 50	192½	...
Virginia Trust Co. 100	84	...
INSURANCE COMPANIES.		
Virginia Fire and Marine	...	66
MISCELLANEOUS.		
Amer. Tob. pfd. 6 p. ct. 100	100	...
American Loco. pfd	115	...
American Loco. com	57	...
Amer. Tob. 6 p. ct bonds 100	112	...
Va.-Car. Chem. pfd. 8 p. ct. 100	118¼	118½
Va.-Car. Chem. com 100	50	...
Va.-Car. C. 1st Mort. 5s, 1923	96¾	97¼

Quotations for interest-paying bonds are at a price, to which interest must be added. Income bonds and certificates of indebtedness are flat.

COTTON MARKETS.

NEW YORK, May 21.—The cotton market was very nervous and irregular to-day with the close steady at a net decline of 8@11 points. The market opened barely steady at a decline of 5@12 points in response to lower Liverpool cables and reports of further rains in the Southwest. At the initial decline one of the prominent bull interests who had sold on the bulge of the previous day was an active buyer, and with complaints reaching the trade of too much rain in the Eastern belt prices rallied until July sold 3 points over last night's finals and the later months recovered to within a point or two of that level. Offerings were very heavy on the advance with some of the houses which have been persistent bulls advising their friends to take profits on the theory that a bullish government report on June 4 was being over-discounted, and when some of the early buyers became sellers, following the detailed weather reports from Texas, showing precipitation to have been quite general, the market again weakened, and during the early afternoon sold at a net loss of about 12@14 points. The decline was checked again by a show of bull support, and was followed by a very rapid rally during the middle of the afternoon, which carried prices back to within a point or two of Thursday's rise, but the market weakened during the last hour, when realizing was heavy and sentiment seemed to be very much unsettled. Southern spot markets officially reached reported early were unchanged to ⅛c. higher.

Receipts at the ports-day were 18,309 bales against 18,070 last week and 9,468 last year. For the week 85,000 bales against 99,008 last week and 53,228 last year. To-day's receipts at New Orleans, 5,889 bales against 1,318 last year, and at Houston 1,924 bales against 755 last year.

Cotton futures opened barely steady and closed steady.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
May	11.40	11.41	11.34	11.34
June	...	...	...	11.13
July	11.10	11.28	11.07	11.00
August	10.94	11.02	10.88	10.94
September	10.80	10.93	10.85	10.86
October	10.84	10.91	10.78	10.83
November	...	10.90	10.85	10.85
December	10.86	10.96	10.82	10.85
January	10.81	10.90	10.76	10.81
March	10.85	10.89	10.76	10.81

Spot cotton closed quiet, 5 points lower; middling uplands, 11.75; middling gulf, 12.00; sales 4,100 bales.

Cotton, quiet; middling, 11.75; net receipts, 106 bales; sales, 4,100 bales.

Total to-day at all ports—Net receipts, 18,309 bales; export to Great Britain, 7,772 bales; to France, 2,287 bales; stock, 501,224 bales.

Consolidated at all ports—Net receipts, 88,524 bales; export to Great Britain, 90,235 bales; to France, 18,773 bales; to the Continent, 16,186 bales; to Japan, 2,401 bales; to Mexico, 150 bales.

Total since September 1 at all ports—Net receipts 9,485,923 bales; export to Great Britain, 3,268 bales; to France, 972,783 bales; to the Continent, 3,213,808 bales; to Japan, 194,000 bales; to Mexico, 16,129 bales.

NEW ORLEANS, LA., May 21.—COTTON—Spot cotton firm and unchanged at 10¾c. Prices opened steady. Sales 400 bales on the spot with 250 to arrive. After a strong opening prices reacted slightly on account of the selling by satisfied longs, which was the principal feature of the day, and prices sagged during the remainder of the session. The closing was steady with the active deliveries at a net decline of 3@4 points. Futures closed steady: May, 11.06; June, 11.11; July, 11.29; August, 11.17; September, 11.03; October, 10.81; December, 10.80; January, 10.83.

RICHMOND PRODUCE MARKET.

Note.—Unless otherwise stated these quotations are wholesale prices. Orders filled from stores in small lots are charged extra.

FLOUR—Receipts very light, but market quiet at prices quoted. WHEAT—Market quiet; light receipts. CORN—Active. OATS—Quiet, but firm. RYE—Very quiet. HAY—High grades in active demand at the advance. Low grades dull and neglected.

POTATOES—Old—Receipts moderate; market quiet. New—Receipts light and market firm at quotations.

EGGS—Receipts continue moderate and market steady at quotations.

BUTTER—Receipts increasing; market not quite so active.

POULTRY—All kinds active at prices quoted; receipts moderate.

VIRGINIA BACON—Continues very quiet.

RECEIPTS FOR THE WEEK—Wheat, 21,500 bushels; corn, 84,454 bushels; oats, 28,560 bushels; rye, 1,058 bushels; flour, 1,201 barrels; hay, 471 tons; millfeed, 526 tons.

STOCK IN ELEVATOR—Corn, 1,204 bushels; oats, 13,364 bushels.

POULTRY—LIVE.	Per pound.		
Chickens, spring, large, lb.	24	@	25
Chickens, spring, medium	22	@	23
Chickens, spring, small	21		
Ducks, large, young	15		
Ducks, small, young	13		
Hens	14		
Roosters, piece, live	30	@	35
Guineas, piece, live	25		
BUTTER.			
Choice family packed	20		
Choice dairy packed	22		
Choice store packed	18		
Medium store packed	17		
Packing	16½		
EGGS.			
Crates, nearby, fresh laid	18½		
Crates, other sections	18½		
Barrels and boxes	18		
HIDES.			
Dry flint, per lb	17		
Dry salted, per lb	15		
Green, salted, per lb	10½		
Green, per lb	10		
Dry flint, calfskins, lb	15		
FRUITS AND VEGETABLES.			
LEMONS—Messina	3.25	@	3.50
PINEAPPLES—			
Fancy, per crate	2.50	@	2.75
STRAWBERRIES—			
Fancy, 32-qt. crate	2.50		
Choice, 32-qt. crate	1.50	@	1.75
CANTELOUPES—			
Fancy, per carrier	2.50	@	3.00
Choice, per carrier	2.00	@	2.25
BLACK PEAS	1.40	@	1.50
BLACKEYE PEAS—			
No. 1, per bus	1.40	@	1.50
No. 2, per bus	1.35		
CLAY PEAS—Bushel	1.35	@	1.45
MIXED PEAS	1.20	@	1.30
BEANS—			
Navy, No. 1 white	2.00	@	2.50
Common to choice	1.75	@	2.00
Mixed, per bus	1.65	@	1.75
Colored	1.65	@	1.75
POTATOES—No. 1	90		
Fla., new, white, fcy	5.00		
Fla., new, white, ch	3.50	@	4.00
CABBAGE—			
N. C., per bbl. crate	90	@	1.00
CELERY—			
Fancy, large, per case	1.50	@	1.75
Choice, per case	1.00	@	1.25
TOMATOES—			
Fancy, per carrier	2.50	@	2.75
Choice, per carrier	2.00	@	2.25
Fancy, per basket	1.25	@	1.50
Per small crate	1.00		
SQUASH—Fancy, case	1.25	@	1.50
BEANS—			
Fla., round, green, fcy	1.50	@	1.75
HAY.			
No. 1 Timothy	16.00	@	16.50
No. 2 Timothy	15.00	@	15.50
No. 3 Timothy	13.00		
Light Clover, mixed	15.00	@	15.50
No. 1 Clover, mixed	15.00		
No. 2 Clover, mixed	14.00		
No. 1 Clover	Nominal		
No. 2 Clover	Nominal		
STRAW—Compressed	11.00		
Loose pressed, large bls.	12.00		

Load your cars so that hay at doors represents contents, and thus avoid rejections.

This market grades hay in accordance with the rules of the National Hay Association.

FLOUR.			
Winter super	3.90	@	4.00
Winter extra	4.35	@	4.65
Winter clear	5.25	@	5.50
Winter straight	6.00	@	6.25
Winter patent	6.65	@	7.00
CORNMEAL—			
City, sacked	89	@	90
Country, bolted, sacked	85		
MILLFEED—			
Shipstuff, sacked, winter	31.00		
Bran, winter	31.00		
Shipstuff, spring	29.00		
Bran	22.00		
WHEAT.	Car lots.		
No. 2 red, Western	1.52		
No. 2 red, Virginia	1.51		
No. 3 red	1.49		
Steamer	1.50		
Virginia (bag lots)	1.20	@	1.47
CORN.	Car lots.		
No. 2 white	84		
No. 3 white	83		
No. 2 mixed	83		
No. 3 mixed	82		
Virginia (bag lots)	81	@	83
OATS.	Car lots.		
No. 2 mixed	61½		
No. 3 mixed	60½		
No. 2 white	63		
No. 3 white	61*		
Winter seed	Nominal.		
RYE.			
No. 2 (car lots)	95		
No. 3 (car lots)	93		
Virginia (bag lots)	Nominal		

COUNTRY PRODUCE—WHOLESALE.

FEATHERS—			
Live geese, per lb	50		
Mixed, per lb	40		
SEEDS—			
Clover, wholesale, bu	5.50	@	6.25
Timothy, wholesale	1.75	@	2.00
Orchard grass, wholesale	1.50	@	1.80
Buckwheat, per bus	90	@	95
German millet, bus	1.15	@	1.30
BEESWAX—Per lb	26		
DRIED APPLES—			
Sliced, per lb	3½	@	4
Quartered, per lb	3	@	3½
Dark, per lb	2½	@	3
DRIED PEACHES—			
Peeled, per lb	13		
Peeled, dark, lb	9	@	10
Unpeeled, per lb	4		
CHERRIES—			
Pitted (new) dry order	10		
RASPBERRIES—Per lb	18	@	20
BLACKBERRIES	5		
WHORTLEBERRIES	8	@	9
WOOL—			
Tubwashed, free of burrs	30	@	33
Unwashed, free of burrs	26	@	28
Merino, unwashed	22	@	24
Burry, 2@3c. per lb. less.			
ROOTS—			
Ginseng, per lb	5.50	@	5.75
Senica, per lb	40	@	45
Va. snake, per lb	20	@	25
May apple, per lb	3	@	3½
True pink, per lb	20	@	25
Wild ginger, free of fibre	8	@	11
Wild ginger, natural	5	@	7
Va. Star grass	10	@	18
PEANUTS—Farmers, lb	3½	@	4
BACON—			
Hams, small	17		
Hams, large	13	@	14
Sides, smoked	12		
Shoulders, smoked	10	@	11
LARD—			
Country, prime	12		
FLAXSEED—Bus	1.20	@	1.40
TALLOW—Per lb	5		
WALNUTS—Bus	75	@	80
WALNUT KERNELS—Lb.	15		
CHICKEN COOPS	85	@	90
TURKEY COOPS	1.15	@	1.25
EGG CRATES	45	@	50
CATTLE MARKET.			
Beef cattle, good to prime	5½	@	6¼
Beef cattle, com. to fair	4	@	5
Bulls	3½	@	4½
Cows	2½	@	4½
Calves	5½	@	6½
Calves, large runners	4	@	5
Sheep	4	@	5
Spring lambs	8		
Winter lambs	4	@	5
Hogs	6	@	6¾

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

NEW YORK, May 21.—FLOUR—Steady. Cornmeal—Steady. Rye and Barley—Firm. Wheat—Firm; No. 2 red, $1.45 elevator. Options 1@1⅝c. net higher. May, $1.40; July, $1.21; September, $1.15¼; December, $1.13¾. Corn—Steady; No. 2, 82½c. elevator. Options ⅛@⅜c. net higher. May, 84½c.; July, 78⅝c.; September, 75½c. Oats—Firm; mixed, 61½@62½c.

Beef—Quiet. Cut Meats—Firm. Lard—Steady. Pork—Firm. Tallow—Steady. Rosin—Easy. Turpentine—Firm. Rice and Molasses—Steady. Sugar—Raw, firm; fair refining, $3.45. Coffee—Quiet; Rio, No. 7, 7½@8c.; Santos, No. 4, 8¾@9c.; mild, quiet; Cordova, 9¾@13¾c. Futures closed steady, net 5 points higher to 5 points lower. Potatoes—Steady; Southern, new, per barrel, $2@4.50. Cabbages—Easy; Southern, per crate, 50@90c. Freights and Peanuts—Unchanged. Butter—Very firm. Cottonseed Oil—Irregular, with moderate local trade. May, 5.82@5.90; July, 5.88@5.90; September, 6.11@6.12; October, 6.13@6.15. Prime crude, 4.73; prime summer yellow, 5.84@5.90; prime white, 6.08@6.30; prime winter yellow, 6.05@6.40.

CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET.

CHICAGO, May 21.—Wheat advanced more than 1c. here to-day owing to brisk demand, based chiefly on sharp advances at the principal European grain centres, the May delivery incidentally touching a new high record mark for the season at $1.31⅛. At the close prices showed net gains of 1¼@1½ to 1⅝c. New high marks also established in oats, the May delivery selling at 60⅝c. Corn closed firm and provisions steady.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
WHEAT—				
May	1.30	1.31⅛	1.28¾	1.31⅛
July	1.15⅛	1.16⅞	1.15⅞	1.16⅝
Sept.	1.07⅛	1.08⅛	1.07	1.08⅛
Dec.	1.05⅝	1.06⅞	1.05¼	1.06
CORN—				
May	73⅛	73⅞	72⅝	72⅞
July	68⅝	69¼	68⅜	69
Sept.	66⅝	67¼	66½	67⅛
Dec.	57⅞	58⅜	57⅞	58
OATS—				
May	59½	60⅝	59½	60
July	52¼	53⅝	52¼	53⅝
Sept.	44⅝	45	44⅝	44⅞
Dec.	45½	45⅝	45¼	45⅝
MESS PORK—Per bbl.				
May	18.30	18.30	18.30	18.30
July	18.37	18.42	18.35	18.35
Sept.	18.50	18.50	18.37	18.37
LARD—Per 100 lbs.				
May	10.62	10.62	10.62	10.62
July	10.70	10.70	10.62	10.62
Sept	10.82	10.82	10.75	10.77
SHORT RIBS—Per 100 lbs.				
May	10.10	10.10	10.10	10.10
July	10.12	10.12	10.05	10.07
Sept.	10.17	10.17	10.10	10.12

Receipts—Wheat, 4,800 bushels; corn, 113,800 bushels; oats, 208,000 bushels. Shipments—Wheat, 44,700 bushels; corn, 94,600 bushels; oats, 217,100 bushels.

BALTIMORE, MD., May 21.—WHEAT—Firmer; spot, $1.49 asked; July, $1.16¼; southern on grade, $1.46@1.49. Corn—Steady; spot and May, 81@81¼c.; July, 76c. Oats—Firmer; No. 2 mixed, 60@60½c. Rye—Firm; No. 2 western, domestic, 89½@90c.

RICHMOND GRAIN MARKET.

Richmond, Va., May 21, 1909.

WHOLESALE QUOTATIONS ON CHANGE.

WHEAT—Car lots.			
No. 2 red, Western		@	$1.51
No. 2 red, Virginia		@	1.50
No. 3 red		@	1.48
Steamer		@	1.49
Virginia (bag lots)	1.15	@	1.45
CORN—Car lots.			
No. 2 white	84		
No. 3 white	83		
No. 2 mixed	83		
No. 3 mixed	82		
Virginia (bag lots)	81	@	83
OATS—Car lots.			
No. 2 mixed		@	61
No. 3 mixed		@	60
No. 2 white	62		
No. 3 white	60		
RYE—Car lots.			
No. 2		@	95
No. 3		@	93

CATTLE MARKETS.

RICHMOND LIVE STOCK MARKET.

(Sales at Union Stock Yards.)

Richmond, Va., May 21, 1909.

Report of the live stock market for the week ending May 17:

Best steers, 6@6¼c.; a few extra fine, 1,350-pound steers, 6½c.; medium to good, 5½@5¾c.; common to fair, 4@5c.; best heifers, 5½c.; medium to good, 4¾@5¼c.; common to fair, 4@4½c.; best cows, 5¼c.; medium to good, 4@4½c.; common to fair, 2½@3¾c.; bulls, 3½@4¼c.; calves, 5@7c. Cows and calves, $20@50.00 per head. Sheep, 4@5½c.; fall lambs, 4½@6½c.; spring lambs, 7@8½c.; best hogs, 7@7¼c.; shoats and light hogs, 6¼@6¾c.; sows and stags, 5@6c.

CHICAGO, May 21.—CATTLE—Receipts estimated at 1,000 head. Market steady. Steers, $5.25@7.25; cows, $4@5.75; heifers, $3.60@6.75; bulls, $4.25@5.75; calves, $3@6.75; stockers and feeders, $3.30@5.30. Hogs—Receipts estimated at 12,000 head. Market steady to 5c. higher. Choice heavy shipping, $7.45@7.50; butchers, $7.40@7.50; light mixed, $7.05@7.15; choice light, $7.25@7.35; pigs, $5.25@6.75; bulk of sales, $7.20@7.30. Sheep—Receipts estimated at 5,000 head. Market 15@25c. higher. Sheep, $3.75@6.75; lambs, $6@9.10; yearlings, $6.50@7.50.

NEW YORK, May 21.—BEEVES—Receipts 2,401 head. Steers, $5.25@6.80; bulls, $4.25@5.50; cows, $2.50@5.25. Refrigerator beef, 10@10¼c. per pound. Calves—Receipts 836 head. Veals, $5@8.50; choice, $8.25. Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 4,389 head. Sheep, $4.50@6.40; few unshorn, $6.50; lambs $7@7.75; spring, $8; wooled western do., $9. Hogs—Receipts 3,050 head. Market quoted at $7.50@7.80.

RICHMOND TOBACCO MARKET.

Dark Fired (Reordered)—Receipts moderate. We do not expect the market to open before June 15, and our quotations are nominal. Brights—Receipts continue fair and market quiet, but firm, at unchanged prices. Sun-Cured—Market fairly active at prices quoted for all tobacco in good order. Receipts very light.

DARK FIRED TOBACCO—REORDERED.			
Lugs	$ 7.00	@	$ 8.00
Short leaf	8.50	@	10.00
Medium leaf	9.50	@	11.00
Leaf leaf	11.50	@	14.00
Wrappers and selections	12.00	@	16.00
BRIGHTS.			
SMOKERS—Common	8.00	@	9.50
Medium	10.00	@	11.50
Fine	12.00	@	13.00
CUTTERS—Common	11.00	@	12.50
Medium	12.00	@	14.50
Fine	16.00	@	18.00
Fancy	18.00	@	20.00
FILLERS—Common	9.00	@	11.00
Medium	11.50	@	12.50
Good	13.00	@	14.50
Fine	14.00	@	16.00
WRAPPERS—Common	15.00	@	17.00
Medium	18.00	@	20.00
Fine	32.50	@	37.50
Fancy	40.00	@	45.00
SUN-CURED.			
Lugs, common to good	5.00	@	6.00
Lugs, good to prime	6.00	@	8.50
Short leaf	7.50	@	9.00
Long leaf	9.00	@	12.00
Wrappers	12.50	@	35.00

MISCELLANEOUS MARKETS.

PEANUT MARKET.

(Reported by Rodgers, McCabe & Co.)

PETERSBURG, VA., May 21.—PEANUTS—Spanish—Market firm at $1.09¾ per bushel. Virginias—Market steady at 5¼@5½c. for fancy stock; machine picked, 5¼@5c.; shelling stock, 4@4½c.

DRY GOODS MARKET.

NEW YORK, May 21.—While cotton market remains very quiet values are not only being rigidly maintained, but are showing an upward tendency in some directions. The wool market is climbing steadily with purchasers anxious to procure new clips at the highest figures recorded in two years.

NAVAL STORES.

WILMINGTON, N. C., May 21.—SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Steady at 36c.; receipts 10 casks. Rosin—Steady; receipts 27 barrels. Tar—Firm at $1.50; receipts 6 barrels. Crude Turpentine—Firm at $1.75@2.75 and $3.75; receipts 43 barrels.

SAVANNAH, GA., May 21.—TURPENTINE—Firm at 37½@38c.; sales 647 casks; receipts 1,033 casks; shipments 866 barrels. Rosin—Firm; sales 3,146 barrels; receipts 2,729 barrels; shipments 5,168 barrels; stock 117,668 barrels. Quote: B, $2.80@2.10.

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

PORT OF RICHMOND, MAY 21, 1909.

ARRIVED.

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

Steamer Aurora, Furman, Petersburg, Va., merchandise and passengers, Phillips 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.

Steamer Aurora, Furman, Petersburg, Va., merchandise and passengers, Phillips Line.

Barge Sirius, Hesington, Norfolk, Va., light.

Barge Mattapony, Woodruff, Petersburg, Va., light.

Barge Christiana, Batterby, James River, light.

Liverpool Cotton Market.

LIVERPOOL, May 21.—Following are the cotton statistics for the week:

Total sales, all kinds, 62,000 bales.

Total sales American, 57,000 bales.

English spinners' takings, 83,000 bales.

Total exports, 4,000 bales.

Imports, all kinds, 57,000, of which American, 45,000 bales.

Stock, all kinds, 1,180,000, of which is American, 1,073,000 bales.

Quantity afloat, all kinds, 151,000 bales, of which is American, 146,000.

Total sales on speculation, 900 bales.

Total sales to exporters, 900 bales.

OFFICIAL RANGE AND SALE OF STOCKS IN NEW YORK.

By THOMAS BRANCH & CO., Bankers and Brokers.

SALES:	Open.	High.	Low.	Bid. Asked. Closing.
Allis-Chalmers	...	...	...	16¼ 16⅝
500 Allis-Chalmers, pfd	51½	51¾	51½	61 51½
5,000 Amalgamated Copper	82⅝	82⅞	82¼	82½ 82⅝
2,500 American Can	13¾	13⅞	13⅝	18½ 18⅝
1,700 American Can, pfd	82¾	82¾	82	83 82⅝
2,600 Amer. Car and Foundry	54⅞	55¼	54⅝	54⅞ 55
Amer. Car and Foun., pfd	...	...	...	116 116¼
600 American Cotton Oil	56	56	56	55½ 56
325 American Locomotive	57	57½	56¾	57 57½
100 Amer. Locomotive, pfd	115	115	115	114½ 116
3,400 American Smelting	92¾	93⅝	92½	92¾ 93
600 American Sugar	132⅞	132⅞	132¾	132½ 133
5,100 Amer. Tel. and Tel. Co.	139⅞	139⅞	139	139¼ 139⅜
American Tobacco, com.	...	...	...	400 415
100 American Tobacco, pfd	101¼	101¼	101	101 101½
3,450 Anaconda Copper	49¾	50⅝	49½	49⅝ 49⅞
1,110 Atchison	108⅞	109¾	108⅞	109⅝ 109½
Atchison, pfd	...	...	...	104¾ 104⅞
300 Atlantic Coast Line	128½	128½	127½	127 128
1,000 Baltimore and Ohio	114⅞	115	114½	114½ 114⅝
700 Brooklyn Rapid Transit	78⅞	79	78⅞	78⅝ 78⅞
800 Canadian Pacific	180	180	179⅞	179⅞ 180
8,420 Chesapeake and Ohio	79	79⅝	78½	78⅝ 78⅞
Chicago Great Western	...	...	...	4¾ 4⅞
3,120 Chi., Mil. and St. Paul	151¼	151⅝	150⅝	150⅝ 150⅞
Ch., M. and St. Paul, pfd	...	...	...	162½ 164½
800 Chicago and Northwest	182	182½	182	182½ 183
Clev., Cin., Chi. and St. L	...	...	...	70 73
4,700 Colorado Fuel and Iron	41	41½	40⅞	40⅞ 41
350 Colorado and Southern	65½	65½	65	64 65
Col. and South., 1st pfd	...	...	...	83½ 83½
Col. and South., 2d pfd	...	...	...	80 81
1,200 Consolidated Gas	144	144½	143	144¼ 144½
1,000 Delaware and Hudson	196½	196½	194½	195 195½
850 Den. and Rio Gran., com.	49¼	49¾	49	49¼ 49½
Den. and Rio Gran., pfd	...	...	...	87 87½
100 Distillers' Sec. Cor.	39¾	39¾	39½	39¾ 39¾
1,400 Erie	33⅞	33⅞	33¼	33¼ 33⅜
500 Erie, 1st pfd	50½	50½	50	50 50⅛
Erie, 2d pfd	...	...	...	40 41
1,400 General Electric	160	161½	160	160 161
5,200 Great Northern, pfd	145⅞	146½	145⅞	145⅞ 146
900 Great Northern Ore ctfs.	73	73	72½	72 72½
Illinois Central	...	...	...	146½ 146¾
500 Int. Metropolitan	16¼	16¼	16¼	16⅛ 16¼
100 Int'l Metropolitan, pfd	45½	45½	45½	45 45⅛
1,500 Int. Mer. Marine, com.	8⅛	8¼	8	8 8⅛
800 Int. Mer. Marine, pfd	25⅛	25⅛	24¾	24½ 24⅞
100 International Paper	13¾	13¾	13¾	13⅝ 13⅝
Int. Paper, pfd	...	...	...	59¼ 59¾
1,500 Kan. City-South., com.	46⅞	47⅛	46⅝	46⅞ 47
100 Kansas City-South., pfd	73¼	73¼	73½	73⅝ 74
600 Louisville and Nashville	139⅛	139⅛	139	138 139
400 Manhattan	147	147	147	146 148
Metro. Street Railway	...	...	...	25 28
5,800 Mo., Kan. and Texas	42¼	42⅞	42	42¼ 42½
Mo., Kan. and Tex., pfd.	...	...	...	72¾ 73
1,600 Missouri Pacific	76	76	74⅛	74¼ 74½
Nash., Chat. and St. L.	...	...	...	129 136
800 National Lead	87⅝	87⅝	87⅝	87½ 87⅞
5,800 New York Central	130⅛	131	130⅛	130⅝ 130¾
400 N. Y., Ont. and Western	48⅝	49	48⅝	48⅞ 49
400 Norfolk and Western	91	91	90½	90½ 90½
13,700 Northern Pacific	144⅝	146⅝	144¼	145⅞ 146
Pacific Mail	...	...	...	29½ 30
4,300 Pennsylvania	134⅝	135⅝	134½	134¼ 143½
600 People's Gas	114⅞	114⅞	114⅝	114⅝ 115
510 Pressed Steel Car	42	42	41⅝	41½ 42½
140 Pressed Steel Car, pfd	103	103	103	102 103
97,600 Reading	157⅝	158⅝	157	157½ 157⅝
5,500 Republic Iron and Steel	28	28¾	28	28⅛ 28¼
2,300 Republic I. and S., pfd	90½	91	90½	90¾ 91
6,200 Rock Island	32	33	32	32¼ 32¼
200 Rock Island, pfd	70½	71	70½	70½ 71
1,200 Sloss-Sheffield	81½	82	82	82 82¼
20,400 Southern Pacific	122⅞	123½	122½	122⅝ 122¾
2,900 Southern Railway	30⅝	31	30½	30⅝ 30⅞
1,600 Southern Railway, pfd	69⅝	70	69⅝	69⅝ 70
62 Standard Oil, ex. $9	672	672	670	670 672
100 Tennessee Copper	41⅝	41⅝	41⅝	41 42
100 Texas Pacific