

FINANCE AND COMMERCE

THE CLOSING QUOTATIONS OF MONEY.

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

NEW YORK, Jan. 2.—Stocks were quiet to-day, the transactions amounting to only 1,000 shares, an unusually small total. The tone of the market was rather heavy during the early morning, but in the last hour there was a general though moderate selling movement.

Money on call active at 6 1/2 per cent. last night at 5 1/2 per cent., and closing offered at 5 per cent., prime mercantile paper, 6 1/2 per cent., 90 days, 6 1/2 per cent.

Table of Stock Quotations listing various stocks like American Cotton Oil, American Sugar, etc., with their respective closing prices.

Table of Bonds listing various government and corporate bonds with their prices.

Table of Baltimore Stock Market listing local stocks and their prices.

Table of London Bar Silver Market listing silver prices.

Table of Richmond Stock Market listing local stocks and their prices.

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THE OYSTER PIRATES.

They raided Fox Island and dredged valuable flats. More or less Deceptions Are Going On, but the Oyster Beds are Never So Well Guarded.

ONANCOCK, VA., Jan. 1.—The Times correspondent has direct information this morning from Walt's Island and the Fox Island oyster raid through Captain Edward Marsh, of Chesapeake.

Mr. Ellinger was in Onancock on December 30th, and on being asked to approximate his loss, stated he could not tell.

He is a very large planter, and he cannot really estimate his loss. The scrapers, he said, lost several of their scrapers and were averted when they returned to look for the same.

It is true that most of the oystermen said that they are almost unanimous in saying that oyster interests in Fauquier and Potomac counties have never been so well protected as they are now.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK MARKET. UNION STOCK YARDS, ILL., Jan. 2.—Cattle: Choice, 2 1/2-3 1/4; good, 2-2 1/4.

THE IRON MARKET. CLEVELAND, O., Jan. 2.—The Iron Trade Review today states that the market prospects are becoming rather dark.

WINNIPEG, Jan. 2.—The Manitoba general election campaign, with the senate controversy as the chief issue, is at its height.

BEER WAR IS ENDED. CHICAGO, Jan. 2.—The beer war which has waged for a year or so has been settled, all the brewing companies doing business in Chicago having agreed to raise the price of beer to \$4 a barrel.

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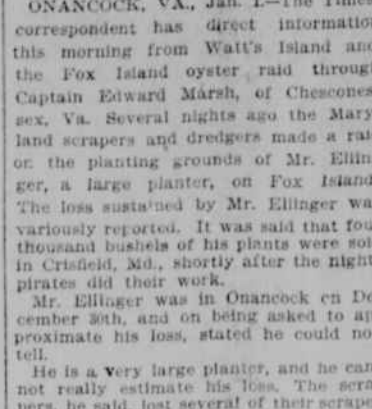
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A FANCY SILK WAIST.

A Perfect-Fitting Paper Pattern of this Garment May be Obtained by Filling in the Coupon Provided Below and Mailing it with TEN CENTS to the Pattern Department of "The Times."



No. 7627. The Marie Antoinette fichu is one of the accepted accessories in waist trimming.

The Marie Antoinette fichu is one of the accepted accessories in waist trimming. It is especially liked for theatre and evening waists, and for house dresses.

The pattern comes in six sizes for 22 to 42 inches bust measure. A medium size requires 5 yards of silk, or 2 1/2 yards of goods 42 inches wide.

Always give bust measure for waists, basques, coats and jackets. Give waist measure for skirts. For children it is also advisable to give the age.

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