

TERRY TRIAL

Second Big Venire Drawn

In Court Yesterday

Morning

TWO DAYS DELAY

Trial Now Awaits the Summoning of the New Jurors—Venire Made Returnable Tuesday Morning—Desired Five Jurors Expected to be Selected in Time to Commence the Evidence Tuesday Morning—Seven Jurors Already Obtained Now Living at the Court House—Present Term Extended and the Fortnight One Pushed Ahead—Notes of Yesterday's Proceedings.

The trial of the capital case against S. Hill Terry, the alleged murderer of his son-in-law, Geo. Tate Bland, would have been entirely without new interest yesterday but for anxiety over the drawing of the second venire of two hundred and fifty. The anxiousness of the accused and counsel over this important matter sank almost utterly into oblivion along side of that felt by numerous citizens—their dread of being summoned to act as even a prospective juror in a case of life or death. It took about two hours yesterday morning to clear away this feeling of uncertainty and then it came with a harsh realization to many, as their names were drawn forth from the jury box and placed on the special venire list.

AT ONCE TAKEN UP.

The drawing of the special venire commenced as soon as court convened at 9:30 o'clock and lasted with dreary monotony until 11:30 o'clock. This task was carried out strictly in accordance with the letter of the law. The slips of papers bearing the jurors names were drawn from the official jury box by a lad under ten years of age and placed into the hands of Deputy Register of Deeds John McLaurin, who read aloud therefrom the names, each of which was recorded by Clerk of Court John D. Taylor.

ALL DEEPLY CONCERNED PRESENT.

Besides the regular court officers Terry, still accompanied by his son, and all counsel in the case were present. All were interested listeners, but the concern of the latter was not confined to simply listening. It partook of a more active course, as each name had to be carefully noted, with a view to ascertaining as soon as possible all about its owner.

THOSE SEVEN JURORS.

The seven jurors, J. J. Loughlin, Samuel Northrop, Thos. B. Casteen, S. J. Sneeden, Vrans Swann, R. J. Casteen and R. M. Wescott, selected Friday and who represent the fruits of the first venire, were also in court. To them the drawing must have been decidedly boring, as, with tired expressions and impatient actions, they tolled restlessly about in the jury box. Occasionally one of them would ask to speak to a relative, who was present, about business or domestic affairs. The mutual consent of counsel representing both sides would then have to be sought by the court before the request was granted. This is only one of the many unpleasant incidents of this class of jury life. To the seven the doings of the outside world for the present must be a blank. All this for duty and when they have conscientiously performed their unenviable task self-gratification and public commendation will be theirs.

AUDIENCE NOT AS LARGE.

The total attendance upon court yesterday morning was not by any means as large as Friday, as the special veniremen were absent and a large part of the previous day's spectators remained away, knowing that nothing of great interest would mark the session.

RETURNABLE TUESDAY.

Upon completion of the special venire list Judge Ferguson had it placed officially in the hands of High Sheriff F. H. Stedman and ordered him to return it Tuesday morning at 9:30 o'clock, when the arduous work of selecting the five jurors yet to be obtained will be commenced.

HIS HONOR'S ORDER.

The exact order issued by Judge Ferguson relative to the second venire was as follows: January Term Superior Court, 1904. New Hanover county—State vs. S. Hill Terry. It appearing to the court that the special venire heretofore drawn in this case has been exhausted and before a jury has been chosen in this case, and it further appearing to the satisfaction of the court that another special venire of two hundred and fifty is necessary to obtain a fair and impartial jury to try this case, it is therefore ordered that another special venire of two hundred and fifty be drawn and summoned in like manner as the first, until the jury has been chosen.

That said special venire be returned on Tuesday, the 2nd day of February, 1904, at 9:30 o'clock a. m. It is further ordered that this term of the superior court of New Hanover county be continued as long as is necessary for the purposes of this case.

EXTRA DEPUTIES.

With his characteristic promptness Sheriff Stedman at once started considering the work of summoning the second venire. He had sworn in eight or nine extra deputies and they were sent forth immediately on the

quest for the much desired two hundred and fifty citizens of New Hanover county.

AGAIN HARD AT WORK.

Counsel in the case spent all yesterday afternoon studying the new jury list and several burnt midnight oil last night bent on the same purpose.

Every juror that has done jury duty in the past two years or who is not a freeholder or who has not paid his last year's taxes will be known by Tuesday morning to these zealous counsel. For all this information records have been and will be searched. Many of the new jurors will be disqualified by these causes of challenge.

ARE THEY CONFIDENT?

Counsel for the defense, since the selection of the seven jurors, seem more confident than ever of a victory. Not for the reason that they believe the jurors will be partial—far from it—but because they confidently think that they have secured unprejudiced, reasonable minds. That being so both sides and the public should be satisfied.

FIRST DEGREE NOT EXPECTED.

A verdict not of greater effect than murder in the second degree, which is punishable by not less than ten years nor more than thirty years imprisonment in the penitentiary, is expected.

TRIED MURDERER BROCK.

Of the now much discussed seven Samuel Northrop is the only veteran capital case juror. He served in the John Brock case and with his eleven colleagues returned a verdict of murder in the second degree.

As can be distinctly recalled Brock slew his wife and buried her body in a marsh at Queen's Inlet.

HOME OF THE JURY.

From now until the end of the trial the seven jurors already selected will make the court house their home, except when taken out to meals or to exercise, under guard of Deputy Sheriff William Sheehan. The other five jurors as soon as selected will enter upon this temporary but tiresome life.

The judge's room and the solicitor's office in the court house have been converted into sleeping quarters and there yesterday afternoon were installed thirteen comfortable cots, equipped with all necessary coverings. The unlucky number gives a resting place to the special custodian of the jury.

MORE PREMEDITATION EVIDENCE.

The state is certainly preparing to prove strongly that Terry is no uncertain and no choice language threatened the life of Bland. To the list of witnesses, some of whom are very prominent men, who are to establish this fact, has been added another. Yesterday a subpoena was issued for City Attorney William J. Bellamy, who, it is said, will testify to dire threats made in his presence by the accused against Bland.

LENGTH OF THE TRIAL.

It is conceded that the length of the trial from the time the taking of testimony commences until the jury gets the case will hardly be an hour less than a week, as it is expected that the argument alone will consume two days and the judge's charge fully half a day, to say nothing of the time taken in the examination of nearly one hundred witnesses.

WILL COMMENCE WEDNESDAY.

The taking of testimony is expected to commence Wednesday morning, as certainly the new venire should supply the wanted five jurors and that, too, Tuesday.

TWO EXPERT STENOGRAPHERS.

Everything possible to expedite matters during the trial will be done. Two expert stenographers will be employed. One will work in the morning and the other in the afternoon, so that the court can be kept supplied with typewritten copies of the proceedings without delay.

TERM EXTENDS.

But for the Terry case the present term of court, which was only appointed for one week, would have ended yesterday and the following fortnight's term would have been convened tomorrow morning. As it is, the present term will have to be extended until the murder trial ends, though the court will have to rest tomorrow, and the other term will in the morning be adjourned until Tuesday, February 9th.

TRULY A DAY OF REST.

The counsel in the case will certainly appreciate this Sabbath as a day of rest. Messrs. Lewis and Schuklen went to Whiteville yesterday afternoon to spend Sunday at home. They will return tomorrow.

MISS FANNY BEERS DEAD.

Died at Her Home at Lake Waccamaw Yesterday Afternoon.

Friends in this city of Miss Fanny J. Beers, of Lake Waccamaw, were shocked and greatly grieved yesterday to learn of her death at her home, at 2 o'clock yesterday morning, after an illness of about two weeks.

Miss Beers with her brother, Mr. Charles Beers, has resided in North Carolina for a great many years, having come to this state originally from Mississippi.

The funeral will take place at Lake Waccamaw this Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

DRIVER NOT TO BLAME.

Fire Committee Finds That Accident to Hose Wagon Could Not Have Been Averted.

This fire committee, composed of Aldermen P. Q. Moore, M. G. Thibault and W. E. Yopp, made a thorough investigation yesterday afternoon of the accident which occurred to hose wagon No. 2 at Fifth and Orange streets Friday afternoon. It was found that the driver of the wagon, Michael Evans, had his horses under control before he reached the above named corner, and that the accident was caused by the ground being very slick, causing one of the wheels to slide in the gutter, and the wagon to turn over. The injuries to the wagon were repaired yesterday afternoon and it is now ready for use again.

An expert tailor representing the late clothing firm of Strouse & Bro., of Baltimore, will be at J. M. Sisk & Co's on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of this week.

ON RAMPAGE

Three Negro Women Escape from Convict Camp

Camp

SMASHED DOOR

All of the Women Were Captured—Six Women Who Were Confined in Same Room Did Not Attempt to Escape—Shooting Scrape at Navassa—Dan Baker, Colored, Charged With Shooting a Negro by the Name of Calloway—Baker is in Prison.

Three negro women who are serving terms of imprisonment at the convict camp at Castle Haynes escaped from their quarters last night, but it was only a few hours until they were again in the toils of the law. The women were Mamie Garfield, Lilly Miller and Janie McCall. These women together with six other prisoners were confined in a small frame house. Mr. H. Hocutt, the foreman of the camp said he locked the door of the building where the women were confined about 9 o'clock. A short time after this one of the guards went to Hocutt and told him that several of the woman had escaped. Upon examination it was found that the women had smashed the door of the building into splinters. Six of the prisoners made no attempt whatever to escape. As soon as he learned of the escape of the prisoners Foreman Hocutt got in his buggy and started in the direction of Wilmington. He caught up with the women when near the Smith creek bridge. They made no effort whatever to escape when they saw Mr. Hocutt, but seemed to think that their escape was quite a joke. The women were brought to the city and placed in cells in the city hall. They will be taken back to Castle Hayne this morning.

A SHOOTING AFFAIR.

In a shooting scrape which occurred at Navassa last night about 10 o'clock, Sam Callaway, colored, was shot in the left leg just above the ankle. A negro by the name of Dan Baker is charged with doing the shooting. Baker was arrested last night and brought to the city for safe keeping. He denies most emphatically that he did the shooting, but when he was arrested he had a revolver in his pocket and furthermore the name of the woman who was shot says Baker did the shooting.

It seems that several negroes who were on the S. A. L. freight last night got into a dispute and the dispute was continued after they got off of the train at Navassa. The negro who was shot says he was not in the quarrel and that he was preparing to leave the station at Navassa when some one shot a pistol three times into the crowd, one of the balls striking him in the left leg. Callaway came to Wilmington last night to get a physician to remove the bullet from his leg.

The shooting occurred in Brunswick county and the prisoner will have to be carried there for trial. The case will probably be tried tomorrow.

A colored man by the name of Floyd McKoy brought the prisoner from Navassa to Wilmington last night.

THE "TOLOSA" ARRIVES.

This Will Make Third Cargo of Cotton the "Tolosa" Has Carried from Wilmington This Season.

The British steamship Tolosa, 2,699 tons, Captain Holtum, arrived in port yesterday from Cardiff. The vessel comes to Alexander Sprunt and Son for a cargo of cotton. This will make the third cargo of cotton that this vessel has carried from this port this season. The Tolosa cleared from Wilmington with the last cargo in the latter part of November. No more vessels will come to Wilmington this season for cotton cargoes. It took several weeks to secure enough cotton to load the Oceanic, which cleared for Liverpool a few days ago, and it will no doubt take several weeks to secure the Tolosa's cargo.

Captain Holtum, of the Tolosa, has a large number of friends in this city who will be delighted to know that he is in the city again.

DECLARE DIVIDEND.

Board of Directors of Consolidated Company Met Yesterday.

A special meeting of the board of directors of the Consolidated Railways, Light and Power Company was held yesterday at 12 o'clock in the office of Hugh MacRae and Company. A statement of the years business was submitted to the board. A dividend of 5 per cent on the preferred stock was declared, 2 1/2 per cent payable February 10th and 2 1/2 per cent payable on August 10th 1904.

Mr. E. A. Taylor, of Raleigh, is stopping at the Orion.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

List of Those Who Aided Katherine Kennedy Home During January.

The following contributions were made to the Katherine Kennedy Home for January: Miss Mary Hodges Pickett, pork; Mrs. Alexander, pork, vegetables; Cornelius Harnett Council, sandwiches, fruit, butter; Mrs. Wilder, potatoes, coffee, milk; Mrs. Penny, flour, eggs, oatmeal; Miss Louise Harlow; Daughters Confederacy, sandwiches; Mr. Hintze beef weekly; Mr. J. A. Springer, ice daily; Mr. R. E. Bellamy, drugs; Mr. Hicks, Bunting's drugs; Mrs. Bridgers, coffee; Mrs. Roger Moore.

Monthly meeting will be held at the Tuesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

FEDERAL POINT SCHOOL.

Public School at Federal Point Will be Opened on February 8th.

At the last meeting of the county board of education, the matter of re-establishing a white school at Federal Point was taken up. There is a negro school at Federal Point at the present time but owing to the scarcity of white people in that vicinity the white school was discontinued several years ago. Several white families have recently moved to the locality of the Federal Point school and it is now thought that the number of students will be sufficient to justify the opening of the school. The matter at the last meeting of the board was left in the hands of Professor Catlett and he was instructed to look into the matter and do what he thought best about it. Professor Catlett said yesterday that he had decided to open the school and that he hoped to open it on Monday, February 8th. Mr. Robert Lewis will be the teacher who will have charge of the school.

ANOTHER CASE OF SMALLPOX.

Colored Woman Who Works at Y. M. C. A. Thought to Have the Dreaded Disease.

A colored woman by the name of Bizzell, who works at the Y. M. C. A. building, is supposed to have smallpox and was quarantined at her home No. 114 South Tenth street yesterday afternoon. The woman will be sent to the pest house today.

Several weeks ago it was discovered that Mr. A. N. Hubbard, a clerk at the Atlantic Coast Line office, was a case of smallpox. He was at once sent to the pest house and so was his friend, Mr. H. J. Beers, who was his room mate. Mr. Beers was released from the pest house several days ago and was resumed his work at the Atlantic Coast Line office. Mr. Hubbard's recovery was being from the quarantine and it will be only a short time until he can be removed home. Both of these young men had rooms at the Y. M. C. A. and it is supposed that the colored woman contracted the disease in cleaning up the office. Mr. Hubbard was taken to a long time since Mr. Hubbard was taken with the smallpox, it was hoped that the steps taken to prevent the spread of the disease had been successful.

TO DECIDE ON HIS SANITY.

Hearing Before Judge Ferguson Yesterday as to Sanity of A. W. Rivenbark.

Mr. A. W. Rivenbark, who until recently was a clerk for Stoenberger Bros., was given a hearing before Judge Ferguson yesterday to determine as to his sanity. Rivenbark is said to have been acting in a peculiar manner for several months and about one week ago it became necessary to confine him. His case is under the jurisdiction of the court and when he does something that shows his mind is unbalanced he can invariably give such a good reason for committing the act that one is inclined to believe that he is of sound mind. The hearing yesterday was the result of a habeas corpus proceeding. Judge Ferguson said he had rather have several physicians pass on Rivenbark's case before he rendered his decision so he appointed Dr. Burbank, Dr. A. E. Baker, Dr. McManis and Dr. D. B. Baker to examine Rivenbark and make a report on his condition. Judge Ferguson will probably decide the case Monday. Mr. A. J. Marshall is Rivenbark's attorney.

THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

Monthly Meeting to be Held on Monday Night.

The board of aldermen will hold their regular monthly meeting on Monday night. The important matters to come up will be the two ordinances offered at the last meeting of the board. One of the ordinances offered has as its object the betterment of the present plumbing system and also requires that an inspector shall be appointed by the city to pass on all plumbing. There is no doubt about this ordinance being adopted by the board. It is said that there is not another town in the south the size of Wilmington that has not got an ordinance similar to this one. The ordinance was drawn up and submitted to the board of aldermen by the city board of health.

The other ordinance to be discussed is the one offered at the last meeting by Alderman Deane in regard to the blocking of alleys.

It is the intention of the board to amend the ordinance requiring that all buildings two stories or more in height shall be equipped with fire escapes. The ordinance will be made to require that all buildings two stories or more in height except school buildings, fire escapes will be required at these when only two stories in height.

COMPLIMENTARY DANCE.

Miss Cantwell Gave Phantom Ball Last Night to One of Her Dancing Classes.

Miss Leonora Cantwell gave a phantom ball last night to her advanced dancing classes. The ball was of a dancing class. All of those attending were dressed in ghostly costumes and as they filed into the dark hall each bearing a lighted candle they presented a weird and ghostlike appearance. After assembling in the hall each of the guests selected their partners for the ensuing dance. Dressed in the long white costumes and disguised, no one could tell who they were getting for a partner. After selecting partners the masks were removed and it was not until then that the dancers could be recognized.

The remainder of the evening was spent in dancing. There were about twenty-five couples present and all seemed to enjoy themselves greatly. During the valentine season Miss Cantwell will give a soiree in which all of the classes will participate.

William Waddell, the negro arrested upon the charge of getting two chickens under a tree, was given a preliminary hearing before Mayor Sisk yesterday morning and the case against him dismissed.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

Saturday, January 30.

COTTON—Steady at 16.25. Receipts of cotton today—264 bales. Receipts of the season to date—808,775 bales.

WHEAT—Firm at 1.10. Receipts of the season to date—1,000,000 bushels.

SPRITS TURPENTINE—Firm at 90 cents.

ROBIN—4.50 bid.

TAR—Firm at 1.10.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Firm; hard 1.10; soft 1.05; dip 1.05.

Prices same day last year—Spirits turpentine firm at 1.10; rosin 1.15 and 1.10; turpentine 1.10; crude turpentine quiet at 1.10 and 1.10.

Receipts today—10 casks spirits turpentine, 110 barrels rosin, 134 barrels tar, 73 barrels crude turpentine.

Receipts same day last year—19 casks spirits turpentine, 38 barrels rosin, 273 barrels tar, 64 barrels crude turpentine.

PRODUCE.

SALT—Prices car lots 100 lbs—100 lbs C. F. 40c; 200 lbs C. F. 35c; 300 lbs C. F. 30c.

DRY SALTED SIDES—1/4 to 1/2.

BUTTER—27 to 30c.

COFFEE—1/4 to 1/2.

FLOUR—Straights 4.20 to 4.30; 2nd patents 4.50 to 4.60; full 4.60 to 4.70.

MOLASSES—S. House 14; New Orleans Brights 23 to 25; Porto Rico 20; Cuba 20.

SUGAR—Granulated 14.75; W. C. X No. 5 14.65; No. 7 14.50; No. 9 14.40; No. 11 14.30.

LARD—(Tierce Basis) Pure 24 cents Compound 17 1/2 to 18 1/2.

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

PEANUTS—North Carolina 85 to 90; Virginia 85 to 90; Spanish 90 to 95.

BREWS—25 to 30.

CORN—65 to 67 1/2.

CORN MEAL—60 to 62 1/2.

BOGS—20 to 22.

CHICKENS—Hens 25 to 35; spring 10 to 12 cents.

TURKEYS—18c dressed.

DEEP—2 to 3c.

N. C. BACON—Hams (old) 15 cents; hams (new) 12 1/2; shoulders 12 1/2; sides (old) 12 cents; sides (new) 10 cents.

SWEET POTATOES—60 to 65.

SHINGLES—Per 1,000; 5-inch 85¢; 6-inch 80¢; 7-inch 75¢; 8-inch 70¢; 9-inch 65¢.

TIMBER—

Per M feet—Extra milling—\$7.50; S. S. Mill prime—\$6.00; S. S. Mill fair—\$5.50; Common mill—\$4.00; Inferior to ordinary—\$3.50.

STOCKS AND BONDS.

Quotations on local securities furnished by Hugh MacRae & Co.

STOCKS.

A. C. L. of Conn. 120 235
N. C. Railroad 171 176

BANKS.

Atlantic Nat. Bank 245
Murchison Nat. Bank 137
People's Sav. Bank 150
W. I. Bank & Trust Co. 200
Atlantic Tr. & Banking Co. 120

MILL STOCK.

Anderson Mill 121
Clifton Mill 90
F. W. P. Mill 137 1/2
Granby Mill 300
Henrietta Mill 300
Union Mill 170
Piedmont Mill 200

BONDS.

A. C. L. 5% cert. "new" 115
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W. & N. 4 1/2 100
North Carolina 100
New Hanover County 5's 100
Wilmington 5's 100

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

FINANCIAL.

New York, January 30.—Money on call easy; no loans. Time loans steady, sixty days 3 1/2 per cent; ninety days 4 per cent; six months 4 1/4 per cent. Prime mercantile paper 4 1/4 to 5 1/4 per cent. Sterling exchange steady with actual business in bankers' bills at \$4.85 for demand and at \$4.82 1/2 for sixty day bills. Quoted rates \$4.83 1/2 to \$4.84 and 1/2 to \$4.85. Commercial bills \$4.82 to \$4.83 1/2. Bar silver 60 1/2. Mexican dollars 42 1/2.

STOCKS.

A. C. L. 109 1/2 110 1/2
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Atlantic 69 1/2
Baltimore and Ohio 52 1/2
Chesapeake and Ohio 34
Delaware and Hudson 35
Louisville and Nashville 107
Metropolitan Street Railway 120 1/2
New York Central 119 1/2
Norfolk and Western 60 1/2
Norfolk and Western pfd 89
Pennsylvania 139 1/2
Reading 45 1/2
Seaboard 95 1/2
Seaboard pfd 100
Southern Pacific 60 1/2
Southern Railway 82 1/2
Southern Railway pfd 82 1/2
Union Pacific 80 1/2

EXPRESS COMPANIES.

Adams Express 220
American 193
United States 105
Wells Fargo 245

MISCELLANEOUS.

Amalgamated Copper 47 1/2
Brooklyn Rapid Transit 47 1/2
Pullman Palace Car 62 1/2
Standard Oil 62 1/2
Tennessee Coal and Iron 35
United States Steel 19 1/2
United States Steel pfd 54 1/2
Western Union 53
Virginia Carolina Ch. 33 1/2
Virginia Carolina Ch. pfd 105 1/2

BONDS.

United States refunding 2 1/2 reg. 105
United States refunding 3 1/2 reg. 105
United States 3's reg. 104
United States 3's reg. 104
United States new 4's reg. 102 1/2
United States new 4's reg. 102 1/2
United States old 4's reg. 107 1/2
United States old 4's reg. 107 1/2
United States 5's reg. 108 1/2
United States 5's reg. 108 1/2
Atlantic Coast Line 4's 93 1/2
L. and N. uni. 4's 90
Seaboard Air Line 65 1/2
Southern Railway 5's 112

COTTON.

Liverpool, January 29.—4 p. m.—Cotton: In limited demand, prices twenty points higher. American middling fair 8.85; good middling 8.82; middling 8.72; low middling 8.65; good ordinary 8.55; ordinary 8.35. The sales of the day were 3,600 bales, of which 300 were for speculation and export and included

1,900 American. Receipts 18,000 bales including 9,400 American. Futures opened steady and closed excited and irregular with prices more or less nominal; American middling G. O. C. February 8.65; February and March 8.65; March and April 8.65; April and May 8.65; May and June 8.65; June and July 8.65; July and August 8.65; August and September 8.47; September and November nominal.

PORT RECEIPTS.

Galveston strong at 15 1/2; net receipts 6,715 bales.
Norfolk, net receipts 700 bales.
Baltimore nominal at 16 1/2; net receipts 6,425 bales.
Boston quiet at 16 1/2; net receipts 1,000 bales.
Wilmington steady at 15c; net receipts 254 bales.
Philadelphia steady at 17c; net receipts 293 bales.
Savannah quiet at 16 1/2; net receipts 2,665 bales.
New Orleans firm at 15 16 1/2; net receipts 12,076 bales.
Mobile steady at 15 1/2; net receipts 637 bales.
Memphis firm at 16c; net receipts 1,475 bales.
Augusta steady at 16 1/2; net receipts 505 bales.
Charleston firm at 15 1/2; net receipts 48 bales.
St. Louis firm at 16c.
Houston steady at 15 1/2; net receipts 7,625 bales.
New York, January 30.—Cotton inactive at 16 1/2; gross receipts 6,133 bales; stock 72,654 bales.

Total today at all seaports—Net receipts 32,243 bales; exports to Great Britain 13,034 bales; to the continent 8,823 bales; stock 72,654 bales.

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Total since September 1st at all seaports—Net receipts 5,963,944 bales; exports to Great Britain 1,739,255 bales; to France 560,649 bales; to the continent 1,015,553 bales; to Japan 3,449 bales; to Mexico 20,346 bales.

Spot cotton closed inactive 70 points higher; middling uplands 16 1/2; middling Gulf 17. Sales none.

Futures closed steady; February 16 1/2; March 16 1/2; April 16 1/2; May 16 1/2; June 16 1/2; July 16 1/2; August 16 1/2; September 16 1/2; October 16 1/2; November 16 1/2; December 16 1/2.

GRAIN AND PROVISIONS.

Chicago, January 30.—The leading futures ranged as follows:

Wheat No. 2—

May 90 1/2 90 1/2 89 1/2 89 1/2