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New York Financial News

By NEW YORK TIMES.

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New York, March 10.—Railroad stocks swuing into the foreground of today's active dealings and recorded a strong price trend all the way to the close. Constructive sentiment prevailed in all departments of the market, however, and the fact that net gains of the rails overtopped most of the industrials was particularly significant of the altered speculative attitude in the last few days, the result, evidently, of immediate development among the carriers.

Railroad managements are rapidly voting acceptance of the railway law proposal for a six months' continuance of the standard return, and substantial orders for new equipment till of a quickening of transportation plans under private continual training and the continuance of the standard return, and substantial orders for new equipment till of a quickening of transportation plans under private continual training and training of the standard return, and substantial orders for new equipment till of a quickening of transportation plans under private continual training of a given the continuance of the standard return, and substantial orders for new equipment till of a quickening of transportation plans under private continuance of the standard return, and substantial orders for new equipment till of a quickening of transportation plans under private continuance of the standard return, and substantial orders for new equipment till of a quickening of transportation plans under private continuance of the standard return, and substantial orders for new equipment till of a quickening of transportation plans under private continuance of the standard return, and substantial orders for new equipment till of a quickening of transportation plans under private continuance of the standard return, and substantial orders for new equipment till of a quickening of transportation plans under private continuation plans under private continuation plans under private continuations and the standard return and the provided plans

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By CHARLES D. MICHAELS.
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By Updike Grain Co., D. 2627, March 10.

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New York, March 10.—Cotton—Futures opened steady; March, 28.85c; May, 35.85c; July. 22.25c; October, 30.55c; December, 29.70c.

Cotton futures closed steady; March, 38.45; May, 36.27; July, 33.75; October, 31.25; December, 30.36.

New York Coffee.

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No. Tork, March 10.—Coffe—Rio No.

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Seaboard exporters advanced bids 4c on No. 2 hard winter wheat to \$2.55, prompt shipment, track New York, and bought 10,000 bushels. Winter wheats here were nominally 3.65c higher and spring unchanged to 5c higher and spring unchanged to 5c higher with No. 1 northers \$2.52, and No. 3 northers \$2.40.2.42. Receipts, eight cars.

Chicago cash oats handlers who have been heavily short the actual grain to senboard exporters continue to cancel sales as fast as possible, 1,000,000 bushels being claimed to have been bought back in the past few days. Domestic sales of 105,000 bushels No. 3 white were cancelled at equal to 3% cents over May, track Chicago. Inability to make shipment was the main reason. Futures fluctuated rapidly within a range of 1%c and closed firm with corn with May at \$3%c and July at 75%c. Fremiums in the sample wheat market easier with receipts \$5 cars.

Foreign governments were after rye, a Chicago house having a request for an offer of 2,750,000 bushels direct from Spain. Export sales at the eastboard were catimated at 500,000 to 1,000,000 bushels, reflecting sales of a like quality in the west to seaboard exporters. Bids in the grain the seaboard exporters belief was that Germany and Austria were the buyers.

No. 2 on track sold at \$1.73%. Receipts

age is reduced 1.720,000 from 1919 and condition is 65 against 92 last year. The intention at the present time is to increase their corn acreage over last year; oats 8 per cent and hay 6 per cent, which would add 863,000 acres to the corn and 113,000 acres to oats, but with these increases Missouri would be shy 500,000 acres of corn of the usual average and 200,000 acres increase in oats. Lack of stability in prices and difficulty in securing labor is causing farmers to retrench in all possible lines. Treezing weather did little or no dainage to winter wheat in Kansas and Oklahoma, says the Santa Fe railroad's weekly crop report. High winds, however, did a little damage. The crop is two or three weeks late. In Texas wet weather is delaying field work. Indications are for one-half to two-thirds of last year's crop.

Minneapolls Grain. Minneapolis, Minn., March 10.-Flour mininged.

Barley—\$1.35@1.56.

Rye—No. 2, \$1.62%@1.54%.

Bran—\$47.00.

Corn—\$1.51@1.53.

Oats—\$5%@55%c.

Flax—\$5.07@5.17.

Kansas City Grain. Kansas City, Mo., March 10.—Corn-ay, \$1.44%; July, \$1.39%; Sptember St. Louis Grain. St. Louis, Mo., March 10.—Corn—May 1.48%; July, \$1.41. Oats—May, 85%c.

Chicago Produce.
Chicago, March 10.—Butter—Higher; creamery, 51 067 1/2 c.
Eggs—Unsettled; receipts, 3,354 cases; firsts, 42 1/2 043c; ordinary firsts, 35 042c; at mark, cases included, 41 042 1/2 c.
Poultry—Alive, higher; springs, 29c; fowls, 40c.

Chicago, March 10.—Potatoes—Steady; receipts, 36 cars; northern white, bulk, \$5.35 \$6.50; northern white, sacked, \$5.25 Spot Cotton.
New York, March 10.—Spot cotto

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Standing in the picture may be seen the supervisors. The chief operator, whose desk is shown at the rear, and the supervisors, are constantly on guard to help out any operator who may be receiving more calls than she can handle.

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