

V. R. H. asks: How can I make india rubber...

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25,984.—BIT STOCK.—N. Spoford. Oct. 15.

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24,963.—FLOUR PACKER.—S. Taggart.
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24,952.—MEAT CUTTER.—J. G. Perry.

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6,776 to 6,778.—NUBIAS.—H. Boot, Philadelphia, Pa.
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1,375.—STOVE POLISH.—Fletcher & Co., Lynn, Mass.
1,373.—BRANDY.—H. Imhorst, New York city.
1,377.—STEEL AND IRON.—Lang & Ogden, New York city.
1,378.—TOBACCO.—Loewenthal & Co., Chicago, Ill.
1,379.—SOAPSTONE PACKING.—Sellers Bros., Philadelphia, Pa.
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