

THE WILMINGTON POST.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

FRIDAY MORNING, AUGUST 3, 1883. THE HORRORS OF A NIGHT.

THE TERRIBLE STORIES TOLD BY THE SURVIVORS OF THE EARTH-QUAKE SHOCK.

AT LEAST FOUR THOUSAND PERSONS BELIEVED TO HAVE BEEN KILLED.

HORRIBLE SUFFERINGS OF THOSE IMPRISONED BY THE FALLING WALLS AND TIMBERS.

THE DARKNESS PREVENTS ANY EFFORT TO EXTEND RELIEF.

LONDON, July 30.—Of the foreigners staying at Casamiccola only those were saved who were at the theater on Saturday night.

Survivors state that they were obliged to pass Saturday night in absolute darkness without daring to move even to assist those calling for help beneath the ruins.

There is now little hope that the latter are still alive. According to the latest estimate 3,000 persons perished on the island. Three soldiers, searching for victims, were fatally injured to-day.

Subscriptions have been opened throughout Italy for the relief of the distressed.

A dispatch from Naples to Reuter's telegraph company says: It is now stated that the number of persons killed by the earthquake on the island of Ischia, Saturday night, was two thousand, and that the number of wounded was one thousand.

It is now stated as certain that 4,000 persons perished. The stench from dead bodies of human beings and animals is almost unbearable.

Several men and women were rescued from the ruins Monday morning. Many more might have been saved if a larger force of rescuers had been available earlier.

Many persons who were heard groaning during the night were dead before they could be reached and carried to places of safety.

NAPLES, July 30.—Many women and children are among the victims of the earthquake on the island of Ischia.

Fifty wooden huts will be built immediately for the accommodation of the survivors. The municipal authorities of Naples are sending relief to the island and are doing all in their power to alleviate the distress of the people.

Most of the corpses which have been recovered are so discolored by dirt that even after they have been washed the features of the victims are unrecognizable.

All the members of the police force at Casamiccola were killed. A boat arrived at Naples containing the bodies of twenty-four infants.

A few persons were taken from the ruins alive last evening. Eight hundred more troops went to the scene of the disaster last night.

Prof. Palmieri, director of the meteorological observatory on Mount Vesuvius, states that the disaster on the island of Ischia Saturday night, by which three towns were destroyed and a great number of lives lost, was not due to an earthquake, but to the subsidence of the ground.

The scenes occasioned here by the accident are heart-rending. The hospitals are crowded with wounded survivors, and the dead houses are filled with bodies of the victims.

The bodies of several Neapolitan ladies have been recovered from the ruins. Five houses remain standing at Casamiccola. Cries for help can be heard coming from the ruins.

Sappers are hard at work endeavoring to rescue the persons who are still alive. Boats from the island filled with dead bodies are arriving here constantly.

Survivors say that thirty-seven persons were entombed in a room in the Hotel Piccola Sentinella. Count Sergardi, after three hours' exhausting labor, rescued eleven persons, but failed to accomplish the principal object of his efforts, the saving of his sister.

The play at the theater on Saturday night was a burlesque, which opened with a scene representing an earthquake.

LONDON, July 30.—Special dispatches to the London papers state that the sortie by the French in Tonquin on the nineteenth instant, when a thousand of the enemy were killed, was made from Namdiak, and not from Hanoi, as stated in the report sent from Tonquin to the French ministry of marine.

Advice to Mothers.

Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with pain of cutting teeth? If so, send at once and get a bottle of Mrs. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP FOR CHILDREN TEETHING.

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5,000 acres of pine land, all in one body. Those who have such land will please communicate with me at once, giving full description of the same.

W. F. CANADAY.

Roscoe Iron Company, Chattanooga, have received from Cincinnati a large order for muck bar. Eight furnaces are in operation.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

July 26.

SPRITS TURPENTINE.—The market opened quiet at 34 cents per gallon, with sales at that figure. We hear of sales later of 50 casks at 33 1/2 cents.

ROBIN.—Quoted steady at \$1 17 1/2 for Strained and \$1 25 for Good Strained. Sales reported later of 500 bbls Strained at \$1 17 1/2 per bbl.

TAR.—Quoted firm \$1 50 per bbl. of 280 lbs, with sales of receipts at quotations.

CRUDE TURPENTINE.—Market steady with sales of receipts at \$1 25 for Hard and \$2 25 for Yellow Dip and Virgin.

COTTON.—Quoted firm, on a basis of 9 1/2 cents per lb. for Middling, with no sales reported. The following were the official quotations:

Ordinary, 6 9-16 cts # lb
Good Ordinary, 7 13-16 " " "
Low Middling, 9 " " "
Middling, 9 1/2 " " "
Good Middling, 9 1/2 " " "

RECEIPTS.

Cotton, 255 bales.
Spirits Turpentine, 150 casks.
Rosin, 944 bbls.
Tar, 82 " "
Crude Turpentine, 6 " "

July 27.

SPRITS TURPENTINE.—The market was steady at 33 1/2 cents per gallon, with sales reported of 350 casks at that price.

ROBIN.—The market was steady at \$1 17 1/2 for Strained and \$1 25 for Good Strained. We hear of sales at quotations.

TAR.—The market was quoted firm at \$1 80 per bbl of 280 lbs, with sales of receipts at that figure.

CRUDE TURPENTINE.—Market steady with sales of receipts at \$1 25 for Hard and \$2 25 for Soft and Virgin.

COTTON.—Market quoted firm. Sales on a basis of 9 1/2 cents for Middling.—The following were the official quotations:

Ordinary, 6 8-16 cts # lb
Good Ordinary, 7 13-16 " " "
Low Middling, 9 " " "
Middling, 9 1/2 " " "
Good Middling, 9 1/2 " " "

RECEIPTS.

Cotton, 582 bale
Spirits turpentine, 221 casks
Rosin, 2312 bbls
Tar, 254 " "
Crude turpentine 47 " "

July 21.

SPRITS TURPENTINE.—The market quoted firm at 33 1/2 cents per gallon, with sales to reported of 250 casks at quotations.

ROBIN.—The market was quoted firm at \$1 17 1/2 for Strained, and \$1 25 for Good Strained. With sales at quotations.

TAR.—The market was steady at \$1 80 per bbl of 280 lbs, with sales of receipts at quotations.

CRUDE TURPENTINE.—Market steady with sales of receipts at \$2 25 for Soft and Virgin and \$1 25 for hard.

COTTON.—Quoted quiet. Sales on a basis of 9 1/2 cents for middling. The following were the official quotations of the day:

Ordinary, 6 9-16 cts # lb
Good Ordinary, 7 13-16 " " "
Low Middling, 9 " " "
Middling, 9 1/2 " " "
Good Middling, 9 1/2 " " "

RECEIPTS.

Cotton, 719 bales
Spirits Turpentine 157 casks
Rosin, 481 bbls
Tar, 231 bbls
Crude Turpentine, 00 bbls

July 30.

SPRITS TURPENTINE.—The market was quoted at 34 cents per gallon, with sales of 750 casks at 34 cents.

ROBIN.—The market was firm at \$1 17 1/2 for Strained, and \$1 25 per bbl for Good Strained, with sales at quotations.

TAR.—Market firm at \$1 80 per bbl of 280 lbs, with sales of receipts at quotations.

CRUDE TURPENTINE.—Market firm. Sales of receipts at \$1.25 for Hard and \$2.40 for Soft and Virgin.

COTTON.—Market quoted steady with sales on a basis of 9 1/2 cts for Middling. The following were the official quotations:

Ordinary, 6 9-16 cts # lb
Good Ordinary, 7 13-16 " " "
Low Middling, 9 " " "
Middling, 9 1/2 " " "
Good Middling, 9 1/2 " " "

RECEIPTS.

Cotton, 630 bales
Spirits Turpentine, 163 casks
Rosin, 1945 bbls
Tar, 33 bbls
Crude Turpentine, 283 bbls

July 31.

SPRITS TURPENTINE.—The market quoted firm at 34 cts per gallon, with sales reported of 250 casks at quotations.

ROBIN.—The market was steady at \$1,17 1/2 for Strained, and \$1 25 for Good Strained. Sales as reported.

TAR.—Market firm at \$1 90 per bbl of 280 lbs, with sales of receipts at that figure.

CRUDE TURPENTINE.—Market steady with sales of receipts at \$1.25 for Hard and \$2.25 for Soft and Virgin, with sales of receipts at that price.

COTTON.—Market steady, with sales reported on a basis of 9 1/2 cents for Middling. The following were the official quotations:

Ordinary, 6 9-16 cts # lb
Good Ordinary, 7 13-16 " " "
Low Middling, 9 " " "
Middling, 9 1/2 " " "
Good Middling, 9 1/2 " " "

RECEIPTS.

Cotton, 311 bales
Spirits Turpentine 175 casks
Rosin, 937 bbls
Tar, 547 bbls
Crude Turpentine 62 bbls

August 1.

SPRITS TURPENTINE.—The market quoted firm at 34 1/2 cents per gallon, with sales reported of 100 casks at that price.

Sales of receipts at \$1 25 for Hard and \$2 25 for Soft and Virgin.

COTTON.—Market quiet with sales on a basis of 9 1/2 cents for Middling. The following were the official quotations:

Ordinary, 6 9-16 cts # lb
Good Ordinary, 7 13-16 " " "
Low Middling, 9 " " "
Middling, 9 1/2 " " "
Good Middling, 9 1/2 " " "

RECEIPTS.

Cotton 447 bales
Spirits Turpentine 76 casks
Rosin 831 bbls
Tar, 70 bbls
Crude Turpentine 225 bbls

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