SATURDAY, JUNE 4, 1881

3,557,864 gallons of refined petroleum were shipped from Philadelphia last Wednesday.

A company has been organized in New Orleans with a capital of \$25,000 for the manufacture of furniture.

John W. Garrett, president of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, returned to Baltimore from an extended Eurcpean trip last Wednesday.

The Lumberton Robesonian says that "Mr. Scales, of Cumberland county, has half a million of silk worms which will soon commence spinning the beautiful fabric."

Ex-President R. B. (returning board) Hayes says Conkling is a monomaniac on the subject of his own importance. Now let us hear from Conkling on Hayes. Who says that virtue does not receive

Beecher got one vote at Albany yesterday for Conkling's vacant seat in the United States Senate. Geo. M. Dusksin whose commission as United States Attorney for the Southern district of Alabama is a North Caro-

believe. The most venerable pair of feathered bipeds we have yet heard of are said to reside in Moore county: one a seventeen year old hen, the other a seventy (! ?) year old peacock.

Isn't it rather getting things mixed when a convention composed largely of liquor makers and liquor selfers, as the anti-prohibition convention at Raleigh was, resolved themselves to be "the true friends of temperance?"

Conkling has sent a telegram to Manone telling him his whole heart is near Meadow Branch church, in this the point of death, I tell you the half of with him. This was kind in Conkling. county, died suddenly on last Thursday what has been said is not true. Farehone telling him his whole heart is Mahone wants encouragement. But morning. Upon arising in the morn- well to thee." then hasn't Conk got his hands full in New York about this time?

It is said that Ben Butler is about to form a partnership in New York with the ex-Confederate Gen. Roger A. Pryor. Seventeen years ago Pryor was looking for Butler to get a reward of \$25,-000 for his head. It's Ben's head he's

Two hunters of West End, S. C., last Tuesday found and shot some game they were not hunting for. It was a "diamond" rattle snake, 4 feet 4 inches long and 14 inches in circumference. That must be a healthy country for

"May God help me while I preach, and keep me from the orthodox but unpardonable sin of pulpit dullness," prayed Preacher Talmadge. There is another sin, or rather a pair of themvanity and egotism-from which he ought to pray to be relieved.

It is reported that locusts are eating the convention, earnestly appealing to up the green crops in the Chowan sec- the convention to sacrifice everything tion of this State, and are destroying whole forests of pine timber by stripping the bark and depositing their eggs. The news comes to us by way of | was agreed to and the convention at Baltimore, and has probably been very 1.10 a. m. adjourned until 10 a. m. tomuch magnified in its travels.

A difficulty occurred Wednesday in Mobile, between Mr. Charles Crozat, a merchant tailor, and Mr. Jerry Owen, in which Mr. Crozat was shot and killed. The trouble arose out of some re- so without that gentleman's consent, marks made by Crozat about Owen, who owed him thirty-two dollars for a ed with the third ballot, the result of suit of clothes.

of not being up in the classics, and to prove it wants those Harvard boys to come over and regale 'em with "Edi- were subsequently changed at the inpus Tyrannus," as they dish it up in stance of that gentleman, who briefly Greek. It seems to us Philadelphia ought to be satisfied when the Times and at the same time saying that he editorially takes in the gamut of lan- thought it was understood that he was

The Philadelphia Record says: "It is a rather interesting fact that the oldest and nearest descendant in this country of that sturdy old Quaker, Wm. Penn, is an officer in the United States army. The whirligig of time rotates queerly."

True, too true. A very old and,

The following is a good showing for New Orleans. The Democrat says she ten minutes for conference which was is now not only the second port of ex- granted and business was temporarily port in the country, but is far ahead of all the others except New York. For city exceed those of the three next tenant-Governor. most important points-Boston, Baltimore and Philadelphia-the difference between the commerce of all of them combined as against this city being only \$2,500,000.

Dick Badger, at the anti-prohibition convention in Raleigh, in his opening Henry Ward Beecher 1, Dutcher. Madspeech said, while paying his respects to the parsons, that there were no honest preachers in North Carolina. About that time he discovered one, a delegate to the convention, when he parenthetically remarked there were a few. Now that the preachers know Dick's opinion of them, we trust they have discovered what kind of men they are.

The most amusing character at the anti-prohibition convention was the Rev. (?) Mr. Brown, of Yadkin county. He told several anecdotes, among them one of a fellow who went to bed drunk, had his face blacked, and when he awoke in the morning and looked in the glass, swore he'd be "damned if the

It is easily understood why still proprietors, government gaugers, &c., take such an active part in the anti-prohibition movement. If prohibition carries their avocation is gone. They are look- Hilwaukee Sentin ng out for themselves.

NEWS IN NORTH CAROLINA.

Anson Times: Rev. Leonard Fuller, colored, fell dead yesterday morning at Sandy Ingram's boarding house.

Oxford Torch Light: We learn from Mr. F. J. Tilley that a colored woman named Amy Washington, living upon his farm, died last week at the advanced age of 115 years.

Greensboro North State: Woodstock, Randolph county, will celebrate the 4th of July. Hon. D. F. Caldwell, of Greensboro, will be the orator. The guests of the McAdoo House were surprised by an explosion Tuesday evening which shook the house and knocked glass out of the windows. There was a leak in one of the gas pipes. The men hunting for it struck a light, when the gas ignited, causing the explosion.

Wilmington Star: While bathing at Point Conrad, Pender county, Monday last, a negro boy named Henry Farmer was drowned.—Wednesday afternoon, while P. O. Bowden, L. Tate Bowden, and a colored man named Thomas Howard, were crossing the river from the east side to Point Peter, a squall struck and capsized the boat. One of the white men clung to the boat, the other succeeded in reaching a raft, but the negro became exhausted in swimming and was drowned. its reward in this world. Henry Ward

Salem Press: It is stated upon good authority that about \$8,000 were paid out to the farmers of this county for hickory timber for the Greensboro spoke and handle works. Last week over \$700 were paid. Besides getting a good price for the suitable timber there is enough left in laps, etc., for fire wood, and much of it is now corded up linian, formerly of Orange county, we ready for market.—The commence-ment exercises of the Academy will take place on Thursday, June 16th, at

> Goldsboro Messenger: The condition of Mr. Rufus Edmundson still continues such as to give his friends some uneasiness.—The ordinances regulating the taxes of Goldsboro are as follows: On real and personal property one-third of one per cent. on the \$100 valuation; on each taxable poll, between the ages of 21 and 50, one dollar; auctioneers, \$25. The tax on ratail li-quor saloons is \$5 a month, in addition

ing Mrs. Bennett complained of not feeling well, and went into the barnvard, and not returning, search was made for her, when she was found dead. She leaves a large family and many friends to mourn her loss .-Tom Osborne, the negro boy who servi ed out a term of 12 months in the penitentiary from this county for stealing a pistel, yesterday submitted in the Richmond county Superior Court to the charge of manslaughter, and was sentenced by Judge Gudger to 8 years in the penitentiary.

Readjusters'Convention-Excitement

Over the Vote. RICHMOND, VA., June 3.-In the Readjusters' convention last night a motion to drop the lowest candidate was rejected. The second ballot was finished at 12.30 a.m. It resulted, Cameron 287, Massey 245, Wise 105, Green 101. After the second ballot, H. H. Riddleberger's name was presented to the convention and received with great applause. Riddleberger came to the front and stated that while not a candidate before the convention, he thought the office should seek the man. Gen. Mahone was next named amidst the wildest enthusiasm. Capt. Jno. S. Wise, one of the nominees, then addressed for the good of the party; not to consider men, and, with this object in view, he urged an adjournment which, amid great confusion and excitement,

The Readjusters' State convention met this morning 10.15 o'clock, the president, Jno. Paul, in the chair. Immediately after the convention was called to order, Capt. Richard A. Wise, of Williamsburg, who last night nomi-nated Gen. Mahone, said he had done and now desired to withdraw the nomination. The convention then proceedwhich was announced at 12 o'clock as follows: Groner 104, Cameron 291, Mas-Philadelphia can't bear the thought say 257, Wise 88; whole number of addressed the convention, thanking the delegates who had complimented him, not a candidate and that his name was not to be considered. He hoped, however, that now his friends would feel themselves relieved of any and all ob-ligations to support him. A resolution was here introduced to drop the lowest candidate on each successive ballot and that candidates dropped should not be re-nominated until one ballot has intervened. This gave rise to an excited debate which, amid great confusion, was put an end to by the main questhough not very near, descendant of Adam, is a peanut vender in this city. ing majority. At this point several delegations favoring the nomination of Gen. Mahone asked leave to withdraw suspended.

LATER.—The Readjusters nominated Cameron for Governor and ex-United the month of April the exports of this | States Senator John A. Lewis for Lieu-

Balloting at Albany-Scattering as

ALBANY, June 3 .- The first ballot for successor to Conkling resulted, Jacobs 50. Conkling 34, Wheeler 18, Cornell 20, den voted for Woodin and Gorstline for Rev. Henry Ward Beecher. Seely is paired with Hoffman, of Chemung, Lewis with Pinney and Craper with Butler. There was no choice and a Butler. There was no choice and a ballot was then taken for successor to Platt with the following result: Kernan 50, Platt 30, Depew 30, Lapham 6, Cornell 13, Ward 2, Vancott 1, Crowley 3, Dutcher 4, Miller 8, Folger 3, Tremaine 1, Wheeler 1. Sponola offered a resolution that this joint convention adjourn until noon Saturday. Cullman moved to table the resolution. The latter motion was lost and Spenola's motion was carried by a vote of 89 in the affirm :tive, the Democrats and administra-

tionists voting together. Lpsom Haces Cloyed.

London, June 3—The Epsom summer meeting came to a close to-day. Race for Oaks's stakes for 3 year old filles, distance about one mile and a half came off and was won by M. S. Crawford's Thebais, Mr. Cookson's calling himself one of her preachers making such an exhibition of himself.

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THE ROMANCE OF LIFE. A Prussian Robleman Suicides After a Wayward Life.

Albert Von Schlichting, a Prussian nobleman very much run down at the heel, who resided in Milwaukee for a year or more, suicided in St. Paul Sunday by taking poison. His dead body was found at the door of his divorced wife's residence. It was a tragic ending of a tumultuous life. Von Schlich ting went to St. Paul five or six years commission in the imperial army. Being dependent upon his own efforts for a support, he secured a position as teacher in the German Lutheran school here, of which Adolph Parr was one of the managing directors. Mr. Parr be-friended the fascinating young foreigner, who reciprocated by robbing his benefactor of his daughter against pa-ternal protest. Forgiven for his trespass, he secured service from his father-in-law's firm and betrayed the trust by embezzling their funds. Then he indulged in social sins until his wife procured a divorce, and nothing was seen of him in St. Paul until a few days ago. In the meantime Schlichting lived a very dissipated life in Milwau-kee, and the last heard of him was when last year he made a brief notoriety by capturing a burglar that had bro-ken into a saloon at No. 1 Grand Ave-nue, He was keeping bar for Schwindt, the then proprietor. Schlienting led a wild, dissipated life in this city, and for the last few months he has been as-sociating with the vilest slums of the city. The young man was of good family, his father being a retired major in the Prussian army and residing with his daughter at Dresden. He early acquired dissipated habits, and, though he evidently loved his wife, he was false to all his vows to her, until patience ceased to be a virtue, and she secured a divorce from him. When found, his wife's photograph, worn and tear-stained, was taken from an inside pocket. The stricken lady had exhausted every artifice to redeem the wayward man, and he seems to have given up in despair, himself terminat ing his tempestuous career. The following pathetic note was found among the effects of the suicide. It was not addressed or dated, but was intended for his late wife. It is in German, and but a part of it could be deciphered "Once more, farewell; and I beg the forgiveness of those I have injured. I hope you will not deny to the dead what you have refused to the living. to an annual recommendation tax of and then I shall die with my face to-Monroe Express: Mrs. Bennett, wife of Mr. Joseph B. Bennett, who lived I cannot live without you, and now, at

Milling. The millers of Great Britain are be coming seriously alarmed at the prospect of their trade being monopolized by the mills of the United States and the Continent. By way of endeavoring to maintain their prestige and their profits, which can only be done through the introduction of improved processes and the best machinery, they are hold ing an international exhibition of such machinery and its products in the great Agricultural Hall, London, which is very largely attended and well stocked. That the alarm of the British millers is not wholly groundless the London Times shows by statistics of the amount of home-grown and imported wheat and flour used in the United Kingdom for six years past. These show that whereas the quantity of flour coming from the States was only 1,772,000 hundredweight in 1876, it was 3,635,000 hundredweight in 1876. dredweight in 1878, rose to 6,863,000 hundredweight in 1879, and nearly reached 7,000,000 hundredweight last year; and with the mills of Minnesota alone turning out 6,000,000 barrels of alone turning out 6,000,000 barrels of flour yearly, and the mills of other Western States 15,000,000 more, the prospect for a falling off in the amount New Haven Palladium. prospect for a falling off in the amount of flour imported into England is not good. The Times also shows that the quality of the American product is almost equally in the van with its quantity, and says on the point of mechanical perfection: "The most significant feature is the stride made by the Americans toward eclipsing all Europe, if it be possible, in the quality of their flour and the economy and perfection of their grinding. Even in Minneapolis and St. Louis the system of milling deemed quite satisfactory no longer than two years ago is at the present news, thereby inducing irreparable results.

Mone genuine sold on draught. moment being remodelled in order to obtain greater mechanical efficiency in the treatment of varied qualities of grain and to secure in the products a

Cyrus Field Threatens an Exposure

whitest flour.'

higher percentage of the finest and

ed that he now expected to devote his whole time to the exposure of one of the foulest conspiracies ever devised for the destruction of a railway proper-

"Are you willing to give the names of the persons engaged in the conspiracy?

"You will find out their names when I call upon them to testify, as witnesses under oath, to the facts that I intend to bring to light."

"Are they well-known men?" "Among them will be found men who have held high official positions, and some who now hold such positions, railway directors, brokers in Wall street, representatives of the press, men who fought for the Union and men who conspired to destroy it, in all, a large number of men whose names are familiar to every one."

A Fatal Street Duel in Mississippi.

MEMPHIS, June 3.—A shooting affray occurred at Senatobia, Miss., Wednesday afternoon, between Pres McCracken, late deputy chancery clerk of the county, and a barber named Blount, which resulted in the killing of Mc-Cracken and the mortal wounding of Blount. The difficulty originated the day before when Blount threatened McCracken. Yesterday Blount met McCracken and said, "I intend to kill you," and drew his pistol. McCracken stepped inside a store and came out with a pistol when Blount remarked "Pres, give me a chance." McCracken lowered his pistol, and as he did so Blount fired. McCracken returned the fire and each fired three shots. McCracken died at 8 o'clock in the even-

Gerting Troubled About It. LONDON, June 3.—The Daily Telegraph says the government has received such serious news from Ireland during the last few days that a measure, calculated to deal with the exceptional state of affairs is, we believe engaging the attention of the ministers. The Chronicle says; We understand that the government is considering the that the government is considering the question of the suspension of the Irish jury laws and will probably introduce a bill for that purpose in the course of the present session of Parliament with-

months ago.

Blains who was the beau ideal of warm, generous American good fellow-ship, has become the secluded mystery of reserve and the inacessible embodi ment of aristocratic exclusion. He has set between himself and the public a cordon of sickish snobs and sutpid turveydrops, who repel those who would be his friends for the sake of auld lang syne with lisped affronts and hair-part-ed-in-the-middle airs of supercillious patronage, as if every man who sought ago, bearing the credentials of Prushis presence was an office-seeker and sian gentleman and the evidences of a every gentleman who rang his bell a suspicious character.

Haine Getting Snobbish.

GALVESTON, June 3.—The News has the following special dispatch dated San Antonio yesterday: "The track of the International & Great Northern Rail-way is now extended 32 miles south-west of this city and about a mile from Chican Medina county." Track laying Chicau, Medina county. Track laying is proceeding at the rate of one mile a

Track Laying in Texas.

1,985; to exports Great Britain —; coastwise 2,616; France 2,007.

MEMPHIS—Firm; middling 10%c; receipts 849; shipments 266; sales 1,250; stock 82,222.4 Weekly—net receipts 1,850; shipments 7,644;

Augusta—Firm; middling 104c.; low middling 94c., good ordinary 9c; receipts 53; shipments—: sales 117.

Weekly—net rec ts 880; shipm'ts 690; sales 934; spinners—; stock.

CHARLESTON—Steady; middling 10%c; low middling 10%c; good ordinary 9%4c.; net receipts 227; gross—; sales 200; stock 10.628; exports coastwise—: Great Britain—; continent, Weekly—net receipts 2.041; gross ...; sales—; coastwise 1.450; Continent 1.238; Great Britain 2,919; channel 1.230; France.

New York—Cotton quiet; sales 419; midd'g uplands 11 1-16c; orleans 11 5-16c; net receipts 619; gross 993; consolidated net rec'ts.

Wekly—net rec'ts 1,063; _ross 1082; exports to Great Britain 7.914; France 1,103; continent 1,690; sales 5,894; stock 168,140.

MACON—Dull; middling 10c; low middling 914c; good ordinary 734c; receipts 140; sales 205; stock, present year, 4,999; stock, last year, 1,462; shipments 148.

COLUMBUS—Quiet; middling 9%; low middling 9c; good ordinary 8c; receipts 113; shipments 387; sales 372; spinners 294; stock 5,058.

NASHVILLE—Firm; middling 10%c; low mid-95%c; good middling 85%c; net receipts 535; shipments 1,233; sales 1,077; spinners -; stock, present year, 7,729; stock, last year, 8,824.

PORT ROYAL, S. C .- Weekly-net receipts -;

PROVIDENCE, R. I.-Weekly-net receipts 301

ROME, GA.—Firm; middling 10c; low mid-9c; good ordinary 8c, Weekly—receipts 117; shipments \$10; stock 4,425.

COMPARATIVE COTTON STATEMENT.

Net receipts at all United States ports

Same date last year
Exports for the week.
Same week last year.
Total exports to this date.
Same date last year.
Stock at all United States ports.
Same time last year.
Stock at all interior towns.
Same time last year.

Same time last year

Stock of American affoat for Great

Same time last year

Britain....

LIVERPOOL.—5 p. m.—Sales of American cotton 10,100 bales. Upland low middling clause: June delivery —, August and September 6 1-32d, September and October 5 1-16. Futures dull, easier.

Sales for the week.....

Stock,

June......July....

December.... January.....

Later.-Stocks closed irregular. New York Central.....

Illinois Central..... Nashville and Chattanooga.....

Louisville and Nashville

Pittsburg.
Chicago and Northwestern.
preferred....
Wabash, St. Louis & Pacific....

Book Island.
Western Union.
Alabama—Class A, 2 to 5

Charlotte, Columbia and Augusta

Good Middling.
Strictly middling.
Middling.
Strict low middling.

Tinges.....Lower grades.....

Saturday.....

Vednesday

AUGUSTA, GA.-Stocks firm.

Memphis and Charleston

CITY COTTON MARKET.

The market yesterday closed barely steady.

RECKIPTS FOR THE WEEK ENDED FRIDAY.

New Advertisements.

Contractor Wanted

THE LUTHERAN CONGREGATION of Concord, N. C., desires to erect a handsome brick church at once, and invites bids for the building of the same; the material to be of the very best quality, the work to be first class in every particular, and the whole to be completed by the 1st of October. 1881. Bond and security required. Complete plans and specifications can be seen by applying to the undersigned, to whom all bids will be sent. Bids desired immediately, the same to be closed within three weeks from May 8, 1881.

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February.

FUTURES.

FINANCIAL.

NEW YORK—Money 1.021/231/2. Exchange 4.831/4 Governments quiet; new 5's 1.04. Four and a half per cents 1.153/2. Four per cents 1.181/2. State

NEW YORK-11 a. m .- The stock market opened

145,000

59,600 48,000 6,200 3,000 14,000

43,500 37,500 902,600 691,000 257,000 145,000

1.441 1.277 761

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Stock at Liverpool. Same time last year.

day. The track of the Galveston, Harrisburg & San Antonio railroad running parallel with the International & Great Northern for 10 miles, reached Leon, 9 miles west of this city yester-

Chattaneoga Contributes to the Atlanta Exposition.

CHATTANOOGA, June 3.—Director General Kimball, of the Atlanta international cotton exchange addressed the make a large exhibit at the exposition.

Montgomery—Steady; midding 10¼; low midmoney was raised. Chattanooga will make a large exhibit at the exposition.

Montgomery—Steady; midding 10¼; low midmoney was raised. Chattanooga will ments 1,015; stock, present year, 3,981; stock, last year, 4,942; sales 1,015. Much interest is manifested here.

Convicts Attempting to Escape.

Brenham, Tex., June 3.—Yesterday morning near Sealy as a work train was switching a number of cars were cut loose by convicts who attempted to escape. Two were killed and four wounded, two mortally, and one made good his escape.

Texas Thieves Killed.

DALLAS, June 3.—Melton and Baker notorious burglars and horse thieves. were killed in Hayes county by Deputy Sheriff White for resisting arrest. The pair had been robbing stores and dwellings and running off the stock for the last 18 months.

Commission Signed. Washington, June 3.—The President to-day signed the commission of Geo. M. Duskin, of Alabama, as United States attorney for the southern district of Alabama.

From the Hub. There is perhaps no tonic offered to the people that possesses as much real intrinsic value as the Hop Bitters. Just at this season of the year, when the stomach needs an appetizer, or the blood needs are provided by the stomach needs an appetizer, or the blood needs the stomach needs are presented by the stomach season of the people of the stomach needs are people to the stomach to the stomach season of the people of the stomach season of the people of the stomach season of the people o Bitters. An ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure. Don't wait until you are prostrated by a disease that may take months for you to recover in

LIVERPOOL—Noon—Cotton market active, firmer; middling uplands 6 1-16d; mid. orieans 64d; sales 12,000, speculation and export 2,000; receipts 10,400, all American. Uplands low middling clause; June delivery—, June and July 64d, July and August 68-16d, August and September 6 9-32a4d, September and October 6 3-32d, November and December 5 27-32d. Futures quiet. JUDGE W. B. HOKE, Supreme Dictator of the Knights of Honor, is a member of The National Mutual Benefit Association, and endorses it as parfectly safe and cheap.

Two Jolly Philadelphia Teutons in Luck. Mr. Alexander Beyer and his chum, C. Bande put one dollar each in a letter and sent it to M. put one dollar each in a letter and sent it to M. A. Dauphin at No. 212 Broadway, New York City, N. Y., (the same addressed "New Orleans, La.," would answer as well), and received in return half of ticket No. 76.071 in the April drawing of the Louisana State Lottery, and each put in his pocket \$1,250, with which they purchased neat little houses in Philadelphia. The Grand-Semi-Annual Drawing takes place June 14th, when over \$500,000 will be scattered under the supervision of Gens. Beauregard and Early.

MANY LOSE THEIR BEAUTY from the hair falling or fading. Parker's Hair Balsam supplies necessary nourishment, prevents falling and grayness and is an elegant dressing.

Woman's Wisdom. "She insists that it is of more importance that her family shall be kept in full health than that she should have all the fashionable dresses and styles of the times. She therefore sees to it that each member of her family is supplied with enough Hop Bitters at the first appearance of any

AN OLD LADY writes us: "I am 65 years old and was feeble and nervous all the time, when I bought a bottle of Parker's Ginger Tonic. I have used a little more than one bottle and feel as well as at 30, and am sure that hundreds need just such a medicine." See advertisement.

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Cathartic and alterative. Is a well known specific for constipation, indigestion, and all disorders of he stomach, liver and kidneys. Ninety years' popular use attests its purity, safe-ty and superiority to all waters of this cinss, Avoid all coarse, irritating waters, foreign and do-mestic: they impair the digestive organs and kidmay1-d2mo,eod

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH

JUNE 3, 1881. PRODUCE.

Wilmington, N. C.—Spirits turpentine firm at 32c. Rosin firm; strained \$1.65, good strained \$1.70. Tar firm at \$1.90. Crude turpentine firm at \$1.25 for hard, yellow dip \$2.25 and 2.50 for virgin.

BALTIMORE—Night—Oats—Western white 48a49 do mixed 46a47, Pennsylvania —. Provisions—mess pork 17.00 for old; new 18.00; bulk meats—loose shoulders—, clear sides—, ditte packed 64a945 bacon—shoulders 7½, clear rib sides 10, hams 114a1245. Lard—refined tieroes 12. Coffee Rio cargoes—ordinary to fair 94a114. Sugar—A soft 104. Whiskey 1.09.

NEW YORK—Southern flour quiet; common to fair extra 5.20a5.75, good to choice 5.80a7.50. Wheat—ungraded red \$1.14a1.2814. Corn—ungraded 50a58. Oats—4414 for No. 3. Coffee—Rio cargoes 9a12. Sugar—fair to good refining 7%a8, prime 816; refined—standard A 1016. Molasses—New Orleans 30a55, Porto Rico 36a55. Rosin—1.921/a2.00. Turpentine 37. Wool—domestic fieece 32a45. pulled 20a40, unwashed 12a80, Texas 14a26. Pork—new at 16.75; middles—long clear 8%, short clear 91/4a 5-16, long and short—. Lard at 10.95a.971/2.

COTTON.

GALVESTON—Firm; middling 1056; low middl'g 956c; good ordinary 856c; net rec'ts 567; gross —; sales 365; stock 43,899; exp'ts coastwise —; to Great Britain —; France —.

Weekly—net receipts 2,428; gross ——; sales 2,636; exp. coastwise 666; to Great Britlain 4,601; continent 3,716; France 909. Norpole—Quiet; middling 105ac; net receipts 1,023; gross—; stock 11,862; exports coastwise—; sales—; exports to Great Britain.

Weekly—net ree'ts 5,042; gross——; sales 1,119; exp'ts coastwise 3,667; Great Britain 3770; channel—; continent.

BALTIMORE-Firmer; midd'g 11c; low middli'g ; good ordin'y 9%c; net rec'ts 141; gross; sales —; stock 8,850; exports coastwise; spinners ——; exports to Great Britain.——; to Continent —, exports to Continent —, exports gross 2,782; sales —; spinners 551; exports Great Britain 4,447; coastwise 800; Continent 600.

Boston—Firm; middling 11%e; low middling; 10%e; good ord'y 9½e; net receipts 395; gross 1,191; sales—; stock 11,495; exports to Great Britain—; to France.

Weekly net rec'ts 2.684; gross 4,754; sales—; exports to Great Britain 2,018. Cracken died at 8 o'clock in the evening. Blount is in jail and not expected to live. He came to Senatobia three

WILMINGTON—Firm; middling 104c; low middling 94c; good ordinary 84c; receipts 198; gross—; sales—; stock 2,272; exports coast wise—; to Great Britain. Weekly—net receipts 746; gross —; sales —; exports coastwise 424; to Great Britain.

PHILADELPHIA—Quiet; middling 11½c.; low middling 10½c; good ordinary 9½c; net receipts 360; gross 383; sales —; spinners —; stock —: exports to Great Britain —.

Weekly—net receipts 3,276; gross 5,465; sales 2,095; spinners, 198; coastwise —; Continent —; to Great Britain 500; stock 13,226. SAVANNAH—Quiet; middling 10 5-16c; low mid 9 11-16c; good ordinary 8 7-16; net receipts 261; gross —; sales 1,000; stock 13,402; exp. coastwise —: to Great Britain —; continent.

Weekly—net receipts 2,994; gross 2,995; sales 1,850; exports to Great Britain 1,547; France —; coastwise 5,287; continent 7,517. McSmith Music House, Charlot may24—dcw1mo

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