SUNDAY, DEC. 4, 1881. Judge Jerre Black will be 72 years

old in January. Germany ships annually to this coun try nearly 300,000 canary birds.

The distance from New York to San Francisco is 3,420 miles.

Mr. Faucett, the Postmaster-General of England, is blind.

Mr. Charles Dawson, who has been elected Lord Mayor of Dublin, is a home-ruler.

A trio of star-routers were indicted in the United States court at Omaha, Nebraska, last Thursday.

Joseph Moyer was arrested in Snyder county, last Thursday, for a murder committed fifteen years ago. The Richmond State thinks that city

hospitals than of a new city hall. Ballot-box stuffers and false-return makers are coming to grief in Philadelphia. Several have been prosecuted

and jailed.

The tariff convention which met in New York the past week voted down Mr. Kelly's resolution in favor of abolishing the system of internal revenue.

There are more dogs than sheep in Massachusetts.—Exchange. There are a dozen times as many dogs

in North Carolina as sheep and the crop is annually increasing. Miss Ida Ullman, of New York City,

sues Mr. Henry H. Meyer, of Richmond, in the United States District court of New York, for breach of promise, laying damages at \$25,000. The present session of the South Car-

olina Legislature will pass a bill providing for inspectors of whiskey. Any person selling impure liquors in the State will be liable to fine and im-

Mr. Samuel Bowles, of Massachusetts who has been to the Atlanta Exposition says, speaking of the South: "The change from the old life to the new has been nobly begun and the sky is bright with the promise of a glorious future."

The late Baron Rothschild, who was afraid he would never be rich enough to furnish his library, and died of chagrin at losses he sustained in speculations, left \$40,000,000 for his heirs to

It is announced that a company has been formed to supply New York and other Eastern cities with gas made in the coal mines of Western Pennsylvania and conducted to these cities by

A St. Louis man could not prevail upon the police to break up a disorderly house next door and took matters in quenters for the purposes of subpœna civilizer—the locomotive. and it ruined the business and shut up

It is understood that there will be no public ceremonies at the inauguration of Col. Cameron, and the Roanoke Times suggests that this is due to a fear that the colored brother would ask for a too prominent place in the fete.

Democratic leaders in Tennessee are charging that agents of the Federal Administration are quietly assisting and encouraging the repudiationists in that State, with the hope that a coalidone in Virginia.

A large party of Saxon immigrants passed through St. Louis last week on their way to Arkansas. They formed the third installment of a colony of 5,000 or 6,000 that is being planted in and will at no distant day become an the vicinity of Little Rock by a colonization society in the old country.

China seems destined to attain to higher civilization than that preached by Confucius. A correspondent in Canton writes that steamship lines are being extended, telegraph lines are being built in all directions, and railroads are projected to connect all the important cities.

In the Southern part of California from 350 to 400 feet, some of them esti- to the front as a leading issue in Amerimated to be over a thousand years old. Secretary Kirkwood wants the government to reserve a portion of the lands upon which they grow in order that these magnificent relics of the primeval forest may not be entirely extirpated.

The Greenville, S. C., News remarks: "While we are spending money to attract immigrants, would it not be well | yet I will not omit the expression of my to invest a few dollars in retaining our own citizens and stopping the small but continuous streams of emigration to with the masses of the people as to-day. the West that is draining the State of her yeomen-her very life blood?" The suggestion is quite as applicable, or even more so, to North Carolina.

Lost by Newark Bank, \$2,500,000; Pacific Bank of Boston, \$1,500,000; Bank of Prince Edward's Island, \$1,000,-000; other bank failures in divers places, \$1,000,000—total, \$6,000,000 by bank failures in a little over a month. All coming from the same cause-unauthorized advances made by bank officers to their friends and partners in speculation, the bank directors in every case in blissful ignorance of what is going on.

Gen. Leach writes a card to the Raligh Netos-Observer denying the report that he is to become editor of an independent paper to be started at Raleigh He says: "Whatever else may befall me, I shall never assume the responsible and onerous duties of that profession, honorable and useful as it is, as well as essential in the promulgation of truth and the support and maintenance of public liberty." We thought so and said as much when the rumor reached us through our Washington

AN IMPORTANT EVENT.

The telegrams of yesterday inform us that the last rail was laid and the connection, by way of the Southern Pacific, between the Atlantic and Pacific States was made. This is an important event and pregnant with great results to the country at large and to the Southwestern States and Territories in particular. A Pacific railroad thirty years ago was the dream of the latter years of Thomas H. Benton's life, who advocated it and labored for it. If we are not mistaken this Southern Pacific road runs to some extent over the very lines that he had marked out, thus realizing his grand hope. Had it not been for the war between the States, the probabilities are that this work, which has just been completed, would have been accomplished many years ago, and that vast territory opened to civilization and commerce.

To form some idea of its importance we have but to glance at the Western States and Territories through which the Northern Pacific runs, and see how they have been populated, how they have been developed, and how they now flourish. But a little over a quarter of a century ago all that vast is in much greater need of a few good territory west of the Missouri river was the undisputed domain of the buffalo and the red man who followed him in the chase, and the adventurers who sought the gold hills of California had confined to her bed. to fight their way very frequently against enemies. The only spot where civilization had taken foot was at Salt Lake, where the Mormons were looked upon as enemies as much so as the Indians. Many a life was lost in those days and many an adventurer's skeleton the national Republican committee strewed the deserts of that inhospitable rooms during the late presidential canstrewed the deserts of that inhospitable plain. Now there are towns and cities where the "emigrants" made their camp-fires and threw up their defences to protect themselves from night attacks by ever lurking savages, who hung close upon their trail and seized every opportunity to plunder and murder. Over these same alkaline deserts, where thousands have died of thirst in the dread struggle to cross, the trains with Pullman palace cars dash over at forty miles an hour, and dart through the chasms, tunnels, and around the ragged peaks, where the men of '49 and | 50 spent days and weeks in forcing their fagged out cattle and mule teams over. A great change and a transformed country. The desert has lost its terrors, the mountains still loom as grandly to the sky, but have ceased to be barriers, the Indian disputes the right-of-way no more, for those hills and valleys are the site of flourishing towns and cities and farms, the homes of as active, intelligent and progressive people as live on the top of the earth. There are cities that will compare, though not in size, with any in the land for attractions and comforts, churches, schools, libraries, shops of industries, and all that any city can boast or civilization offer; mines that have vielded and are yielding fabulous millions of wealth annually, and cultivated fields of fruit and grain, and pastured herds, that yield more millions than the treasures of mines. All this has been accomplished in less than two his own hand. He kept a list of all fre- decades of years by that wonderful

What it has done for these Northwestern States and Territories it will do for the Southwestern, and perhaps in even less time, for there will be less to contend against, and nature is kindlier. The valleys are richer, the hills hold treasures as great or greater, the winters have no terrors, and blockading snows are unknown. There are millions of fertile acres inviting the settler; there are untold treasures of buried ores of various kinds tempting the man of capital and enterprise, and not many years hence will be seen the cultivated fields, the pretty towns and tion may be formed with them as was the flourishing cities where now the locomotive whistles among the hills uninhabited save by the Indian and the wild beast.

Many of these towns and cities will be within a day's ride of the city of the empire of the Montezumas, which is fast parting with its Mexican charac-American State.

A grand and a mighty section this Southwestern Pacific section is to be when peopled, as it will be, with its millions of energetic, intelligent, progressive people.

SECRETARY BLAINE A TARIFF MAN.

Secretary Blaine wrote the following letter to the tariff convention recently in session in New York. This tariff question is taking a deep and a broad the Redwood tree towers to a height of range, and is rapidly working its way

can politics. "Department of State, Washington, D. C., Nov. 28th.—Mr. D. T. Houston, Chairman, &c.—My Dear Sir: My official duties prevent my leaving Washington at this time. I am hence deprived of saying some things which I would be glad to say in your convention if I had the opportunity to speak. In a brief note of excuse I cannot discuss the tariff or the shipping question, and belief that at no previous time of our country has the principle of protection to American industry been so strong It was formerly an issue somewhat de-termined by latitude and longtitude, but those limitations have passed away and enthusiastic protectionists can now be found in Alabama as well as in Massachusetts, in Illinois as well as in

Pennsylvania.
"The West and the South are joining the North and East in the common belief that some manufactures should be encouraged and developed in every State in the Union. I wish I could speak with the same confidence in regard to the prospects of American ship-ping, but I confess to some dis-couragement when I see the American minister to Brazil at this moment en reute to Brazil at this moment en reute to Rio de Janeiro compelled to reach his post by going first to England or France in order to avail himself of a line of steamers. We are paying to Brazil annually more than \$40,000,000 in gold coin to settle the balance of trade against the United States.

"Brazil in turn sends this money to "Brazil in turn sends this money to Europe to pay for commodities which we might, in part at least, furnish her. It is easy for the merchants of Brazil to reach England and France. We have never seen the wisdom of providing an easy mode for the same merchandise to come to the United States. Se long as we fail to do so the balance of trade will annually increase against us. It is idle to think of selling goods to a man unless you first induce him to come to your store.

Yours, very truly.

Yours, very truly, "JAMES G. BLAINE."

CLOSE OF THE THIRD WEEK

NO ABATEMENT IN THE INTEREST

President Arthur, Senators Dayis, Bayard, and Others, Summoned-A Number of Witnesses on the Stand-Emory Storrs Don't Think the Young Man Crazy.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—There was no apparent diminution in the crowd that ressed for admission to the court room this morning. Notwithstanding the general impression that (Guiteau haying left the stand) the proceedings for a day or two would be of an uninteresting character, the number of applicants for tickets was fully as great as upon any other day.

It was soon whispered about the court room that the defense had subpoensed President Arthur, Vice-President David Davis, Speaker Randall and Senator Bayard, to appear in the court this morning, and the interest in to-day's proceedings was immensely

The court was opened at 10:05 o'clock and Scoville began at once by calling Col. J. O. P. Burnside, disbursing officer of the Postoffice Department.

The witness formerly lived in Freeport, Ill., and knew the prisoner's fami-Mrs. Guiteau was an invalid and he seldom saw her.

Chas. G. Allen, of Missouri, lived in Freeport in '39 and '40, and knew the Guiteau family. Mrs. Guiteau was in feeble health, and before the birth of the prisoner and for some time was

EmoryA. Storrs, of Chicago, knew Guiteau in that city by sight as a young lawyer. Met him on Broadway, N. Y., five or six years ago. The prisoner overtook the witness and handed him his business card, he did not speak with him above three minutes. The witness saw Guiteau perhaps a dozen times at vass. The prisoner came up to him gleefully and patting him on the shouller said: "You are on the right track." The witness never saw Guiteau doing anything at the committee rooms other than reading papers. He seemed to have no especial employment. He thought Guiteau had an unbalanced mind, but never discovered anything to indicate he could not distinguish right

His evidence created quite a stir in the court room and seemed to stagger those about the defense table. The sister of the prisoner was particularly excited and in tones, distinctly caught by the reporters, said: "He has perjured himself, that is all there is about it." Senator David Davis was called but know nothing about the prisoner. I wo | and know its valuable properties.

Republican Congressmen Hold a Caucus-Keifer Nominated on the

Sixteenth Ballot. WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—The Republican members elect assembled at noon in the hall of the House of Representatives for the purpose of nominating candidates to fill the various elective offices. Jay Hubbell, of Michigan, called the caucus to order shortly after 12 o'clock. Robeson, of New Jersey, was then selected as chairman of the caucus, Miller, of Pennsylvania, as secre-tary, and McCook, of New York, Updegraff, of Iowa, and McLure, of Ohio, as assistant secretaries and tellers. After roll call, to which a full Republican membership responded, the nomina-tions for the Speakership were de-clared to be in order, and candidates were placed in nomination as follows: Frank Hiscock, New York, by Representative Camp, of New York; James W. Keifer, Ohio, by Representative Hazleton, of Wisconsin; John A. Kasson, Iowa, by Representative Cannon, of Illinois; Mark H. Dunnell, Minnesota, by Representative Strait, of Minnesota; Godlove S. Orth, by Representa-tive Call, of Illinois; J. C. Burrows, of Michigan, by Hoor, of Michigan, and Thos. B. Reed, of Maine, by Lindsey, of Maine. A motion was made and advocated briefly by Pennsylvania, that the voting be viva voce, but this was voted down and the balloting was then proceeded with, resulting as follows; Kei-fer 52, Hiscock 44, Kasson 15, Reed 13, Burrows 10, Orth 8, Dunnell 4; total 146; necessary to a choice 74. Second ballot—Keifer 55, Hiscock 41, Kasson 16, Reed 12, Burrows 16, Orth 8, Dun-nell 3; total 145. Third ballot—Keifer 55, Hiscock 38, Kasson 19, Reed 12, Burrows 10, Orth 8, Dunnell 3; total 145.

Balioting continued without any result until the sixteenth ballot, when Keifer received 98 votes, and the caucus nomination. He gained 16 from Hiscock, 10 from Burrows and 6 from

Pennsylvanians Want Keifer for Speaker.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.—Seventeen out of Eighteen members of the Pennsylvania delegation held a conference this morning, at which, after some discussion, all the members present agreed to vote for Gen. Keifer as Speaker. The absentee was Mr. Bain, who sent word that he will vote for Mr. Hiscock. It was also determined by the seventeen members to support Wm. Burne, ex-Register of Wills of Philadelphia, for election as Sergeant-at-Arms. Five of the members announced themselves in favor of Edward McPherson for the position of Clerk of the House, but it was finally decided that the delegation should not make an effort to elect any Pennsylvania man to that office but favor its being given to some New Yorker, probably Mr. Johnson. The result of the Pennsylvania conference is generally regarded as highly favorable to the prospects of Keifer's success, but other prominent candidates still possess undiminished confidence. It was announce ed that Mr. Keim's name had been withdrawn from list of candidates for the office of Clerk.

The Texas Knife and Pistol.

GALVESTON, TEX., Dec. 3.—A special to the News from Navasota says a desperate encounter took place last Mon-day evening at Graball, Washington gounty, between Wm. Bass and Pink Kayon, on one side and Wm. Rea and Young Barber on the orner side. Rea was wounded by Kayon and died on Wednesday. Barber was shot through the shoulder and lung by Bass and is lying in a dangerous condition.

From Mexico.

MEXICO, Nov. 30.—An attempt was made on Saturday to murder Governor Manuel Ledo, of Guanajato, by two men who had been instigated by politi-cal enemies. Much party feeling has existed in Guanajato. Gen. Ord has gone to Oaxaca as representative of the Mexican Southern Railway, to be present at the inauguration of Gen. Diaz as Governor of the State and spacially sent by Grant.

Disabled Steamer.

London, Dec. 2.—The steamer Hel-vetia, from New York for Liverpool, which arrived at Queenstown yester-day, reports that she passed the steamer Erin from Liverpool for New York bearing up and in tow of the British steamer Palestine from Boston for Liv-erpool. The Erin had her propeller and frame broke and had her decks

Mr. Arnold F. Roth, Wooster, Ohio, writes: My wife and self were attacked with a severe case of rheumatism, St. Jacobs Oil gave us imi reliet. We chearfully recommend it to our friends and the general public.

Convicted of Manslaughter. NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 3.—John. Sher-bang was convicted yesterday of man-slaughter for participation in the mur-der of Simon Kelly, a trackman on the Lake Shell road, on the 4th of July last.

Corporal Thomas Griffin had already been convicted and sentenced to five years at hard labor for participation in the same crime.

Fatal Termination of an Old Feud. ST. Louis, Dec. 3.-Two men, named Hunt and Dunklin, between whom an old feud existed, met on the road two miles from Fulmer's, Andrew county, on Thursday, and after some hot words Hunt shot Dunklin through the head, killing him instantly. Hunt surrendered to the authorities.

Exchange,....

FINANCIAL.

NEW YORK.

1.28 1.42 454 1.68 1.884 1.214 70 864 1.878 1.864 1.86

STOCKS-Opened irregular and closed

Chicago and Northwestern..... preferred....

East Tennessee.....

Lake Shore....Louisville and Nashville .....

Memphis and Charleston...... Nashvilleand Chattanooga.....

New York Central
Pittsburg.
Richmond and Allegheny....

Richmond and Danville.....

Western Union ----

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

Low middling.
Tinges.
Storm cotton.

Sales yesterday 418 bales.

ing quotations:

CITY COTTON MARKET.

The market yesterday closed firm at the follow

Miscellaneous.

POPULAR MONTHLY DRAWING OF THE

COMMONWEALTH

In the City of Louisville, on

SATURDAY, DECEMBER \$1, 1881.

These drawings occur monthly (Sundays excepted) under provisions of an Act of the General Assembly of Kentucky.

The United States Circuit Court on March 31, rendered the following decisions:

1st—That the Commonwealth Distribution Com-

The Company has now on hand a large reserve fund. Bead the list of prizes for the

DECEMBER DRAWING.

1,960 Prizes,......\$112,400

Whole Tickets, \$2; Half Tickets, \$1; 27 Tickets, \$50; 55 Tickets, \$100.

Remit Money or Bank Draft in Letter, or send by Express. DON'T SEND BY REGISTERED LETTER OR POSTOFFICE ORDER. Orders of \$5 and upward, by Express, can be gent at our expense. Address all orders to

B. M. BOARDMAN, Courier-Journal Building Louisville, Ky., or 809 Broadway New York.

VALUABLE FARM

FOR SALE

NEAR HUNTERSVILLE.

Terms—1/2 cash the other payments in six, twelve and eighteen months, with interest at eight per

This land can be bought at private sale any time before day of sale.

J. H. McADEN, dec8 tds

Agent for Sawyer, Wallace & Co.

GENERAL FEED DEALERS

COMMISSION MERCHANTS

CHARLOTTE, N. C.

WE HAVE NOW ON HAND:

CAR LOAD CORN and PEA MEAL MIXED

CAR LOAD PATAPSCO PATENT PROCESS

WILL GLADLY QUOTE PRICES

BOTH THE WHOLKSALE and BETAIL TRADE.

LAND SALE.

A. J. BEALL & CO.

Respectfully soliciting a share

patronage, we are respectfully, nova

CAR LOAD WHITE CORN,

CAR LOAD YELLOW CORN,

O CAR LOADS TIMOTHY HAY,

1 Prize, 1 Prizes, 10 Prizes, \$1,000 each, 20 Prizes, 500 each, 100 Prizes, 100 each, 200 Prizes, 50 each, 600 Prizes, 20 each, 1 Prizes, \$300 each, Approximation Prizes \$ 9 Prizes, 200 """

pany is legal. 2d—Its drawings are fair.

9 Prizes, 200 " 9 Prizes, 100 "

39th =

CHARLOTTE, December 5, 1881.

Honoring the French Guests. NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 3.—The citizens of New Orleans will give a grand ball and reception at the French Opera House in honor of the distinguished French visiters who were recently the guests of the nation at the Yorktown centennial.

McPherson Scoops Rainey for Clerk. WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—McPherson was nominated for clerk in the Republican caucus to-day on the first ballot, by a vote of 92 against 44 for Rainey, and the rest scattering.

Star Routers Indicted.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—The grand ury found six indictments in the star route cases, four against Frederick B. Lilly and two against George B. Brott. Bench warrants were issued for their

Assistant Secretary Upton Resigns WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—Assistant Secretary of the Treasury Upton has tendered his resignation.

A good investment is a bottle of Dr. Bull's cough syrup, for it never disappoints. 25c per bottle. Sold by all druggists.

Weather.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.-Midland and South Atlantic States, cloudy weather, with light rain or snow, light winds, mostly easterly, stationary temperature and stationary or lower pressure.

To the humble and credulous as well as to the rich and skeptical, Dr. Bull's cough syrup is a true and welcome friend. Price 25c.

We ask you to read the advertisement of Darby's We ask you to read the advertisement of Darby's Prophylatic Fluid, which appears in our issue of to-day. It is a wonderful healing remedy, a most powerful disinfectant, and a positive germ destroyer, and is perfectly safe to use even in the hands of the most inexperienced. It is highly recommended by eminent physicians and chemists, and endorsed by hundreds of others who have used it and know its valuable properties. It costs but a or three other witnesses were examined and the court adjourned till Monday.

and know its valuable projection. It was and monday and the suffering, time and monday.

and know its valuable projection. It was and monday and will save much suffering, time and monday.

trifle and will save much suffering, time and monday.

trifle and will save much suffering, time and monday.

Let if any its valuable projection.

The suffering is the suffering time and monday.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH

DECEMBER 3, 1881. PRODUCE.

WILMINGTON, N. C.—Spirits turpentine quiet at 521/2c. Bosin firm; strained \$1.80; good strained \$1.85. Tar firm at \$2.40. Crude turpentine firm at \$2.50 hard; \$3.75 for yellow dip; \$3.00 for virgin inferior. Coin quiet and nominal; prime white 771/2a80; mixed 75a771/2.

white 771/2880; mixed 75a771/2.

Baltimore—Noon—Flour firm and unchanged;
Howard street and Western super \$4.25a\$5.00;
extra \$5 25a\$6.25; family \$6.50a\$7.25; city mills,
super \$4.50a\$5.25; extra \$5.25a\$6.25; family
\$7.50a\$7.75; klo brands \$7 25a\$7.37; Patapsco
family \$8.00. Wheat—Southern higher: Western
higher and closing firm; Southern red \$1.83a\$1.40;
do amber \$1.42a\$1.46, No. 1 Maryland red \$1.47;
No. 2 Western winter red spot and December
\$1.381/28\$1.385a; January \$1.415a\$1.414a; February \$1.441/2a\$1.4444; March \$1.471/2. Corn—
Southern firmer; Western higher and closing easy;
Southern white 66a67; do. yellow 67a68.

BALTIMORE-Night-Oats higher; Southern 50a54; Western white 50a53; do mixed 49a50; Penn sylvania 50a58. Provisions—quiet and unchanged; mess pork \$18.00. Bulk meats—shoulders and clear rib sides, packed 84a934. Bacon—shoulders 944; clear rib sides 11; hams 18a1845. Lard—refined 1244. Coffee dull; Rio cargoes—ordinary to fair 84a1045. Sugar quiet—A soft 934. Whiskey firm, at \$1.1745. Freignts quiet.

whisker firm, at \$1.17½. Freights quiet.

NEW YORK—Southern flour quiet and steady; common to fair extra \$5.5536.75; good to choice do \$6.80a\$8.12½. Whest—opened Mail higher and feverish, and unsettled, closing very strong; No. 2 spring—; mixed winter—; ungraded spring \$1.38; ungraded—; ungraded white \$1.29a\$1.41; ungraded red \$1.10a\$1.41; No. 2 red and December \$1.41¼; January—; February—; March——. Corn—opened rather easier, and closed Maile higher and strong; ungraded 65a72; low mixed——; No. 2 white 73; yellow 70; No. 2 December 691½a70½; January 70½a72½; February 72¾a73½. Oats—opened weak and higher and firm; No. 3 491½a49½. Hops firm and very quiet. Coffee—14c lower and dull; Rio 81½a11½. Sugar—dull and nominally unchanged; Molasses sugar——; centrifugal——; fair to good refining 75a7½; refined dull; Standard 91½. Molasses quiet and unchanged; new crop New Orleans—; old do—. Rice steady and quiet. Rosin dull and easier, at \$2.15a\$2.20. Turpentine steady and quiet, at 55a55½. Wool in fair demand and very steady; domestic feece 84a48; pulled 20a42; unwashed 12a85; Texas 16a32. Pork—dull and unchanged; old mess spot \$17.50; new do \$18.25a\$18.50; December \$17.25a\$17:50; January and February \$18 15a\$18.30; middles dull and unchanged: long clear 945a9½; short clear 9½s. Lard—lower and closing about steady, at \$11.42½a\$11.45 December; \$11.40 January;—— February. Frieghts to Liverpool quiet.

COTTON.

GALVESTON—Firm; middling 11½; low mid'ng
11½c; good ordinary 10½c; net receipts 8,987;
gross—; sales 3,253; stock 96,876; exports
coastwise—; to Great Britain—; to continent—; to France—.

NORFOLK—Steady; middling 11½c; net receipts
4,805; gross—; stock 65,818; exports coastwise 605; sales 2,822; exports to Great Britain—
; to contirent 986.

BALTIMORE—Firm: middling 11%c; low middling 11%; good ordinary 10½; net receipts—; gross 1,279; sales—; stock 35,918; exports coastwise 820; spinners—; exports to Great Britain—; to continent 207 Boston-Quiet: middling 1214c; low middling 11%c; good ordinary 11c; net receipts 1,227; gross 3,356; sales —; stock 4,600; exports to Great Britain —; to France —.

WILMINGTON—Quiet; middling 111/c; low middling 111-16c; good ordinary 101/c; receipts 1,708; gross—; sales—; stock 23,002; exports coastwise—; to Great Britain 1,690; to continent—.

PHILADELPHIA—Steady; middling 1214c; low middling 115ac; good ordinary 105ac; net receipts 1,364; gross 2,523; sales —; spinners 887; stock 14,546; exports Great Britain —; to continent

BAVANNAH—Quiet; middling 11 7-16c; low middling 11c; good ordinary 108c; net receipts 6,562; gross 6,729; sales 5,500; stock 109,555; exports coastwise 8,708; to Great Britain 2,698; to France—; to continent—

New Oblians—Steady; middling 118c; low middling 114c; good ordinary 108c; net receipts 6,678; gross 7,656; sales 6,500; stock 288,048; exports to Great Britain—; to France 1,689; to coastwise—; to continent—

MONUTE—Order: middling 118c; low middling

MONUTE—Order: middling 118c; low middling MOBILE—Quiet; middling 11%c; low middling 11c; good ordinary 10%c; net receipts 2,723; gross —; sales 1,200; stock 41.948; exports coast 1,821; France —; to Great Britain —.

MEMPHIS—Firm; middling 111/20: receipts 8.729; ahipments 2,580; sales 1,250; stock 83,180. AUGUSTA—Quiet; middling 111/8c; low middling 103/4c; good ordinary 101/4c; receipts 918; shipments —; sales 487.

CHARLESTON—Steady: middling 11/4c; low middling 11/4c; good ordinary 10/3c.; net receipts 3,846; gross —; sales 40,080; stock 118,008; exports coastwise —; to Great Britain 11,150; to continent 2,906; to France —; to channel —

NEW YORK—Cotton quiet; sales 441; middling uplands 1216c; middling orieans 12 7-16c; consolidated net receipts 38,806; exports to Great Britain 28,845; to France 1,689; to continent 4,049; to channel—

LIVERFOL—Noon—Easter; middling uplands 6 11-16d; middling orieans 6 13-16d; sales 8,000; speculation and export 1,000; receipts 35,000; American 26,000. Uplands low middling clause; December delivery 6 21-326 81-8d; December and January 8 21-3286 11-16d; January and February 6 23-326 11-16d; February and Mayen 6 34-32d; May and August 6 15-16d; August and September—Futures week.

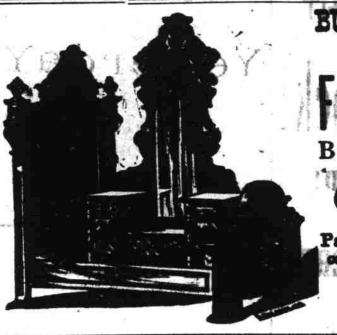
LIVERFOOL—5 p. m.—Sales of American cotton 6.300; uplands low middling clause; December delivery 6 19-32d, also—; January and February 6 21-32d; February and March 6 23-32d; July and July 6 21-32d. May and July 6 21-32d. February and March 6 28-32d, also 6 11-16d; May and July 6 27-32d. Futures closed steady.

FUTURES. \* Ladies, Gentlemen, Misses, Boys and Children

## CANNOT FAIL TO BE SUITED IN OUR STOCK OF BOOTS AND SHOES FOR THE FALL AND WINTER TRADE.

WE guarantee that every pair of SHOES we sell shall be found just as represented, and shall allow no house to give you better goods than we do for the Our stock has been carefully selected with a view to the wants of all classes of customers, and comprises a full line of beautiful and seasonable goods, of the very best quality and all grades, from the finest French Kid Button Boot to the Heaviest Brogan. If you wish to get your boots and shoes to

A. E. RANKIN & BRO.,



## Central Hotel Block, Trade Street. BURGESS NICHOLS BEDDING, &C. Cheap Bedsteads.

Parlor & Chamber Suits. SOPPENS OF ALL EDIDE ON HAVE

OBACCO

Mar 22 17

Our claim for merit is based apon the fact that a chemical analysis proves that the tobacco grown in our section is better adapted to make a GOOD, PURE, satisfactory smoke than ANY OTHER tobacco grown in the world; and being situated in the HEART of this fine tobacco section, WE have the PICK of the offerings. The public appreciate this; hence our soles ? EXOPING the products of ALL the leading manufactories combined. Par None geneins unless it bears the trade-mark of the Bull. The state of the s

THIS GREAT SPECIFIC

Cures that Most Toathsome Disease

## SYPHILIS

Whether in Its Primary, Secondary or Tertiary Stage. Removes all Traces of Mercury from the System. Cures Scrofula. Old Sores. Bheumatism, Eczema, Catarrh, or any Blood Diseases.

HEAR THE WITNESSES!



CURES WHEN HOT SPRINGS FAIL.

Malyern, Ark., May 2, 1881. We have cases in our town who lived at the Hot Springs and were finally cured with S. S. S. MURRY. Memphis, Tenn., May 12, 1881.
We nave sold 1,296 bottles of S. S. S. in a year.
It has given universal satisfaction. Fair minded physicians now recommend it as a positive specif-

Leuisville, Ky., May 13. 1881. S. S. S. has given better satisfaction than any medicine I have ever sold.

J. A. FLEXNER.

Montgomery, Ala., July, 1880. We are now on our third gross of the S. S. S. its success has been perfect. JONES & CARY, Druggist, I WILL sell at the court house in Charlotte, on SATURDAY, DECEMBER 31st, that Yaluable Cotton Farm, near Huntersville, N. C., on which Adam Stenhouse now resides. This is considered one of the best cotton farms in this county, containing 200 acres, well watered and within less than one mile of the A. T. & O. Railroad, and within less than three miles of the depot at Huntersville.

S. S. S. is one of the best selling medicines we keep. Has given entire satisfaction to those who use it. I have taken with great benefit S. S. S. for a clear ease of ezema. The eruption has endrely itsappeared. Member North Ga. Conference, Aukhta.

GATARRH.

Atlanta, GA., May 27, 1881.

S. S. B. has cured me of a troublesome catarrh, which has baffled the treatment of all the best physicians North and South.

S. L. McBride, Of McBride & Co.

Greensburg, Ind., May 17, 1881. ommend S. S. S. for catarrh. It is a BREUMATISM.

\$10,000 would not purchase from me what your remedy has effected in my cure. I had malarial rheumatism. A. Thomas, Springfield, Tenn.

Richmond, Va., May 11, 1881. You can refer anybody to us in regard to the merits of S. S. S. Polk, Miller & Co. Benver, Col., May 2, 1881. Eyery purchaser speaks in the highest terms of L. Marganers. St. Louis, May 11, 1881. Sales of S. S. S. have been steadily increasing.

it is evidently an article of merit.
RICHARDSON & Co. Nashville, Tenn., May 11, 1881. We have heard the highest expressions of appreciation of S. S. S. from some cases under our WM. LETTERN & Co. observation,

Dallas, Texas, May 14, 1881.

I have seen S. S. S. used in the primary, secondary and tertiary stages, and in each with the most wonderful effect. I have seen it stop the hair from falling out in a very short time. I advise all sufferers to take it and be cured.

W. H. PATTERSON, Druggist. Washington, D. C., May 13, 1861. S. S. S. has given better estisfaction than any

medicine we have ever sold. Schenitzer & Strynns, Druggists. Perry, Ga., Oct., 1886 We have known Swift's S. Specific used in a great number of cases, many of them old and obstinate, and have never known or heard of a fall-ure to make a permanent cure, when taken prop-

H. L. DENNARD. W. D. NOTTINGHAM, WM. BRUNSON MOORE & TUTTLE, T. M. BUTNER, Sheriff I am acquainted with the gentlemen whose signatures appear to the foregoing. They are men of

high character and standing. A. H. COLQUITT, Governor of Georgia.

IS NO HUMBUG.

If you doubt, come and we cure you, or charge you nothing. Write for particulars, and copy of the little book "Message to the Unfortunate." Ask any leading drug house in the United States as to our character.

\$1,000 REWARD

Will be paid to any chemist who will find, on analysis of one hundred bottles S. S. S. one particle of Mercury, Iodide Potassium, or any mineral substance.

> SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., PROPRIETORS, ATLANTA, GA

SOLD BY DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE, Price of large or regular size reduced to \$1.75 per bottle, and small sixe holding half the quantity, price \$1.00 per bottle.



MIDDLETOWN CONN.

SOUTHERN OFFICE, No. 8 N. Charles street,

TO THE PUBLIC. Haying leased the

am now ready for the entertainment of local and transient custom. The Hotel is new and in the entral part of the city. Give me a trial and I will indeavor to please. B. P. BOYP.

FOR RENT.