Elizabeth City, March 4 .-- A m

rage by wire was received here this morning telling of the perilous ex-perience of Captain Quidley and Mate

Balance, of the schooner Lorena, in

Pamileo Sound yesterday. About noon the schooner, which is of 14 tons burden, and plies regularly between Hatteras and Elizabeth City, on her way to Elizabeth City, en-

countered a gale and was capsized.

The captain and his mate succeeded

in gaining a position on the bottom

some valuable papers were lost.

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Liverpool Cotton Market.

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Liverpool March 4.—Cotton, spot good business done; prices 4 points higher; American middling fair 6.99; good middling 6.53; middling 6.17; low middling 5.83; good ordinary 5.08. The sales of the day were 12,000 bales, of which 1,000 were for speculation and export and included 10,400 American. Receipts 34,400 bales, all American. Futures opened firm and closed very steady. American middling g. o. c.: Close.
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 Close.

 March
 5.84

 March-April.
 5.83

 April-May
 5.82

 May-June.
 5.81

 June-July.
 5.80

 July-August.
 5.79

 August-September.
 5.76

 September-October.
 5.734

 October-November
 5.70

 November-December.
 5.691/2

 December-January
 5691/2

 January-February
 3.701/2
 American middling g. o. c.:

New Orleans Spot Cotton.

New Orleans, La., March 4.-Cotton, spots closed firm, quotations revised and 1-16c. up for all grades; middling 10%; sales on the spot were 4,450 bales and 550

to arrive.

Futures opened steady at an advance of 3 to 7 points on large English spots sales and smaller estimated receipts for to-morrow. Trading was dull and fluctuations very narrow throughout the entire session. The close was steady, 2 to 9 points higher than Saturday.

Futures closed steady. Futures closed steady:

New York Cotton.

Futures opened firm and closed

					Open	High		CTORO
Marc	h.				9.71	9.80	9.71	9.79
April					-	9.86	9.83	9.87
May					9.86	9.96	9.85	9.34
June					9.88-9	0.9.90	5 50	9.99
July					9.95	10.05	9 95	10.03
Aug.			++		10.00	10.07	9.99	10.96
Sept.					10.01	10.07	9.98	10.07
Oct.				1.4	10.21	10.28	10.18	10.27
Dec.	77				10.25	10.35	10.25	10.35
Jan.			¥7 G		10.43	10.52	10,43	10.53
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Baltimore Produce. Baltimore, Md., March 4.-Flour dull

unchanged.

Wheat easier, spot contract 76% to 77;
Stathern on grade 73 to 76%.

Corn active; spot 50% to 50%; Southern white corn 49% to 51%
Oats firm; No. 2, mixed 47% to 48.

Rye firm; No. 2, Western domestic 73

to 74

Butter firm, unchanged; fancy imitation 26 to 27; do creamery 34 to 35; do ladle 22 to 24.

Eggs firm, 21c.
Cheese active, unchanged, 14% to 15%.
Sugar steady, unchanged, \$5.

Naval Stores.

Wilmington, March 4.—Spirits turpen-tine very firm 714; receipts 10 casks. Rosin firm, \$4.06; receipts 211. Tar firm, \$2.30; receipts 554. Crudo turnontino firm \$4.50; receipts 9 barrels.

Savannah, Ga., March 4.—Turpentine firm, 72; sales 8; receipts 73; shipments Rosin firm; sales 633; receipts 950; shipments 1,34; stock 60,515. Quote: A B (\$4.15. D \$4.20; E \$4.25. F \$4.30; G \$4.35; H \$4.60; I \$4.65; K \$5.46; M \$5.60; N \$6.10; W G \$6.40; W W \$6.55.

Charlotte Produce.

(Corrected	dai	y by	R.	H.	Field	& Co.)
Chickens- Hens-Per	Spri	ng	200 2	ere - 2,454		20 645 35 640
Ducks						25
Eggs						18 @20
Butter	1766	40.00				15 620
Rye		0.000		40000	040404040	80
Corn	1000					72 (775
Cotton Se	ed	*** **		****		30
Oats-Feed						66 6 56
Oats-Seed	0.00	1000		(6 x 9	60.00	60 6868
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The Money Market.

New York, March 4—Money on call firm, 5 to 5% per cent.; ruling rate 5%; clesing bid 4%, offered at 5.

Time loans strong, but dull; 60 days and 90 days 5%; six months 5%.

Prime mercantile paper 5% to 6 per cent. Sterling exchange steady with neural business in bankers' bills at \$484.65 to \$484.70 for demand and at \$480.25 to \$480.40 for 60 day bills. Posted rates \$481% and \$485%. Commercial bills \$480%. Bar silver 69%. Mexican dollars 53%. and \$485%. Commercial bills \$48 silver 69%. Mexican dollars 53%.

Comparative Port Receipts.

Galveston	To- Day. 2,692 488	Last Year 6,032 2,812
Total	26,000	12,850

The Dry Goods Market.

New York, March 4.—The dry goods market opened strong and continued active during the day A further advance in low line bleached goods was announced. Raw silk is very firm. Foreign dress goods are selling well.

Cotton Seed Oil. New Tork, March 4.—Cutton seed off was easy under bear pressure. Prime crude f. o. h mills 41 nominal; prime summer yellow 47½; off summer yellow 43½ to 46; good off summer yellow 44 to 46; prime white 54½; prime winter yellow 52.

Estimatea.

		Ma	rch 4.
Hount	Orleans on ston	6,000—8,500	- Last Year 10,968 5,827 8,538

GOAT SURVIVES BOLT.

Lightning Destroys One Eye, But the Animal is None Dismayed by His Terrifying Experience. Special to The Observer

Spartanburg, S. C., March 4 .- Several nights ago a goat, owned by W. B. Eubanks, who lives one mile from this city, was struck in the head by ligthning and one eye knocked clean and decided to try it. out, but strange to relate the animal is still alive and his appetite for tin life away, passed from my system cans, paper and red flannel shirts is alive and squirming after I had as keen as it was before he butted taken three doses. Now I have a into a flash of lightning.

Several nights ago during a severe barn of Mr. Eubanks, killing a mule and horse. In an adjoining stall were two goats, both animals being struck by lightning. One of the goats was instantly killed, though the one that was struck in the head and its left tell you more about them. ere knocked clean out is still alive and enjoying good health,

TRAGEDY AT SPARTANBURG.

Litt Harvey, of Gaffney, Shot to Death in a House of III Fame—Woman Who Conducted the Place is Missing. Special to The Observer.

Spartanburg, S. C., March 4 .- Litt Harvey, a young white man of Gaffney, was shot and killed in a house house kept by Jessie Wooten, who is ter of the proprietor of the house. She says the only knowledge she has of the tragedy is that she heard the

pistol shot and upon going to the door found the dead body of Harvey. The crime has not as yet been fixed upon any particular person, though the authorities are satisfied who fired the shot. An inquest will be held tomorrow morning, when all facts in

the tragedy will be brought out. Harvey was engaged in the market business at Gaffney. He came Spartanburg this morning. He is survived by a young bride of about a month. The house where the shooting took place is well known. During the last few years no less than half a dozen killings have occurred within a stone's throw of the house. About six weeks ago Columbus McCall, brother-in-law of the Wooten woman, was stabbed to death by a white man as he was coming out of the yard of the Wootens.

BAD BEEF CONDEMNED.

Spartanburg's Health Inspector Orders Meat Shipped Back to Columbia-Close Watch Under City's Pure Food Laws.

Special to The Observer. Spartanburg, S. C., March 4.— Health Inspector Coffeld has con-demned a lot of Western beef shipped into Spartanburg from a packing house from Columbia. The beef was in bad condition and was ordered shipped back to Columbia.

The beef was shipped to this city for C. F. Younger, a well-known butcher and market man, but was rejected, Mr. Younger declaring that it was unfit for sale and he could not New York. March 4.—Cotton, spot closed steady, 10 points higher; middling uplands 11.35; middling gulf 11.60; sales 7.700 ers sick by selling bad meat. When the Columbia house learned that the meat had been refused they instructed the express company to sell it for what they could. Mr. Younger reported the matter to Health Officer Cofield, who at once made an examination of the meat and condemned it. The express company has shipped the

beef to Columbia. The health officers and the market men are determined that Spartanburg shall not be made the dumping ground for bad beef and a close watch is kept on all Western beef shipped to this market. The butchers are aiding the officials in seeing that no discased meat is sold in this market.

MURDERED OFFICER'S FUNERAL

Tribute to Dead Fayetteville Policea Critical Condition.

Byre'al to The Observer. Fayetteville, March 4.-The verdict substantial increase in acreage there. liceman Lockamy was that he came is at all seriously menaced, the to his death by a pistol-shot wound inflicted by one Tom Walker. The extreme. In many cases spinners are already reported to be under ternoon from the Episcopal church of contract up to March, 1908. Phillip the Apostle in East Fayetteville, attended by an immense con- York market alone at nearly TWO ourse of friends and the officials of the city and the Junior Order United American Mechanics.

At last accounts from the hospital to give out for publication to-night except that both wounded officers, Chason and Buckingham, are still in a critical condition

Cumberland's New Treasurer. Special to The Observer.

Fayetteville, March 4.-At the meeting of the board of county commissioners to-day, W. David Gaster. Jr., was appointed to fill pired term as county tr grandfather, the late John

North Carolina Concern Establishes Plant at Roanoke.

Special to The Observer. Rosnoke, Va., March 4 -The Turner-White Coffin Company, of North Wilkesboro, has bought a lot of ground in Rosnoke on which will at once erect a four-story brick building. Unfinished coffins will be shipped to the Roanoke plant to be prepared for the market.

SHORT TALKS BY L. T. COOPER

INTERNAL PARASITES. Cooper's New Discovery has taught

me many things. Not least of which

been brought to ple who have taken the New Discovery and now know that an immense amount of supposed stomach trouble is caused in reality by one of these parasites. A man or woman may be afflicted in this manner for years and not realize the true cause of their suffering. These figures represent the prices quoted first sold Cooper's New Discovery did not know that the medicine would remove this trouble. I have since found that it invariably does

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perienced by an individual thus af-"I was always tired. My stomach bloated and the slightest exertion made me sick, weak and dizzy. My appetite was variable and a ight's sleep was unknown to When I awoke in the morning I had a bad taste in :ny mouth and a coated tongue. I heard of the wonderful benefits that were being derived from Cooper's New Discovery,

The following letter is a fair

warning of the symptoms as ex-

"The horrible tape worm, sixty splendid appetite, every trace of stomach trouble has disappeared and my digestion is good. electrical storm lightning struck the and am gaining in strength every Nick Emmerick, 1844 Louise day." Ave., Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

> We are authorized agents for the Cooper medicines. Call and let us R. H. JORDAN & CO.

mercial National Bank of High Point Increases Its Capital.

cial to The Observer. High Point, March 4 .- March 1st he Comercial National Bank of this city received a certificate from the Comptroller of the Currency authorizng the increase of capital stock of said bank to \$150,000 and the surplus ney, was shot and killed in a house of questionable character in this city to-night at 7 o'clock. The shooting occurred on the front perch of a house kept by Jassie Wooten, who is standing the new stock sold for \$150 missing from her home. The sheriff a share, nearly twice the amount has in custody Rebecca Wooten, sisson for the increase of the bank was to get new blood and consequently most of the stock was sold to persons heretofore not stockholders, and now

more than 50 new stockholders are interested in the bank. The bank pays to its stockhold-ers annually 10 per cent, and the recent increase makes the Commercial the largest national bank in the county and will add materially to the good of the town and adjoining community. The statement of the Young Men's Reading Room for February shows a big increase in membership, enrollment of visitors and number of new books, which is evidence of High Point's interest in the work undertaken by the ladies of High Point in behalf of the young men of the town.

Every lady should have a copy of the Argo Red Salmon Cook Book. It tells you thirty-nine different ways of preparing Salmon.

Postal card returns from repre sentative gins received by me indicate that the total ginning for the entire belt up to the 25th of February has been 12,527,000 bales, against 12,168,000 ginned up to the 16th of January. As the ginning is very generally reported to have been completed for the season, it is impossible for me to believe that this cropeven making allowance for linters can possibly exceed thirteen million

Spinners' takings up to date indicate requirements for the year of certainly 13.500,000. The prospect is therefore, that we shall finish the season with a visible supply impossibly small in proportion to the de mand and the world's trade. recognition of this fact is already creating quite an active demand for the hitherto discredited New York stock, which is now being found to have a spinnable value not previously appreclated. There is, moreover, a growing feeling of apprehension over the prospect for next year's crop. Throughout the belt the season is renight later. In the Atlantic States the use of fertilizers has decreased about fifteen per cent, and many good authorities say that a conse-Large Concourse of People Pay Last Quent reduction in acreage in that section of the belt is indicated. man-The Wounded Officers Still in the Southwest ordinary farm laborers are demanding and receiving wages of two dollars a day, which fact would seem to militate against any

of the inquest over the body of Po- If it should develop that the next crop mate the short interest in the New MILLION BALES It has been the

the past season to buy stocks and sell cotton and the declining stock it was stated that there was nothing market is reducing the margin which many cotton bears have available for the protection of their short cotton contracts. The cotton market today has been an exceedingly nervous one and commences to show extreme apprehension on the part of the short interest.

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To the **Policyholders** The Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York

The progress of the Company in the year that has just closed has been eminently satisfactory, especially from the standpoint of the policyholder.

																	\$ 87,347,284.00
The	Company had	in fore	e at the	end o	of the	year	file e		1 505	(*)×	(4)(1)	9990	*22	(m.) (m)	000	900	1.517,257,180,00
The	amount receive	ed in p	premlums	durin	g the	year	WAS	an B						*:*	ece:	(414)	58,317,866.55
The	total funds he	ld in t	rust for	policy	holder	s agg	rega	ted							٠.		495,861,649.58

The Total Liabilities were as follows:

Net reserve on outstanding policies and other legal	
liabilities	\$411,236,019.4
Reserve for dividends on existing policies as dividend	
periods are completed	64,529,529,7
Reserve for dividends payable in 1907	4,030,000.0
Reserve for possible depreciation of securities and	
other contingencies	16,069,100.4

In Gains for Policyholders the Company Has Broken all Records

It carned in interest, rents, and net miscellaneous investment profits		\$22,265,436.56 10,413,909.82
Total		\$32,679,345.88
This is over fifty-six per cent, of the entire premium income,	а	remarkable

showing, rarely, if ever, approximated by any other company.

In Economy of Management the Company To-day Stands Pre-Eminent The expenses of the year were paid entirely from the loading provided for that purpose,

with a surplus over for policyholders of

In Benefits to Policyholders the Company is Unexcelled

It paid to members and their beneficiaries during 1906 in death claims, endowments.	
dividends, surrender values, etc	837,736,684.24
In the same year it added to the funds held in trust for policyholders	25,003,483.68
The total benefits to policyholders during the year were	862,740,167,92
The Company received from policyholders in premiums	58,317,866.55
The benefits to policyholders during the year exceeded the amount received from them	
by	\$4,422,301.87
The December CAV	

the Record of 64 Years

Since the date of its organization															
beneficiaries															
It holds for policyholders, etc.,	5.5 (9)	*: *:	***	(e)×	0000	er o	(x) ×	× ×	 ¥ (e		жэ.	* *	* *		495,864,650.0
Total benefits to policyholders have	e be	en	99. 1			9 2			 6	Ž.	*:*	***			81,235.215,573.0
In 64 years it has received from p	solicy	hole	lers	8.74	A a				 		* *			٠.	1,184.005,685.0
Excess of benefits to policyholders			e ee		e y	e v	v.x x	(4) (b)	 ē)×			83	919		\$ 101.209,938.0

That is to say, in the sixty-four years of its existence, The Mutual Life has paid to policyholders and their beneficiaries and still holds in trust for them more than one hundred million dollars in excess of all that it has received from them.

Further information will be supplied on request.

THE MUTUAL LIFE INSURANE CO. OF NEW YORK, N. Y. HARRIS R. WILCOX, Manager,

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