Count Whitestone's Pearl and Rockand were down next. Pearl found two bevies in very good form and also points a single. Rocksand ran just as well, but was unfortunate in not finding birds. Down 11:27 up 12:04. Chas. K. Brown and Manitoba Gleam went down next. Neither dog made a good showing during its run from 12:11 to 1:55.

Oakley Hill's King and Masterpiece. This was a nice going pair, running in great style. Oakley Hill's King made two nice bevy finds, while Mas-

run of thirty minutes they failed to

for the second series: Count Whitestones second, with Navajo; Count confident fe Whitestones Pearl and Ned M; Oak- trade lines. ley Hill's King with Tonapaugh; Outram with Rocksand. Of these dogs the ones which stand out the highest are Count Whitestones Pearl, Oakley Hill's King, Tonapaugh and Navajo, and these will probably the winners.

WARRENTON'S RECORD.

The High School Had a Most Successful Baseball Scason, Losing But One Game.

One Game.

Special to The Observer.

Warrenton, Dec. 6.—The season which closed on Thanksgiving has been the most successful in the history of football at Warrenton High School. The average weight of the players was only 15 pounds, and none of them had had much experience in football. The team ch experience in football. The team lost the first game of the season to Nor-folk Academy by the parrow margin of After this they won four games. The following High School vs. Norfolk

Warrenton Academy, 6-10. Warrenton High School vs. Horner Mil-17-0. High School vs. Durham

Warranton Warrenton High chool vs. Raleigh High Warrenton High School vs. A. & M.

Bussell Meredith at quarter back played a strong game all season, but his work in the Thanksgiving game against the A. & M. Freshmen gives him first place among the stars of the team. Captain Mason deserves high praise as a back. Hughes played a good tackle, and Rumley was a valuable man on the end both for tackling and for taking forward passes. The other men on the team were always in place, and didagood, faithful

The school during the past seazon had representatives on the teams of the fol-lowing Southern colleges: A. & M. Col-lege, University of North Carolina. the Georgia Tech.

NEW ORLEANS RACES,

New, Orleans, Dec. 6.—Long shots were conspicuous at the City Park race track to-day. L. 8. B., a 10 to 1 shot, carried off first honors in the second race. Apache, a 12 to 1 shot, won the first race. In the last race Mazle O'Neill, a 60 to 1 shot, took the lead at the start, but in a will which followed her tester. in a spill which followed her jockey was thrown and fatally injured. Weather

clear, track fast.

First race, 5½ furlongs, selling: Apache.

12 to 1, won; Task Master, 2 to 1, second;
Firmament, 4 to 1, third. Time, 1:08 2-5.

Second race, 7 furlongs, selling: L. S.
B., 10 to 1, won; Bonart, 11 to 5, second;
Young Stevens, 40 to 1, third. Time,
1:29 2-5.

Third race, 5% furlongs, selling: Rus-tle, 7 to 5, w.o.; Arrow Swift, 26 to 1, second: Inauguration, 25 to 1, third.

Fourth race, 6 furlongs: Lens, 7 to 5, won; The Bear, 8 to 1, second; Prince Ahmed, 5 to 1, third. Time, 1:142-5.
Fifth race, 7 furlongs, selling: Coon, 5 to 2, won; Miss Strome, 29 to 1, second; Clamor, 4 to 1, third. Fine, 1:282-5.
Sixth race, mile and a circumstant. Sixth race, mile and a sixteenth, selling: Dainty Belle, 7 to 2 won: Delmore, 15 to 1, second, King of Troy, 7 to 1, third. Time, 1:391-5.

PITTSBURG BANK FAILS.

One of the Oldest Institutions of the City Fails to Open Doors For Busi-

Pitt National Bank, one of the older financial institutions of the city, failed to open for business to-lay. notice posted on the door was signed last year. by Bank Examiner John B. Cunningham, and stated that the bank had been closed by order of the Comptroller of the Currency.

The directors later issued a statement to the effect that a suspension United States 1,285,000 against 1.829,000 last of business was forced by the clear- year. ing house committee demanding that the bank immediately raise a large amount of cash, which under existing financial conditions it could not do After Being Out Twelve Minutes without great sacrifice.

The only alternative under which business could be continued was to pay its clearing house exchange in curryency to do what would exhaust the bank's supply of ready money within a few days. In fairness to depositors and all others interested was deemed advisable to suspend

The directors declare in unqualified terms that the institution is solvent, that depositors will be paid in full and that the embarramment is wholly due to the present stringent conditions in the financial world.

No excitement attended the closing of the bank and at no time during the day was there more than a few loiterers around the bank building. No other institution is involved in the trouble, it is stated in the financial circles, and bankers do not regard the sion as a serious matter so far

ments so that the suspension did PLORENCE IN A QUANDARY.

Emporis, Kus., Dec. S.—The State Bank of Admire, at Admire, Lyon county, with deposits of \$126,000, closed its doors to-day. It had \$28,-000 in the failed National Bank of Commerce, of Kansas City.

the hours constituting a week's work were reduced to 62. After the 1st of

BRADSTREET'S REVIEW.

Improvement Largely Confined to Financial Matters — Reawakened Interest in Neglected Lines of Cotton Goods.

New York, Dec. to-morrow will say: Dec. 6 .- Bradstreet's

Improvement is still largely confinmade two nice bevy finds, while Masterpiece was guilty of flushing one bevy. Put down at 1:02, up 1:40.

Mary Jand Sport Lady Marie were then put down to give them another opportunity on birds, but during their opportunity on birds, but during their opportunity or birds, but during their falled to a lowering of the currency premium. Her was was taking place, in which a lowering of the currency premium. a lowering of the currency premium Her von Waldo, the German trainer, after a sudden advance. Accompany- offered two Bengal tigers, four Afri-The following dogs were then called ing these developments, however, his can lions and two polar bears all pertor the second series: Count Whiteconfident feeling noted in general tiger, in a fit of jealous rage, jump-

As to banking matters, the situa-ter a terrible battle sank his teeth in the bear's jugular vein, death resultly and this is said, too, with a full ing almost instantly. The other ani-supprectation of the fact that two mals were immediately on the ramlarge interior banking concerns were page with the scent of blood, but the this week forced to suspend. Tais latter development is, however, regarded largely as a case of wreckage coming were all in the cage at the time and ashore after a storm known to he very destructive, but actually past ed in the battle, did not get panicand gone.

In strictly trade lines it is to be There will be a convention of memnoted that there has been a slight bers of county boards of dispensary rallying tendency shown in many control at the Jerome Hotel here or commodity prices from the abicrthe 11th, in response to a call which mally low levels touched at the depths has just been issued by Chairman of the depression in November. An-Dunn, of the Kershaw county board other feature is the number of reports of reawakened interest in some lines of cotton goods, which a shor: while ago were being neglected. For meets next month. one thing, there is some sign of life in export trade in cottons. Cotton yarns are steadler than of late and this, with reinstatement orders from interior buyers and the strength of ambiguities in the law clarified and raw material has helped to a much amendments made to perfect the inmore confident feeling than existed strument. Auditor West, who also desires amendments made, heartily

a short while ago. Business failures in the United States for the week ending December 5th number 272 against 258 last week, 216 in the like week of 1906; 203 in 1905; 123 in 1904, and 241 in

HESTER'S COTTON REPORT.

Six Days of December Show a Decrease Under Last Year of 119,000 Bales-Total Takings of Mills For Season Amounts to 1.249.289 Bales, winds. New Orleans, Dec. 6. -Secretary Hester's weekly cotton statement issued today shows for the six days of December a decrease under last year of 119,000 and a decrease under the same period year

before lest of 29,000.
For the 97 days of the season that have elapsed the aggregate is behind the 97 days of lust year 1,37,000 and behind the same days year before last 853,000. Long Shots Conspicuous at Day's

Meet—Jockey Hurt in Fall—A Fast
Track.

New Orleans, Dec. 6.—Long shots were conspicuous at the City Park race track 3,086,506 against 4,630,535 last year; over-land across the Mississippi, Ohio and Fotomac rivers to Northern mills and Canada 194,332, against 346,166 last year; interior stocks in excess of those held at the close of the commercial year 363,-541 against 481,474 last year, Southern mills takings 767,900 against 789,003 last

These make the total movement since September 1st 5,021,379 against 6,238,138 last year.

Foreign exports for the week have been 346,851 against 300,714 last year, making the total thus far for the season Prevailing wind direction S. W. J. BENNETT, Observer. The total takings of American mills.

North, South and Canada thus far for the season have been 1,349,289 againgt

1,5%,343 last year.
Stocks at the Seaboard and the 29 leading Southern Interior centres have increased during the week 25,057 bales. against an increase during the sponding period last season of 116.804.
Including stocks left over at ports and interior towns from the last crop and the number of bales brought into sight thus far from the new crop, the supply to date is 5.36,325 against 6,525,908 for the same period last year.

The iVsible Supply.

New Orleans, Dec. 6 .- Secretary Hes-City Fails to Open Doors For Business—Demands of Clearing House
Committee Force the Suspension—
No Excitement Attends Closing.
Pittsburg, Pa., Dec. 6.—The Fort Pittsburg, Pa., Dec. 6.—The Fort Pittsburg, Pa., one of the older nancial institutions of the city, faild to open for business to-lay.

New Orleans, Dec. 6.—Secretary Hester's statement of the world's visible surjety of cotton issued to-day shows the total visible to be 4.023.165 against 3.815,-770 last week and 4.005,128 last year. Of this the total of American cotton is 3.-711.779 against 3.014.831 last week and 3.073,128 last year, and of all other kinds, including Egypt, Brazil, India, etc., 871.-875 against 30.876 last week and 310.000 876 against 900,876 last week and 910,000

Of the world's visible supply of cotton there is now affoat and held in Great Britain and continental Europe, 2,253,600 ngainst 2,159,000 last year; in Egypt 195,-000 ngainst 195,000 last year; in India 510,-000 against 370,000 last year, and in the

ACQUITTED OF PEONAGE.

Jury Returns With Verdict of Not Guilty in Peonage Case at Jacksonville.

Jacksonville, Fia., Dec. 6 .- In the United States Court to-day J. F. Brinson, Barney Taylor, John W. Sweat and Charlle Henderson, charged with peonage and the hold-ing of Melvin McDuffle, Nat White and others to conditions of peonage, were acquitted. Just twelve minutes were required for the trial jury to reach a verdict, declaring the defendants not guilty.

The cases had been brought separately, but by agreement they were

consolidated. J. Edward Griger, indicted for peonage, by consent of the court withdrew his plea of not guilty and entered a plea of guilty. Judge Lock sentenced him to pay a fine of \$1,000.

GOOD COUGH MEDICINE FOR CHILDREN.

suspension as a serious matter so far as business interest of the city are concerned. The Fort Pitt National Bank was organized in 1859. It has a capital stock of \$1,000,000, and a surplus of \$1,000,000, and undivided profits of \$127,309.06.

It was regarded as one of the most conservative institutions of the city it had been known for some time that the hark was short of currency and that its reserve fund was below replies that its reserve fund was below replies any class of Itching, Blind, Diesding or Protruding Piles in 5 to 14 days.

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The corps of special agents of the Bureau of Labor at Washington, who

have been sent out to investigate cot-

ton mill conditions in the South, will arrive in this State early next week.

They are now at work in North Caro-

lina. They are expected to go from here to Georgia. They will likely be several weeks in South Carolina.

A big polar bear, valued at \$2,000, was killed in a thrilling battle with a

trainer, at great risk of his own life,

the crowd, while breathlessly interest-

for the purpose of discussing needed

amendments to the Carey-Cothran law

at the hands of the Legislature, which

Mr. Dunn says there is positively no

politics in the thing, that the call was issued on the advice of a number of

members of boards, who desire certain

endorses the idea of a convention be-

THE WEATHER.

Washington, Dec. 5.—Forecast: Virginia, North Carolina and South Carolina, fair Saturdap and Sunday:

slightly warmer Saturday; light variable winds mostly west.

Georgia, partly cloudy and warmer Saturday; Sunday fair, light variable

Tennessee, Kentucky and West Vir-ginia, fair and warmer Saturday; Sunday

partly cloudy. East Florida, partly cloudy Saturday and Sunday, light variable winds.

West Florida, Alabama and Mississippi,

day; Sunday partly cloudy; light east winds.

Louisiana and east Texas, rain Satur-

day: Sunday partly cloudy, fresh northeast winds on the coast.

LOCAL OFFICE U. S. WEATHER

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soon subdued them.

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ONTINENTAL FIELD TRIALS.

ABLAGE Stake Continued and the Fire Series Completed—Summaries.

On the Called National Earls of Columbia, S. C., Dec. 6.

Private Bank Suspends.

Jefferson City, Mo., Dec. 5.—The Bank Suspends.

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