WILMINGTON, N. C.

WEDNESDAY MORNING, AUG.

NATIONAL DEMOCRATIC TICKET FOR PRESIDENT: WILLIAM J. BRYAN, of Nebraska.

FOR VICE PRESIDENT: ARTHUR SEWALL, of Maine.

STATE DEMOCRATIC TICKET

THEY WILL BE ELECTED. FOR GOVERNOR:

CYRUS B. WATSON. of Forsyth. FOR LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR: THOMAS W. MASON, of Northampton. FOR SECRETARY OF STATE : CHARLES M. COOKE, of Franklin. FOR STATE TREASURER: B. F. AYCOCK,

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A. C. AVERY, of Burke,

cratic National Convention.

"You tell us the great cities are in favor of the gold standard. Burn down your great cities and leave your tarms, and your cities will grow up again. But destroy our farms and the grass will grow in every city of the Union."-From Wm. J. Bryan's speech before Demo-

"I am for McKinley, Russell and Gold," says Oscar J. Spears, one of the Republican candidates for Elector-at-Large.

"I desire to meet Mr. Russell on the hustings of North Carolina. I want the people to hear us and decide between me and what I represent, and what I think he represents. With their decision I shall be content. If elected Governor of your State, I shall see that every man, no matter what his station in life or what his politics, is given every privilege granted him by the Constitution -Cyrus B. Watson, Democratic candidate for Governor.

#### WAS THIS PROPHETIC?

The agitation for the free coinage of silver has been characterized by the gold standard people as "a craze," but yet they have been somewhat inconsistently carrying on a "campaign of education" to convince these crazy silver people cf the error of their ways, and also, presumably, to prevent other people from becoming crazy. If it be "a craze," as they call it, there are now, unless all the indications are at fault, more crazy people in these United States than sane ones. But if it be a craze it isn't a sudden one, for it has been growing ever since silver was struck from the list of dollars in

The agitation for the restoration of silver began soon after that and took substantial form in 1878 in the passage of the Bland Allison act. The "craze was quieted then and remained quiet until the same agencies which secured the demonetization of silver in 1873 succeeded in securing the repeal of the Bland-Allison act in 1890, which was replaced by the Sherman act; but when the same agencies which secured the demonetization in 1873 and the repeal of the Bland-Allison act in 1890 suc ceeded in 1893 in securing the repeal of the purchasing clause of the Sherman act the craze broke out again and has been running wild, so to speak, over the country ever since, taking possession of big folks and little tolks, young folks and old folks, male folks and female folks, white folks and colored folks, regardless of creed or calling or previous condition. About the only persons who are not affected more or less by it are those who are infatuated with yellow money, and even these are about half crazy with the fear that the white metal crazy people will run over them, capture the Government and proclaim the white metal coined good and lawful money of the United States not only for the native-born or adopted citizen who does not hold a Government I. O. U. but for the native-born or adopted citizen who does and for the distinguished gentleman on the other side of the waters whose occupation is dealing in bonds, stocks, etc.

But if this be a "craze," as they have been in the habit of calling it, it is one of the most methodical crazes that ever struck this or anyother country, and it has shown a staying, growing quality which negatives the idea that it is a mere flitting contagion which will run its knock the bottom out of Mr. Hampcourse, like the grip or the pink-eye, ton's bank, and the panic starting for instance, peg out and vamoose.

As the circles spread from the stone dropped into the lake until they finally encircle the whole of it, so this "craze" has been widening the circle until it reaches from ocean to ocean from the Lakes to the Rio Grande. And there are good reasons why it has. The free coinage of silver was no whim, but begun, as we have stated, when the people began to realize the consequences of

quieted by the recognition ot silver in the passage of the Bland-Allison act, and its substitute the Sherman act. The wiping out of both of these brought the silver agitation to the front again, and there it will stay until it is settled. In a speech delivered in the Senate in January, 1891, J. J. Ingalls, then a Senator of Kansas, thus gave some of the reasons for this agitation, or as they call it, craze: Mr. President, there is not a State

west of the Alleghany mountains and south of the Potomac and Ohio rivers that is not in favor of the free coinage of silver. There is not a State which, if the proposition were to be submitted to a popular vote, it would not be adopted by an overwhelming majority. I do not mean by that inclusion to say that in those States east of the Alleghanies and north of the Ohio and Potomac rivers there is any hostility or indisposition to receive the benefits that would result from the remonetization of silver. On the contrary, in the great commonwealths that lie to the northeast upon the Atlantic seaboard, New York, Pennsylvania, and the manufacturing and commercial States, I am inclined to believe, from the tone of the press, from the declarations of many assemblies, that if the proposition were to be submitted there it would also receive a majority of the

If the proposition were to be submitted to the vote of this country at large whether the silver dollar should be recoined and silver remonetized, notwithstanding the prophecies, the predictions the animadversions of those who are not opposed to it, I would have not the slightest doubt that the great majority of the people, isrespective of party, would be in favor of it, and would so record themselves. They have declared in favor of it for the past fif-teen years, and they have been juggled with, they have been thwarted, they have been paltered with and dealt with in a double sense. The word of promise that was made to their ear in the platforms of political parties have been broken to their hope. There was a majority in this body at the last session of Congress in favor of the free coinage of silver. The compromise that was made was not what the people expected, nor what they had a right to demand. They felt they had been trifled with, and that is one cause of the exaggeration expressed in the ver-

dict of November 4. I feel impelled to make one further observation. Warnings and admonitions have been plenty in this debate. We have been admonished of the danger that would follow; we have been notified of what would occur it the tree coinage of silver were supported by a majority of this body, or it were to be adopted as a part of our financial system. I am not a prophet, nor the son of a prophet, but I say to those who are now arraying themselves against the deliberately expressed judgment of the American people, a judgment that they know has been declared and recorded-I say to the members of this body, I say, so far as I may do so with propriety to the members of the co-ordinate branch of Congress, and I say, it without impropriety I may do so, to the executive of the nation, that there will come a time when the people will be trifled with no longer on this subject Once, twice, thrice by executive in-

tervention. Democratic and Republineed not characterize, by various methods of legislative jugglery, the deliberate purpose of the American peo ple, irrrespective of party, has been thwarted, it has been defied, it has been contumeliously trodden under foot; and I repeat to those who have been the instruments and the implements, no matter what the impulse or the motive or the intention may have been, at some time the people will elect a House of Representatives, they will elect a Senate of the United States and they will elect a President of the United States, who will carry out their pledges and execute the popular will.

This is history condensed, and was then a loyal Republican, a "sound money" man, as they call them now. It was also a warning, and, in the light of the present situation, when the gold standard people are not sure of their footing anywhere, it reads like prophecy about to become fulfilled.

## MINOR MENTION.

We have several times called attention to the bulldozing methods attempted to intimidate people and check the progress of the free silver movement. As another illustration we clip the following press dispatch: OMAHA, NEB. July 31.-Considerable excitement prevails among farmers of Box Butte county over a communication received from the First National

Bank of Alliance. The letter reads: "Owing to the constant agitation of the financial policy of the United States and the socialistic feeling emanating from the Chicago Convention, there has been a doubt thrown over the minds of the people, such that points to the possibility of a greater panic than we have yet seen, should the laboring men of the country be thrown out of employment (now only half employed.)

"There will be great labor trouble, such as will call on our military and cause much distrust to the future outcome. We prefer to do nothing till there is more stability rather than take the chances of losing what we have, and would advise all our friends to stay out of debt. We will call in all our paper this Fall. We have your note - due -. Please be prepared to meet it promptly, and do not ask for further time. Yours truly,

"R. M. HAMPTON, Cashier," Who cashier Hampton is, or the size of the bank he represents, we do not know, but the purpose of this thing is so apparent the surprising thing is that any bank would lend itself to it. Possibly this might scare some unsophisticated, timid person, and gag him on the silver question, but there is great danger of it being instrumental in doing more than that, in alarming depositors who have any money in that bank, if there be any such, causing them to draw it out, to do "it quickly, and thus precipitate a panic which might away out there in the rural regions of Nebraska might spread and knock the bottom out of other banks. The people who are running that bank may think they are doing a cute thing, but they do not seem to realize that they are playing with fire and running the risk of getting pret-

Senator Jones, chairman of the National Democratic Committee, is the demonetization of silver, and a pretty plain-spoken man, but he is has been kept up more or less ever not a fool, a fact which the campaign since, save when it was temporarily liar seems to have lost sight of when Purifier and nerve tonic.

ty badly roasted.

he reported Chairman Jones as say. ing that the Populists in the South would "go with the negroes, where they belong." Of course Senator Jones contradicted this as soon as his attention was called to it, and reported what he did say, but we have no doubt that this lie will be made to do campaign service, and wiil doubtless be decorated with picturesque trimmings as it passes from hand to hand. Representative Pearson, of this State, who is now in Washington, is quoted as saying "that was the kind of talk that was needed to cause them (the Populists) to come out openly and vote with the Republicans," realizing which Representative Pearson and his associate machine managers will doubtless not fail to spread this falsehood broadcast, notwithstanding the contradiction by Senator Jones. When a campaign lie gets a start it is hard for the truth to overtake it, especially when the lie is boosted by a corps of ablebodied, nimble-limbed, unscrupulous fellows who help it along and do all they can to throw obstacles in the way of the truth.

#### BOOK NOTICES.

The reader of engineering and indus trial subjects will find The Engineering Magazine for August a valuable and interesting number, filled with instructive and entertaining matter, much of which is handsomely illustrated. Address Engineering Magazine, Times Building,

New York. The student of American economies and politics will be interested in the August number of Gunton's Magazine. which presents a dozen or more papers. from different standpoints, on subjects in which the American people are now interested. Published by The Political Science Publishing Company, Union Square, New York.

The Century for August is a superb number, gorgeously illustrated and filled with interesting re-ding matter, The papers presented are all of a high and instructive class. Among them is a sketch of Li Hang Chang, by Hon. John W. Foster, who assisted Li Hung Chang in making the treaty of peace with Japan. Publ sied by the Century Company, Union Square, New York.

#### CURRENT COMMENT.

- Mr. Quay is beginning to predict. Mr. Quay is evidently unmindful of the fact that his reputa tion as a prophet has not been at par since the Republican National Convention. - Washington Post, Ind.

Mr. Hanna says that issues are honest finances and a protective tariff - by which he means "a sufficient readjustment of duties to can, by parliamentary proceedings that bring to the Government enough revenue to pay its expenses." Think of McKinley's first lieutenant being converted by one day's stay in New York to a tariff for revenue only!-Philadelphia Record, Dem.

-- The Populists seem to be hugging to their breasts the delusive hope that Vice President Sewall will retire in the interest of Mr. Watson and there will be Democratic and Populist fusion in all the States. The wish is father to the thought and will not be realized. The Democrats have placed their ticket before the people of the country and true history, recited by a man who will vote for it as nominated .-Augusta Chronicle, Dem.

- It is very evident that President Cleveland is not a candidate for re-election. If he had been, his latest Cuban proclamation, we may be sure, would have been of a decidedly different tenor. It is lucky for Weyler that he has not had to encounter Mr. Cleveland under the Sackville conditions. As it is, the President feels under no obligation to cater to public opinion, and perhaps he feels a malicious satisfaction n deliberately flouting it .- New York Journal, Dem.

## TWINKLINGS.

- A Blank Easily Filled-He-'Man proposes"-what's the rest of that quotation She-Woman accepts.-Chicago News. - "Is there really anybody in America who sincerely desires to have

the stage elevated?" "Yes, the gallery gods."- Truth. - Briggs-Why did you get such a cheap trunk to go to the seaside with? Griggs--I don't expect to bring it back with me."-Puck.

- Dr. Jalap-Let me see your tongue, please. Patient-Oh, doctor, no tongue can tell how bad I feel.—Boston Transcript - The Rev. Mr. Longnecker (solemnly)-"Man is made of dust." Young Skoffington-"So the girl

hink, anyhow."-Puck. - Mrs. Mackay-"An' so ye have no mother now?" Jimmy-"No, mum." Mrs. Mackay-'Well, me boy, when-

ever ye feel the want of a good licking, come to me, and I'll be a mother to ye. -Tit-Bits. - Aids to the Game of Golf .-- "I played eighteen holes with Prof. Tongue yesterday. I envy that man." "Why-does he play such a good game as all that?"

"No, the worst; but he can swear in seven languages, and he does it."-Har-- Mrs. De Style-Were you at church last Sunday? I don't see you." Mrs. De Fashion-I saw you.

Did you? How did you like my new bonnet? Oh, it was perfectly lovely. It came from Paris, I'm sure. Yes, my friend, Mrs. Devout, smuggled it in for me.-New York Weekly.

APPOINTMEN'S WILMINGTON DIS TRICT.

W. S. Rone, Presiding Elder.

Carver's Creek circuit, Hebron, Au Whiteville and Fair Bluff, Whiteville. August 9, 10. Waccamaw circuit, Lebanon, August

Elizabeth circuit, Purdie's, August Magnolia circuit, Trinity, August

Bladen circuit, Bethel, August 29, 80. Clinton circuit, Kendall's, September Misston, Haw Branch, September 12, 13,

Onslow circuit, Swansboro, Septem-ber 19, 20, It is actual merit that has given Hood's Sarsaparilla the first place among medicines. It is the One True Blood

#### SPIRITS TURPENTINE.

- Lexington Dispatch: We regret to announce the death of Rev. 3. W. Hardison, formerly pastor of Davidson circuit, which occurred at his home in Mocksville last week.

- Charlotte News: The Elliott Furniture Factory was sold again to day. The property was bought by Capt. John Wilkes for \$7,000. Receiver Cochrane will recommend that this sale be confirmed, and it is more than likely that this winds up the business, and that the factory will pass into the hands of Capt.

- Concord Standard: Maggie Sides, a young woman who lived with her brother-in-law, Matthew Cable, at Forest Hill, was found dead in her bed Saturday morning about 7 o'clock, having expired some time during Friday night. She was recovering from an attack of fever and had sat up all day Friday. When she retired Friday night she was in the brightest of spirits and was quite hearty. Her remains were taken to Stanly county, her former home, for interment. She was about 21 years of age.

- Newbern Journal: John Gatin, colored, was assaulted by Dave Bowden, another colored man, yesterday and nearly killed. Gatlin had gone to the house of a colored woman, who lives near the ice factory to carry her some clothes which he wanted washed. While standing in the house talking to a strange woman who was there to see the washer-woman, he was knocked down from behind. Dave Bowden had slipped up and dealt him a blow on the head with the eye of an axe. Gatlin was knocked senseless and Bowden escaped. - Salisbury World: Judge Daniel

. Russell, the Republican nominee for Governor, was in the city a short while yesterday morning on his way to Marshall, where he will spend several days with Senator Pritchard. On his way to Marshall after leaving Salisbury Judge Russell was introduced to George Hanger, the popular conductor on the Western. After inquiring as to his destination Mr. Hanger asked Judge Russell if he intended making any speeches. Judge Russell replied that he might possibly make a speech while in Madison county. "Well, after the roasting you have received from all sections of the State I wouldn't make any in another county in the State were I you," said Mr. Hanger, Judge Russell's reply, unfortunately. was not recorded.

-Fayetteville Observer: Mr. Robert Furmidge, well known in this city, was killed last Thursday near Lumber Bridge. He was engaged in measuring a tree which had just been cut down, when one of its limbs. which had been broken off during the decent and lodged in a tree ove the spot, fell and striking him on the head, killed him instantly. --- Chas. McKay is now laying between life and death, with a severe wound in his back, said to have been done by Joe Harrington with a knife. There was a big colored camp meeting going on at Beaver Creek church last night, which was broken up this morning about 2 o'clock by a terrible tragedy. During the height of the religious excitement, and it is said to have been intense, Harrington and McKoy got into a quarrel, which ended in Harrington drawing an ugly long bladed knife and burying it into McKay's back, just between the shoulder blades. The camp meeting was instantly in an uproar and Harrington was seized, but he broke away from his captors and made his escape. The wounded man was brought to this city and placed in the care of Dr. Melchoir, The doctor does not know whether the man will live or not.

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A Wonderful Memory. Hortensius, the Roman orator, could repeat word for word a book he had just read. On one occasion he made a wager with one Sienna and to win it went to an auction, remained all day and in the evening gave a list of all the articles sold the prices paid for them and the names of the purchasers. The accuracy of his memory was in this case tested by the auctioneer's clerk, who followed the recapitulation with his book and found that in no case had the man of wonderful memory made a single mistake.

His Own Ancestor.

"I am my own ancestor" was an expression used by Napoleon's famous marshal, Junot. After he had been created Duc d'Abrantes he was asked by one of the old nobility who were his ancestors, the question eliciting this naive but forcible retort.

Against His Principles.

"I don't mind eating biscuit made with baking powder," said the tramp, "but I draw the line at bread raised with yeast."

"I'd like to know why?" said the woman of the house, as she drew back the half loaf of white bread. "The yeast that made that bread worked," answered the tramp, "and cannot consistently affiliate with lt."—Detroit Free Press.

### WHY THE SEA IS SALT

T HAS BEEN SO EVER SINCE THE CREATION OF THE WORLD.

Of Great Benefit to Mankind-Contine Produced by the Skeletons of Animals That Could Not Have Lived In Fresh Water-Moses' Short Account,

The-sea at present contains 90,000, 00,000,000,000 tons of salt. If this salt could be gathered in a solid form and compressed into the shape of a cube, it would contain 10,173,000 cubic miles. Each edge of such a cube would measure somewhat more than 200 miles. This is enough to cover all the land on this globe with a uniform layer of salt to a depth of 1,000 feet.

This statement as to the saltiness of the sea is interesting enough in itself, but it is also suggestive. The questions may well be asked, Where did all this salt come from, and what is the use of it? Several scientific gentlemen have attempted to answer this first question, and their efforts are not entirely satisfactory. The second question is not so

According to the history of the creation of the world, as told by Moses in the Genesis, it is implied that the ocean existed before the land, for, on the 'third day" the "water under the heavens" was gathered together and the dry

land appeared. This statement has bothered a great number of able philosophers, who, in their effort to stick to the letter of the Scripture and at the same time to reason out everything on perfectly natural principles, have been puzzled to know how such a grand transformation could be accomplished in one day. And their perplexity was not relieved when learned geologists announced that it must have required ages for the waters that enveloped the earth to subside and reveal this land that lay beneath.

. But when it was suggested that the word "day" as used by Moses meant, not a period of 24 hours, but an era of thousands of years, the difficulty was removed. This meaning of the word 'day" is at present generally accepted by devout scientists, who now declare that there is nothing impossible in Moses' account of the creation.

This description, to be sure, is lamentably brief. It was hardly adequate to pass over such a huge event as the creation of a world in a few lines. That was a big story from a newspaper point of view, and all thoughtful persons must acknowledge that Moses did not take advantage of his opportunity.

Accepting the Mosaic account, Dr. T. S. Hunt, a learned writer on the physical history of the globe, supplies what Moses left out, and in so doing he gives a very good reason for the presence of the salt in the sea. Having arrived at the point of Moses' meager narrative where the earth was in a molten state and surrounded by an envelope of gases and of water vapor, Dr. Hunt says:

"The carbonates, chlorides and sulphates (chemical combinations of carbon, chlorine and sulphur with oxygen) were changed into silicates. The carbon, chlorine and sulphur, being thus freed from the oxygen, separated in the form of acid gases. These, with nitrocess of oxygen, formed the atmosphere, which was very dense (and also very unhealthy).

"The surface of the earth was covered with lumps of molten rock (probably resembling furnace slag). The depressed parts of the surface were filled with highly heated solutions of hydrochloric and sulphuric acids, which ate into the surface and decomposed it. In this way the silicates were changed to pure silica, taking the form of quartz as the atmosphere cooled, and the condensation of the vaporous atmosphere produced sea water, holding in solution salts of sodium, calcium, magnesium and ammonium. The atmosphere, thus freed of its noxious elements, became pure and fit for man.

It is therefore evident that the sea has been salty from the creation of the world. The salt does not come, as is generally supposed, from friction of the water against salt "rocks" in the bed of the ocean. This, then, answers the first question. Where did the salt come from? The second question is pretty well answered by Mr. G. W. Littlehales in Appleton's Popular Science Monthly.

"It seems," he says, "that the sea was made salt in the beginning as a part of the grand design of the Creator to provide for the system of evolution which has been going on since the creation. Many distinct species of living organisms exist in the sea as a result of its salinity, and their remains have largely contributed to the growth of con-

The minute creatures that have lived in the sea for ages past have left enduring monuments in the shape of islands, rocks and continents. If the sea had not been salty, these marine animals could not have existed and secreted the hard substance known as a "calcareous skeleton," which has largely contributed to the growth of continents. Among these early inhabitants of the sea were corals, crinoids, sea urchins and starfishes. The saltiness of the sea has also much

to do with the ocean currents, which distribute the heat of the tropics over the colder regions of the earth. Currents are largely due to the difference between the specific gravity of sea water and the fresh water of rains. Thus, when rain falls on a certain part of the ocean, the effort of the heavier salt water of the ocean to establish an equilibrium causes a current. - New York World.

Chevaller Bayard. The famous Chevalier Bayard, who is held up in all the histories and romances as a model of chivalry, was greatly opposed to the use of firearms. and always ordered his troops to put captured musketeers to death without mercy, as practicing a form of warfare entirely uncivilized and unlawful.

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### COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET.

STAR OFFICE, August 4. SPIRITS TURPENTINE-Market steady at 21% cents per galion for machine-made casks, and 20% cents for

ROSIN.—Market firm at \$1 831/2 per bbl for Strained and \$1 871/2 for Good

TAR .- Market steady at \$1 00 per bbl of 280 fbs.
CRUDE TURPENTINE.—Quiet. Hard 1.20, Yellow Dip 1.55, Virgin 1 65 Quotations same day last year-Spirits

rpentine 25@24 4c; rosin, strained, \$1 20; good strained \$1 25; tar \$1 85; crude turpentine \$1 20, 1 70, 2 00. RECEIPTS. Spirits Turpentine.....

Rosin ..... Tar ..... Crude Turpentine..... Receipts same day last year-160 casks spirits turpentine, 865 bbls rosin, 117 bbls tar, 62 bbls crude turpentine. COTTON.

Market nominal and nothing doing. Same day last year, middling 6%c. Receipts—9 bales; same day last

COUNTRY PRODUCE. PEANUTS-North Carolina-Prime 5@50c per bushel of 28 pounds; Extra Prime, 55c; Fancy, 60@65c. Virginia— Extra Prime, 60@65c; Fancy, 65@70c. CORN-Firm; 88 to 40 cents per

bushel. N. C. BACON-Steady; Hams, S to 10c per pound; Shoulders, 6 to 7c

SHINGLES-Per thousand, five inch hearts and saps, \$1 60 to 2.25; six inch. \$2.50 to 8 50; seven inch, \$5.50 to 6.50. TIMBER-Market steady at \$3.00 to Heide & Co.

DOMESTIC MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star, FINANCIAL.

NEW YORK, August 4-Evening .-Money on call was firm at 11/031/2 per cent; last loan at 2, closing offered at at 2 per cent. Prime mercantile paper 61/2 per cent. Sterling exchange very firm; actual business in bankers bills at 488@488 for sixty days and 489@ 489 1 ior demand. Commercial bills 487@487%. Government bonds were steady; United States coupon fours 107%; United States twos 93 bid. State bonds neglected: North Carolina fours 95; North Carolina sixes 115. Railroad bonds were irregular.

Silver at the Stock Exchange to-day

COMMERCIAL. New York, Aug. 4-Evening.-Cotton quiet; middling gult 7%c; middling up ands 71/4c. Cotton lutures-market closed steady:

August 7 23. September 6 98. October 695, November 694 December 697, January 700. February 7 01, March 7 09, April 7 13. Sales 240 100 bales. Cotton-net receipts - bales; gross ,008 bales; exports to Great Britain 5.338 bales; to France - bales; to the

Continent — bales; forwarded 250 bales; sales 951 bales; sales to spinners 651 bales; stock(actual) 79,104 bales. Total to-day-Net receipts 554 bales; exports to Great Britain 1,745 bales; to France - bales; to the Continent bales; stock 145,285 bales. Total so far this week-Net receipts 2 469 bales; exports to Great Britain

2.637 bales; to France 650 bales: to the Continent 3.187 bales. Total since September 1-Net receipts 5,160 749 bales: exports to Great Britain ,283,195 bales; exports to France 463 814 bales; exports to the Continent 1,778.

Flour-market unchanged and quiet;

Southern flour quiet and steady; com-

mon to fair extra \$2 00@2 60; good to

choice \$2 60@2 90. Wheat-spot dull and firmer; No. 2 f. o. b. 68 4c; ungraded red 59@69c options declined 14@ %c on the figancial trouble West, ralifed %@ %c, closing firm at 1/3c over yesterday, with moderate trading; No. 2 red August 63%c; September 6414; October OUR SERVICE IS FIRST.CLASS IN EVERY 85c; December -c. Corn-spot du'l and firmer; No. 2 31 1/6 at elevator and 32 1/6 c affuat options were dull and firm at 160 ¼c advance; August 81 ¼c; September 311/c; October 311/4c. Oats-spot doll and firm; options dull, nominally firmer, and neglected; August 23c; September \$25%c; October -c: spot-No. 2 23@ 2314c; No 2 white -c; mixed Western 231/20241/c. Wool steady and dull, domestic fleece 16@22c; pulled 15@33c. Beef quiet and steady; family \$8 00@9 00 extra mess \$6 00@7 00; beef hams duil at \$14 50@15 00, tierced beef quiet; city extra India mess \$11 00@12 00. Cut meats quiet and steady: pickled bellies 4%c; do. shoulders 31/03%c; do. hams 9@10. Lard steady and duil; Western steam closed at \$3 55; city \$3 15@3 20; September closed at \$3 65; refined firm; Continent \$3 95; South America \$4 50, compound \$375@4 00. Pork quiet and firmer; old mess ---: new mess \$8 75 @900. Butter was quiet and steady; State dairy 10@14%c; do. creamery 11% @15c; Western dairy 9@12c; do creamery 111/2012c; Elgins 15. Cotton seed oil steady and quiet; crude 19@20; yellow prime 221/2028c; do. off grade -c. Rice steady and quiet; domestic, fair to extra 3@5%c; Japan 4@4%c. Molasses quiet and steady; New Orleans, open kettle, good to choice 27@87c. Peanuts quiet; fancy hand-picked 4@41/4. Coffee steady and 15@20 points up; August \$10 20@ 10 25; October \$9 35@9 50, December \$9 10@9 20; March \$9 05@9 15; May \$9 10; spot Rio quoted easy and quet No. 7. \$11 50. Sugar-raw quiet and firm; fair refining 8c; centrifugal, 96

test -c; refined steady, quiet and un-( HICAGO, Aug. 4.—Cash quotations: Flour was quiet and steady; hard wheat spring patents \$3 50@3 85; winter wheat \$3 00@3 25. Wheat-No. 2 spring 571/60581/c; No. 2 red 601/4. Corn-No. 2, 24% @85c. Oats--No 2 18@181c. Mess pork, per bbl. \$7 00 @7 20. Lard, per 100 lbs, \$3 331/2@ 35. Short rib sides, loose, per 100 lbs. \$3 45@3 55 Dry salted shoul ders, boxed, per 100 lbs, \$3 75@4 00

The leading futures ranged as follows opening, highest lowest and closing Wheat-August 57% @57%, 58%, 57%, 58; September 57% @58, 58%, 57%, 58% 58%; December 60@60%, 61, 60, 61c. Corn—August 23%, 24%, 23%, 24%@ 24%; September 24% @24%, 26%, 24% 25% @25%; May 27% @28, 28%, 27% 88%@28%c. Oats-September 17 28½ @ 28% c. Oats—September 17%, 18½, 17½, 18½c; May 20½ @ 20½, 20½, 20½, 20½ dess pork—September \$6 40, 6 25, 7 40 7 29; October \$6 02½, 6 30, 6 02½, 6 30; January \$7 15, 7 25, 7 07½, 7 17½. Lard—September \$3 37½, 3 45, 8 40, 8 35, 8 37½; October \$3 37½ 3 45, 8 37½, 8 46½; January \$8 70, 8 25 8 3714, 8 4514; January \$8 70, 8 75, 8 65, 8 70. Short ribs—September \$8 40, 35214, 8 40, 8 5214; October \$34714, 35714, 8 4714, 8 55; January \$3 60, 8 65, 8 55, 8 65.

83 62 4 Q3 65. Whiskey \$1 22.

BALTIMORE, August 4.—Flour dull and unchanged. Wheat firmer; spot and August 61%@61%c; September 62%@62%c; Steamer No. 2 red 58%@ 58%c. Corn firmer; spot and August 29% 29%c; September 29% 280%c; Southern corn 81c. Oats firm; No. 2 white 29@30c; No. 2 mixed 2116@25c

COTTON MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star-August 4.-Galveston, quiet at 6 9 16c; net receipts 28 bales; Norfolk, firm at 6%, net receipts 1 bale; Baltimore, steady at 73%, net receipts — bales; Boston, quiet at 7, 7-16, net receipts bales, Wilmington, nothing doing, net re-

celpts - bales; Pniladelphia, firm 7%, net receipts - bales; Savannah, dull at 6%, net receipts 109 bales, 9 new; New Orleans, steady at 6 13 16 net receipts 406 bales, 19 new; Mobile, nominal at 6 11-16, net receipts 10 bales, 9 new; Memphis, quiet at 6%. net receipts 24 bales; Augusta, quiet at 7, netreceipts 24 bales 3 new; Charleston, steady at 65%, net receipts - bales.

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