WILMINGTON, N. C.

SATURDAY MORNING, Aug. 15, 189

NATIONAL DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

FOR PRESIDENT: WILLIAM J. BRYAN, of Nebraska. FOR VICE-PRESIDENT: ARTHUR SEWALL, of Maine.

STATE DEMOCRATIC TICKE

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, of Wayne. FOR STATE AUDITOR R. M. FURMAN, of Buncombe. FOR SUPT. PUBLIC INSTRUCTION IOHN C. SCARBOROUGH, of Johnston. FOR ATTORNEY GENERAL: F. I. OSBORNE.

of Mecklenburg. ASSOCIATE JUSTICES SUPREME COURT : A. C. AVERY, of Burke, GEO. H. BROWN., Jr., of Beaufort.

"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 Democratic National Convention.

"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 of North Carolina." - Cyrus B. Watson, Democratic candidate for Governor.

CONSCIENCE IN POLITICS. The man without a conscience

either wasn't built right or he is sadly out of gear, and people who come into contact with him may expect to be worsted unless they keep both eyes wile open. As a general rule conscience does not play a very conspicuous part in politics, though that is no reason why it shouldn't, but it doesn't necessarily follow from this that the average American citizen does not recognize any moral responsibility for the part he plays in politics. He knows that when he is espousing one or the other side of a question, and voting for men to carry out certain policies, he is performing a very important office, and he justifies his action on the plea that the party for which he votes is in a general way better than the party against which he votes, and thus he eases any conscientious scruples he might have in voting for some measures that his judgment, or, as some might put it, his conscience may not

The man who governs his political action by his conscience must command respect, but in order to do it he must be consistent and his conscience must not be too closely linked to his self Interest, for in that case he is liable to be suspected of being influenced by a more potent power than conscience. We bear more of conscience these days than usually and what is remarkable is that it comes from men who have heretofore stood square up to the party rack and never discovered that they were handicapped by an over sensitive conscience until the majority of the party to which they were attached struck the financial question and pronounced for a policy of which they did not approve. We do not mean by this to say that these are either bad people or bad citizens, or that they did anything disreputable or culpable in their political affiliations, but it is somewhat remarkable that their conscience had never got into the habit of asserting itself until it ran up against free silver at 16 to 1. Unfortunately for their peace of mind they are not equipped with a 16 to 1 conscience, although their fathers managed to worry along with it for eighty odd years, lived respected, enjoyed the reputation of being patriots, died honored, and left behind them memories that are

But assuming that it is really conscience and not something less creditable that stands between the man who calls himself a Democrat and the free coinage of silver, and that listening to the promptings of himself a Democrat declares that he must part company with the good fellows he had been acting with for years and cast his vote for the Republican national ticket, it occurs question and that conscience ought to have a fair show and not be renor a ludicrous thing. If party plat- calling for legislation "forbidding forms were so arranged and subdi- charters to lines of railway com-

vided that the conscientious voter could choose what he approved, vote for that and reject the rest it would be a very nice arrangement for the scrupulous conscience, but unfortunately party platforms are not built that way and conscience hasn't any choice in the matter if it votes at all, for it must take the thing as a whole, gulp it down, blink its eyes and swallow the bad with the good, the bitter with the sweet.

If the conscience swayed gold

Democrat who declares that he will vote for McKinley because he can't peting lines of railroad might endorse Bryan, could cull McKinley's platform, single out the money plank which he likes and vote on that | be for the people who have business alone, he and his conscience might not meet with so much embarrassment, and might act with more consistency, but when to show his disapproval of that horrid- 16 to 1, he requires his conscience to dodge champion of the producing classes, while he votes for measures which he should declare against competition had been denouncing as the culmination of iniquity in politics, he treats his conscience with contempt and puts himself in an attitude that is very far from being consistent or creditable. When he votes for Mc-Kinley he practically, however much he may protest to the contrary, votes to undo the good that his votes may have done in the past, and endorses all that he had by his votes denounced in the past when his conscience was as fully grown as it is now. Think of a Southern Democrat with a fully developed conscience, in the year 1896, and with | tion professed to represent, and thirty odd years' experience with therefore we say that it is a remarkand knowledge of the Republican able utterance as coming from such a party, voting for (not a man but) a source. It needs explanation and a and Dr. Hunter thinks it will grow party whose record bristles with leg- good deal of it. islation and acts infamous enough to damn a score of parties, a record which embraces acts which for a time turned the South into a political hell and which if they had become the established order would have made it a perpetual hell. Reconstruction, force bills, civil and social equality, military domination to set aside the ballot in time of peace and put thieves and libertines into power over the ballots and pro tests of the people, exorbitant sectional tariff legislation that plundered the many for the benefit of the few,

are cordially and enthusiastically These conscious-professing Democrats ought to give their conscience a fair showing, and not make it ashamed of itself.

trusts, monopolies, combines, boun-

ties, land-grabs, and a score of other

villainous things we might mention,

Democrat who hasn't a 16 to 1 con-

science must swallow and endorse,

and ease up his conscience on when

he stultifies himself by voting for

McKinley in preference to the man

and conscientious citizens as breathe

BUTLE'RS DEAL. The proceedings of the Populist

Convention at Raleigh Wednesday were doubtless a serious disappointment to Candidate Russell and his adherents, who had been hoping to the last that some combination might be made by which he would secure the support of the Populists for Governor; but when they went so far as to fuse with the Republicans and to select as the object of their special attention and favor the most formidible, outspoken and implacable enemy that Russell has among the Republicans of the State it not only blasted his hopes but was a deliberate and cool-blooded slap in the face. Butler and Russell will not sleep in the same bunk, nor sop out of the same dish any more. We have heard a good deal about the "machine" in politics and "one-man" power, but if this wasn't exemplifed in the way that Marion Butler ran that convention against the protests of Harry Skinner, Cy Thompson and others it would be useless to look for it any where else, for Butler's dictation was practically the law of the convention, and while the few who resented his dictation kicked and howled he smiled, talked softly, and played his game his own way. As far as the outcome goes it is as good as the Democrats could expect, for in a triangular fight we can carry the State and also carry with us a good many of the Populists who are opposed to fusion and chafe under the one-man dictation. As the situation presents itself now, if they let it rest at that, the odds are decidedly with us, but there may be other deals that may somewhat change the situation, complicate matters and give us something more to do than the present outlook promises. We have the satisfaction, however, of knowing that the Democrats of the State are closer together and more enthusiastic than they have been for some time, while their

MINOR MENTION.

opponents, notwithstanding their

efforts to get together, are further

Candidate Guthrie, whom the Populist Convention nominated for Governor, is or was an attorney of the Southern Railroad Company. this conscience this man who calls This was one of the reasons urged against his nomination, Holding such a position should not disqualify a man from holding a political office, and therefore we do not think that was a good objection to Mr. Guthto us that there are two sides to this rie. But could it be that Mr. Guthrie was instrumental in having incorporated into the platform quired to do either an inconsistent adopted that very remarkable clause

peting with the present main lines?" This is a very remarkable demand coming from the convention of a party which has been vigorously fighting the railroads on the ground of extortion and demanding that they be taken possession of and operated by the Government, so that the people might have service at actual cost. Isn't competition by railroads a safe-guard and a check on monopoly and the extortion complained of, as it would be

anything else? Two comnot be better for the stockholders than one, but they certainly would with them, for one would be a check upon the other, and therefore we can't understand why this convention, professing to be opposed to monopolies, and to be the special with the main lines already estab lished. Mr. Guthrie is, or was for some years, counsel of the Southern Railroad. It will be remembered that efforts have been made for some time to charter a railway from Goldsboro to Charlotte, which would parallel the North Carolina Railway, which is leased by the Southern Company, and which would be a dangerous competitor, if built. Was this the power behind the throne that inspired that clause? It was evidently the work of some agent who was not representing the people, whom this conven-

The Northern gold organs and McKinley organs (practically the same) are disappointed in the address delivered by Candidate Bryan at Madison Square Garden, in New York. They hoped that he would go there, deliver one of his impassioned orations and in the ardor of his eloquence utter something that would give them a text for misrepresentation and abuse, but in this they were disappointed, for the address was written and read, and candor compels them to admit that it is a calm, dispassionate, lucid and able statement and defence of the contention of the party which he are the things that the Southern represents, what some call, who do and ingenious argument or series of arguments. This is as much as could be expected from his opponents, who of course could not whom millions of as good, patriotic admit his conclusions without surrendering their case. It is more than Mr. Bryan or his friends could have expected, for they naturally looked for the same style of misrepresentation with which these organs have been treating Mr. Bryan ever

TWINKLINGS. - He -"If we were not in a canoe wou'd kiss you. She-"Take me ashore instantly, sir.

since he was nominated.

-Pick Me-Up. - He-"How fearfully and wonderfully we are made. Think even of my arms, what a mystery they are!" She- Yes, but it's nice to be enveloped in mystery."-Detroit Free Press.

- "Of course," he said, "ef Sairy's mind is sot, we'll have to git her a b cycle, but durn me-" He paused and scowled angrily. "-ef I see the use of payin' a hundred dollars jest fer an ex cuse fer wearin' pants '-Chicago Post. - Cooney Cohen-"Mein sohn,

yhy did you guarantee dot overcoad to lasd Mr. Nixy as long as he lives?" Young Cohen-"Fader, he has beart disease—he dies any minute!"—Harlem

- E .- You say you saw everything in Rome in three days? That's F .- But you must remember that there were three of us. My wife took all the churches. I visited the picturegalleries and my son went for the restaurants and cases. Then we met in the

evening and swapped experiences. - Tit. - "What's that?" asked Derringer Dan, as he paused in astonishment to listen to the efforts of the parlor

'That's something taken from Wagner. What do you think of it?" "Well," was the carefully considered reply, "whatever it is: Wagner seems to be givin' it up mighty hard."- Wash

"DR. MILES, Through His Nervine Is a Ben-



WIDELY known Wisconsin publisher who resides at Green Bay, writes March 6th, 1895, as follows: "Five years ago I became so nervous that mental work was a burden. I could not rest attention was called to Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine, and I commenced to use it with the very best effect. Since then I have kept a bottle in my house and use it

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SPIRITS TURPENTINE.

Rockingham Rocket: The cotton crop has been materially injured. and now, under the most favorable circumstances, we can scarcely hope to realize over two-thirds of an average crop, probably not so much.

- Durham Herald: News comes from Oxford that Roy Hobgood, a popular and promising young man of Oxford, while out shooting bats in the suburbs of that Wednesday evening about 6.30 o'clock, had his gun to go off accidentally, lodging the entire load in his face and head and killing him instantly. Young Hobgood was the son of Professor F. P. Hobgood, the well known president of the Oxford Female Seminary.

- Monroe Enquirer: Mr. W. A. Williams died at the home of his father, Mr. J. B. Williams, near Rockingham, on August 1st. 1896. after a three weeks illness of typhoid fever. Mr. Williams was born and reared in this county, and moved to Richmond county a few years ago. He was thirty years old. -- The vote in the Democratic primary was larger than it was two years ago. Democracy in Union county is not dead, but is alive and awake. The rank and file are determined on victory this year.

-- Charlotte Observer: Ino. Fletcher and Cal Billings, colored, were at work on the Monroe road Tuesday afternoon near Mr. C. N. Brown's place. They got into a dispute, which soon became a battle with shovels. Billings struck Fletcher a terrible blow with his shovel in the face, cutting his nose off. Billings then fled, but was captured and brought here Tuesday night at 11 o'clock and put in jail. Fletcher, with his nose dangling from his face by a small piece of skin, was attended by Dr. Hunter. The olfactory member was sewed on, back. The negro suffers greatly.

CURRENT COMMENT.

- Secretary Hoke Smith at least has the satisfaction of knowing that he is in sole control of the steering apparatus of his own mind .- Wash. ington Post, Ind.

- The report that McKinley is to take the stump and talk tariff would be more gratifying if it were more probably true. But how can he talk tariff at all without telling how much higher he wants to put duties that are already 50 per cent. higher than the average of the Republican war tariff of 1862? - New York World, Dem.

--- There is a large amount of Canadian silver circulating in the United States, chiefly silver dimes, and as the Canadians have begun to discredit our silver and silver certificates, we should refuse to accept their coin and notes, and send them hurrying home. We ask no odds of Fingland nor of any of her dependencies; just as we intend to restore silver coinage in spite of her American agents in this country who "can't abide silver or anything low." -Norfolk Pilot, Prohibition.

--- The gold raiders and hoarders appear to be resuming operations, notwithstanding the efforts of the New York banks to stop them. Last week's losses in the Treasury's gold reserve amounted to nearly \$3,000,-000-all for domestic hoarding and shipment to Canada. Pointing in the same direction is an extensive hoarding of legal tenders for use in a possible emergency. The patriotic bankers had a string to this gold in the Treasury. Bryan will put a stop to that business .- Augusta Chronicle,

In Buying Silverware, Avoid Confusion with Britannia, or so-

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APPOINTMENTS WILMINGTON DIS TRICT.

W. S. Rone, Presiding Elder. Elizabeth circuit, Purdie's, August Magnolia circuit, Trinity, August

Bladen circuit, Bethel, August 29, 30 Clinton circuit, Kendall's, September Mission, Haw Branch, September

Onslow circuit, Swansboro, Septem-

What you want when you are ailing is medicine that will cure you. Try Hood's Sarsaparilla and be convinced of

Humors of Examinations. In dealing with immature minds, one should be careful to say what he means. A little boy in the course of his reading lesson came to the word "widow" ow, a word more der, and then, wishing to improve the occasion, put the question, "What is the difference between 'widow' and 'window?' " The boy's answer began, "You can see through a window, but"- and then stopped. The amusement plainly visible on the teacher's face prevented this miniature Sam Weller from completing the contrast. -Black-

Friendship hath the skill and observa tion of the best physician, the diligence and vigilance of the best nurse, and the tenderness and patience of the best mother. - Lord Clarendon.

wood's Magazine.

Jewelers in New South Wales receive \$22.80 a week, in Switzerland \$6.35, in Germany \$5.21 and in France \$6.24.

The sand hill crane is a very bright bird. A Recreation writer says that its very name is synonymous of vigilance and alertness. It feeds on the treeless plains or in the barren wheat stubble, where it can see a long way beyond gunshot, or one of a flock is posted as sentinel, and this bird stands with bill half open, ready to give an alarm. It can be killed by decoying it with pasteboard figures cut to proper size and shape and painted, but mounted birds are better. A pit is dug deep enough to conceal a man, the decoys are put out, and the cranes are shot as they come over. The best region to shoot them is in the Columbia river watershed and south of it in the Pacific coast states.

When one shoots a bird of the size and build of a crane in midair, it collapses, like a card house or a tent. But such apparent collapses are sometimes deceptive, as, for instance: "Before I could reach him he soared

off into the air with wheeling flight. Again he hit the ground with fearful violence, but again he got on his feet. Running up, thinking to get him alive for a decoy, I tried to tap him on the head and stun him. He showed fight, and I used my gun as I backed off, and he took to his wings."

The sand hill crane is something of a fighter of men if wounded, and the only safe crane is a dead one. Their bills are long and sharp and are capable of putting out a man's eye.

The sand hill crane has some curious habits that make him of more than passing interest to the student of birds. Out on the prairies parties of them have balls in the spring, to which the select birds seem to be invited. These balls are picturesque affairs from the human standpoint. There are curious dances, which are sort of solitary waltzes or pretty slow jigs. Sometimes the birds lear over one another's backs and flap their wings, giving their peculiar cry. Sometimes rival birds have fierce duels, using their keen bills like lances, battleaxe and swords.

Lady Blessington.

"The most gorgeous Lady Blessington," as she was christened by her very old admirer, Dr. Parr, has long since passed into the regions of oblivion for the general world. As an authoress she never succeeded in making any mark, though she worked at the business as hard as any of her successors of the present day. Her novels were many and fashionable, Mrs. Gore like in their method and filled with strange and wandering scraps of French. She edited books of beauty for fancy clients and at fancy prices, and when The News was first started under the editorship of Charles Dickens she was offered an engagement as a purveyor of fashionable intelligence and asked £800 a year for it. She was offered either £400 as a certainty, or £250 for six months on approval, and confidently chose the latter, with the melancholy result at the end of the term-Dickens having in the meantime retired from his uncongenial work, and John Forster having accepted his post ad interim-she was informed that her services were no longer wanted. She fought for her hand hard enough

in later days, poor lady, after years of 'Arabian Nights' " luxury with her magnificent husband, but we fear that her position in the literary world was not at any time one of solid security. Privately she lived under a cloud from the scandal which always connected her name with Count d'Orsay, and, we sup pose, not without reason. At all events, they never appear to have taken any steps to defend themselves against the charges of papers like The Age, which anticipated a similar class of journals that sprang up in our own day, and rather suffered judgment by default.-London Spectator.

Magnetized Corset Steels. "Every day something new is found about electricity and its effects," said Mr. Fay of the Southern Pacific. · "Do you know that nine-tenths of the umbrellas that men carry nowadays are magnetized? Well, they are, and all that is necessary to prove this is to apply the point of your knife or, better still, a small pen point against the steel rib. The attraction is very perceptible, and it is caused by the carrying of the article inside of the electric cars. The umbrella is rested upon the floor near the motors, and the proximity of the metal causes a certain quantity of the fluid to find a permanent lodgment in the ribs.

"Carrying out the idea, it is very likely that the corset steels of the ladies DR are similarly affected. Think what the consequences would be if a young man with steel cuff buttons should hug a girl with magnetized corset steels!"-New Orleans Times Democrat.

Vegetable Properties. It may be well to mention that an eminent physician who has been investigating the properties of the different vegetables announces that a diet of carrots ameliorates harshness of character and reduces nervous irritability. Peas create fatty tissue and encourage joyousness, while turnips have just the opposite effect. Celery taken in excess causes eye trouble, while cabbage is beneficial in pulmonary ailments, and lettuce aids as a sedative owing to the opium contained in its milky juice, which keeps the skin clear and fresh. Red beets are blood producing and will add plumpness to the thinnest form, providing they are boiled tender. -New

York Journal. Liberty, Equality and Fraternity. Liberty is of no value in itself, but is valuable only as a means to equality, and equality that did not eventuate in fraternity would perish. Equality will enlarge itself to the bonds of humanity as fast as people' learn that in likeness there is the only rest and comfort and pleasure that men can know, and fraternity will come as a result of the same conviction. -W. D. Howells in Century.

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gth, vigor and energy body. Read this letter: "Hood's Sar saparill helped me wonderfully changed sickness to health, gloom to sun shine. No pen can describe what I suf fered. I was deathly sick, had sick headaches every few days and those terrible tired, despondent feelings, with heart troubles so that I could not go up and

over my heart and resting. In fact, it would almost take my breath away. I suffered so I did not care to live, yet I had much to live for. There is no pleasure in life if deprived of health, for life becomes burden. Hood's Sarsaparilla does far nore than advertised. After taking one bottle, it is sufficient to recommend itself." Mrs. J. E. SMTH, Beloit, Iowa.

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From a letter written by Rev I Gunderman, of Dimondale, Mich, we are permitted to make this extract: "I have no besitation in recommending Dr. King's New Discovery, as the results were almost marvelous in the case of my wife. While I was pastor of the Baptist church at Rives Junction she was brough: down with Pneumonia succeeding La Grippe. Terrible paroxysms of coughing would last hours with little interruption and it seen.ed .3 if she could not survive them. A triend recommended Dr. King's New Discovery, it was quick in its work and highly satisfactory in results." Trial bottles free at R R BELLAMY's drug store. Regular size 50c and \$1 00.

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WILMINGTON MARKET.

STAR OFFICE, August 14. SPIRITS TURPENTINE-Market steady at 281% cents per gallon for ma-chine-made casks, and 21% cents for country casks.

ROSIN-Market firm at \$1 82 1/2 per bbl for Strained and \$1 87% for Good TAR.-Market firm at \$1 05 per bbl of 280 fbs. CRUDE TURPENTINE .- Steady.

Hard 129, Yellow Dip 1.55, Virgin 1.65 Quotations same day last year-Spirits turpentine 251/20245/c; rosin, strained, \$1 15; good strained \$1 20; tar \$1 85;

crude turpentine \$1 10, 1 60, 1 80. Spirits Turpentine..... Tar Crude Turpentine Receipts same day last year-171

casks spirits turpentine, 583 bbls rosin,

149 bbls tar, 195 bbls crude turpentine,

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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; 38 to 40 cents per bushel.

N. C. BACON-Steady; Hams, S to 10c per pound; Shoulders, 6 to 7c; Sides, 7 to 71/c.

SHINGLES-Per thousand, five inch hearts and saps, \$1 60 to 2 25; six inch, \$2.50 to 3 50, seven inch; \$5.50 to 6 50. TIMBER-Market steady at \$3.00 to 7.50 per M.

COTTON AND NAVAL STORES WEEKLY STATEMENT.

RECEIPTS. For week ended Aug. 14, 1896. Rosin. 8,939 RECEIPTS. For week ended Aug, 16, 1895. Rosin. Tar. EXPORTS. For week ended Aug. 14, 1896.

Cotton, Spirits, Rosin, Tar. Crude 1,139 1,793 9,797 1,198 EXPORTS. For week ended Aug. 16, 1895. Cotton. Spirits. Rosin. Tar. Crude. 880 334 53 860 STUCKS. Affoat, August 14, 1896. Athore, Aftont.

STOCKS. Ashore and Afloat, August 16, 1895. 4,545 23,369 1,869 DOMESTIC MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star. FINANCIAL.

NEW YORK, August 14-Evening .-Money on call firmer at 81/07 per cent; last loan at 4, closing offered at at 4 per cent. Prime mercantile paper 6@61/2 per cent. Sterling exchange was weak; actual business in bankers bills at 486 1 @486 for sixty days and 487 1 @487% for demand. Commercial bills 485 40485%. Government bonds were higher; United States coupon fours 1(6. United States twos 93. State bonds dull; North Carolina fours 95. North Carclina sixes 110. Railroad bonds were

Silver at the Stock Exchange to day was quiet.

COMMERCIAL. NEW YORK, Aug. 14-Evening -Cot-

on dull; middling gult 87 16c; middling Cotton futures closed barely steady; August 7 73. September 7 53, October 7 60. November 7 57. December 7 62 January 7 65. February 7 69. March 7 74

April 7 78. Sales 226,800 bales. Cotton-net receipts - bales; gross 146 bales; exports to Great Britain - bales; to France - bales; to the Continent -- bales; forwarded 4 bales; sales -- bales; sales to spiners - bales; stock (actual) 67,743 bales. Weekly-Net receipts - bales; gross 001 bales; exports to Great Britain 548 bales; to France 50 bales; to the Continent 4.854 bales; forwarded 88 ales; sales 5 582 bales; sales to spinners

314 bales. Total to day-Net receipts 3,408 bales; Exports to Great Britain — bales; to France 4 bales; to the Continent 986 ales; stock 132,886 bales. Total so far this week-Net receipts 5,768 bales; exports to Great Britain

4,246 bales; to France 1,254 bales; to he Continent 5.840 bales. Total since September 1-Net receipts 180.275 bales; exports to Great Britain ,253,733 bales; exports to France 464 564 ales; exports to the Continent 1748.

04 bales. Flour was quiet and unchanged; outhern flour quiet and steady; com non to fair extra \$3 00@2 60; good to hoice \$2 60@2 90. Wheat-spot du l and easier; options were less active and regular, closing weak at \c decline; No. 2 red August 61%c; September 62c; October 68c; November -c; Decemper -c: May -c. Corn-spot dull and asier; No. 2 281/2c at elevator and 291/2c float; options were dull and wek at 180 &c decline; August 28%c; September 281/c; October 291/c; December 301/c; May -c. Oats-spot moderately active and firmer; options dull and firmer; August 21c; September 20%c; October 20% spot-No. 2 21 4c; mixed Western 21@28c. Hay quiet and steady; shirping 6214 @65c; good to choice 90@95c. Laid quiet, firmer; Western steam \$3 65 bid; city \$3 25; September \$2 55, refined lard was at quotations; Continent \$4 15: South America \$4 60; compound \$3 8714 @4 1214. Pork quiet and steady; old mess 28 00@8 25; new \$8 00@8 75. Butter was firmer and the demand fair; State dairy 10 @15c; do. creamery 111/2 @16c; Western dairy 9@12c; do creamery -c; Elgins -. Eggs steady and quiet; State and Pennsylvania 13@ 1316c; Western fresh 11@12c; do. per case \$2 00@2 50. Cotton seed oil steady and quiet; crude 19@20; yellow 22% @28c. Rice steady, quiet; domestic, fair to extra 8@4%c; Japan 4@4%c. Molasses dull and firm; New Orleans, open kettle. good to choice 27@87c. Peanuts steady, dull; fancy hand-picked 4@11/2 Coffee barely steady and unchanged to 15 points down; August \$10 00@10 05; October \$9 40@9 85; December \$9 10@9 15; March \$9 10@9 15; May \$9 05@9 15; Rio was dull and easier; No. 7. \$10 75. Sugar-raw quiet and steady; fair refin-

CHICAGO, Aug. 14.-Cash quotations: ders, boxed, per 100 los, \$3 75@4 00. Short clear sides, boxed, per 100 lbs

\$3 7214@3 75. Whiskey \$1 22.
The leading futures ranged as follows -opening, highest lowest and closing. Wheat-August 54%, 54%, 54. 54 14c; September 55@55%, 55%, 54%, 55c; December 58%@58%, 59, 58%, 58%. Corn—August 22%, 22%, 22%@22%, 22%@22%, 22%c; September 23%, 23, 22%@22%,

22%@29%c; May 27, 2716. 26%, 26%c, Oats—September 15%, 16%, 15%, 160 @16%; May 19@@19%, 19%@19%, 19 1916c. Mess pork—September \$6 35, 6 371, 6 2716. \$ 30; October \$6 10, 6 10. 6 00, 6 00. January \$7 021, 7 02, 6 9714 6 77%. Lard-September \$3 30, 3 30 25. 8 25; October \$3 35, 3 35 3 30. 8 8814; January \$8 70, 8 70, 8 65, 8 65. Short ribs—September \$3 3714, 3 1714, 8 25, 8 25; October \$8 45, 8 45, 3 35, 3 35,

January \$8 50, 8 58 1, 8 47 1, 8 47 14. BALTIMORE, August 14.-Flour dull, Wheat steady; spot and August 59%@ 59%c; September 60 4 @ 60%c; Steamer No. 2 red 54% @54% c; Southern by sample 59@61%c; do on grades 58@61c. Corn dull; spot, August and September 2714@27%c; October 28@284c; Steamer mixed 24% @24%c; Southern white 28 @29c; do yellow 29@29 4c. Oats steady; No. 2 white 26@27c; No. 2 mixed 2314@24c.

COTTON MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

August 14.-Galveston, steady at 736. net receipts 1,581 bales: Norfolk, firm at 7%,net receipts 459 bales, 1 new; Baltimore, nominal at 8, net receipts 8 bales, Boston, dull at 8, net receips 13 bales, Wilmington, firm at 7%, net receipts 2 bales; Philadelphia, quiet at 8 7-16. net receipts - bales; Savannah, quiet at 7 1 16c, net receipts 467 bales, 157 new: New Orleans, very firm at 7 5-16, net receipts 883 bales, 681 new; Mobile quiet at 7, net receipts 15 bales; Memphis, steady at 714, net receipts 50 bales: Augusta, quiet at 71/2, net receipts 53 bales; Charleston, firm at 7 bid, net re-

FOREIGN MARKETS

By Cable to the Morning Star.

ceipts 27 bales, all new.

I.IVERPOOL, August 14.-12.30 P. M -Cotton, quiet and prices hardening, American middling 4 9-32d, Sales 7,000 bales, of which 6,100 were American; speculation and exports 500. Receipts none. Futures opened steady and demand good. August 4 16 64 4 18 64, 4 19 64@4 18-61d; August and September 4 10 64, 4 12 64, 4 14-64,4 15. 64@4 14 64d: September and October 4 8 65, 4 10-64, 4 11 64@4 10 64d; Octoer and November 4 4 94, 4 5-64 4 6 64. 4 8 64@4 9 64d; November and December 5-64, 4 6 64@4 7 64d; December and January 4 3 64, 4 4-64, 4 5-64, 4 6-64@ 4 7 64d; January and February 4 4 64, 4 5-64 4 6 64, 4 7 64@4 8-64d; February and March 4 6-64, 4 7 64@4 9 64d: March and April 4 5 64, 4 6 64, 4 5 64 4 7 64@4 10 64d. American spot grades 14d higher; American middling fair 27 32d; good middling 4 17 32d; middling 4 13 32d; low middling 4 5-16d; good ordinary 4 3-16d; ordinary 4d.

Futures steady at the advance. Tenders at to-day's clearings 11,100 bales new docket and 1500 bales old docket. 4 P. M .- American middling (1 m c) August 4 19-64d seller; August and September 4 15 64d seller; September and October 4 10 64d buyer; October and November 4 8 64d; November and. December 4 7 64d buyer; December and

lanuary 4 7-64d buyer; January and February 4 7 64d buyer; February and March 4 8 64d buyer; March and April 4 9-64d buyer; April and May 4 10:64d huver; May and June 4 11-64d buyer. utures closed steady. LIVERPOOL, Aug. 14.- The following are the weekly cotton statistics: Total sales of the week 43,000 bales, American 36,000; trade takings, including forwarded from ships side, 46,000; actual exports 4,000; total imports 8,000,

MARINE.

American 5,000; total stocks 582,000;

American 449,000; total affoat 33,000;

American 30,000; speculators took 2,400;

exporters took 1.200.

ARRIVED. Steamer Lisbon, Black, Clear Run.

CLEARED. Steamer Lisbon, Black, Clear Run.

Schr Seth M Todd, Johnson, New York, G o Harriss, Son & Co; cargo by Hilton Lumber Co. Fr baique Rosa Elane. Lecroix. London, Eng. Murchison & Co. Nor barque Augusta, Fornebo New-

EXPORTS.

castle, Eng, Paterson, Downing & Co.

COASTWISE. NEW YORK-Schr S M Todd-272,-865 feet lumber.

LONDON-Barque Rosa Eliane-4 407 bbls rosin, 600 casks spirits turpentine. Nawcastle-Barque Augusta-4 864

MARINE DIRECTORY. List of Vessels in the Port of Wil mington, N. C., August 15, 1896. SCHOONERS.

W C Wickham, 313 tons, Edwin, Geo

Harriss, Son & Co. BARQUES. Madre (Ital), 447 tons, Scrtto, Heide & E miranda, 563 tons, Duncan, to master.

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J. D. CROOM, President. W. B. HARKER, Secretary. je 8 1m

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