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The Hacking Star.

BY WILLIAM H. BERNARD.

WILMINGTON. N.

SATURDAY MORNING, OCTOBER 21.

THE GOLD STANDARD.

It is pretty well understood that an effort will be made during the next session of Congress to secure the enactment of a law making gold THE UNCHALLENGED LEADER. the standard money, and its advo-WThat is the way Hon. John R. cates feel so confident, or profess to McLean, Democratic Governor of feel so confident, of success that Ohio introduced Wm. J. Bryan, at they are throwing off the disguise Greenville, Thursday. It was an apand becoming bolder and more ag propriate introduction for Wm. J. gressive. They say the country is Bryan is to-day, as he has been ever now and has been for years on a since he came so suddenly to ths gold basis, but as there is no manfront at Chicago in 1896 the most datory law on that subject a Demomagnetic personality in American, cratic President might ignore the politics. There is no political leader precedents, and with a Secretary of in America who can draw the masses the Treasury entertaining the same financial views that he did put the country back on a bi-metallic basis. Hence they propose to act while they have the power and in as far as they can make it impossible for a Democratic President to ignore the precedents set by Secretary Poster he ruled that Governwhen ment obligations were pavable in gold, and the other Secretaries who have succeeded him acted on that ruling. That's the way they propose to take snap judgment on the people of the United States and prevent them from having any thing to say about the financial system of the future, and this too in the face of the fact that eight out of ten of the politicians who are now whooping it up for mandatory legislation in favor of the single gold standard were three years ago strong bimetallists. A short while ago Mr. McKinley while swinging around the West on his stumping tour declared in one of his speeches that "we are now on a gold basis and mean to stay there." This is the same man who voted for the Bland-Allison act and who stood before the country three years ago as the representative and candidate of the party which declared for bimetallism and pledged itself to labor faithfully to secure

AS A NORTH CAROLINIAN And yet this is precisely what the men are aiming at who are behind SEES IT.

which banking became so unprofit-

able that some banks have gone out

of business. Some time ago it was

said that so much money was locked

up in the vaults of the banks at the

security, and at the same time money

was so scarce in some sections of the

country, in the South and West,

that people who needed it couldn't

get it at all, and farmers couldn't

borrow enough to buy their ferti-

lizers.

this movement for an absolute We have had various opinions exdeclaration for the gold standard, pressed as to the Filipinos, their inwhich contemplates the retiring and cancellation of the \$346,000,000 of greenbacks outstanding and of the silver dollars in circulation, making the only legal money gold and national bank notes, redeemable in gold. The cry now is, and this is the justification for this contemplated contraction, that money is now too plentiful, that there is a plethora of it in the money centers, which lies there uncalled for because not matters, he says:

telligence, capacity for waging war, etc., opinions as numerous as the people who write them and as various as the temperaments of the writers. The following is an extract from a letter by Dr. P. C. Hutton, of this State, now serving at Manils, to his friend, Dr. Thos. Hill, of Goldsboro, published in the Argus. After referring to the climate, health of the troops and other

"The peope here are not much bet ter than mules. Most of them are Chinamen, Maylays, Japs and Turks. Articles of clothing do not seem to concern them a great deal, and some of them wear only a band around their waists, even in the city. The only means of transportation which the regiments have is Chinamen, who carry on their backs the cooking utensils and property of the companies. should class these people below the intelligent mule. "If people at home think this insurrection will be put down in a few days

or weeks, they may prepare them selves for a surprise. Every time a Filipino is killed countless numbers are ready to take his rifle. They are not fighting with bows and arrows, as reported, but with modern Mauser rifles."

Is this a plethora of money or a Whether the Dr's sphere of obsufficiency of money, when some secservation was wide or narrow we tions of the country suffer from a do not know, but he seems to differ famine and the money centers are somewhat from Admiral Dewey and gorged? And yet they propose to some other observers as to the intelntensify this condition by legisligence of the Filipinos. He is in ating for more contraction and for accord however with most writers more gorging at the centers, by givas to the unique conglomeration of ng the banks at the centers absopeoples and the simplicity of tastes solute control of the volume of curas to style and costumes, which rency. This is what the proposed are not elaborate, to say the least, and contemplated legislation means. and do not hold out any seductive

prospect for a heavy demand on the products of our cotton mills, this prospective demand being one of the alluring arguments in favor of the rifle-istic missionary work now being carried on over there, a job which Dr. Hutton, very correctly no doubt, thinks will last for some time, as there are lots of people to spare in those islands and they don't seem to much mind being shot to death.

THE BENEVOLENT TRUSTS.

to him as he can, no man whom We are told by the advocates and they greet more cordially, listen to more intently or follow with the lefenders of trusts that they are same zeal. The opposition who try good things for the people, because to belittle him show their folly or they reduce the prices of goods and blindness and belittle themselves. the people are better supplied for The bigger-brained and more candid less money. That's the argument, among them do not attempt to and about the only argument, in underestimate his influence or his justification of the trusts. But it oower with the masses. In discussis not true. Goods are cheaper now ng the outlook in Nebraska, a few than they were ten years ago, and days ago, Senator Thurston of that therefore the trust advocates assert State, said the result is doubtful, that the trusts are entitled to the that if Bryan were out of the State credit because there are more trusts the Republicans might feel easy, but now than there were ten years ago, with him in the State, only hard entirely ignoring the influence that work, united and determined effort invention, improved machinery. in could save it to the Republicans. creased skill, enlarged product of Where Bryan goes now he is raw material and increased producgreeted with the same enthusiasm tion of manufactured goods have he was when he made that unprehad in reducing prices. Prices cedented and memorable campaign would have gone down as an inthree years ago. It was so in his evitable result of the progress of Kentucky tour, where Democrats, reevents, and would have gone down gardless of their difference on State more if there never had been a tickets, flocked to welcome and to trust organized and the field had hear him, and it is so in Ohio, where been left open to competitive ena significant feature of the meetings ergy. he addresses is the large number of The tin trust is one of the typical farmers who are present. trusts of this country. It is protected Speaking of the enthusiasm with from foreign competition by a prowhich he was greeted in Kentucky tective tariff and from home compeand the effect of his speeches there, tition by the amount of capital it a correspondent of the Washington commands and the number of plants Post, writing from Junction City, it has a grip on, all of which give it a monopoly. In his testimony before the Industrial Commission at The rainfall which prevailed all day as made the trip uncomfortable, but Washington, Wm. T. Graham, Vice had no effect whatever upon the President of the American Tin crowds. These have been of enormoussize, and at Richmond the de-Plate Company, admitted that since monstration was no vigorous that Mr. the consolidation of competing Bryan was almost mobbed. As he plants prices had gone up from \$2.75 descended the steps of the platform he was seized by the yelling Kentuckians. to \$4.65 per box, and contended that who pushed, struggled, and fought for the increase scarcely covered the inthe privilege of even touching his coat. Finally, one of the improvised policecrease in the cost of labor and matemen drew a gun and threatend to rials. But this trust is declaring its shoot, but even this did not prevent dividends all the same, and its stock window of his carriage to get at him is gilt-edged.

PAINE'S CELERY



STRONG NERVES STRONG BODY

A vigorous constitution and power of endur ance, depends upon the nerves. The nerves give force to all the organs of the body. The system is kept clean of morbid material. The blood circulates quickly, exhilarates; feeds the muscles and tissues with wholesome nourishment. Strong nerves keep strength of body in-

Cottonseed Meal. The south produces about 4,500,000 tons of cotton seed. A good percentage is returned to the soils as raw seed fertilizer. A large part of the remainder has the oil extracted and is then applied in the form of meal to the land whence it came or to the land of some other farmer more thrifty and wise. A great deal is exported, and a comparatively small quantity is fed either as seed or meal on the farms where it is raised.

Science has done great service in revealing the value of this enormous product, but the south yet lacks one important tep in following the teaching of science. This material should he fed to stock, and the fertilizer should be saved and applied in the form of barnyard manure instead of applying it as raw material, provided its use can be supplemented by other things that can be grown to advantage .- Professor W. R. Dodson of Louisiana.

Nearly every farmer now has his hog pasture and gives some attention to hog raising, many raising their supply of meat, especially in the western and northern portion of the parisb, says a St. Landry (La.) man.

The engines of Koenissen, Sweden, are womaned by a fire brigade of 150 girls, directed by a married masculine captain.

Wholesale Prices generally. small orders higher prices have	In n to b	e ch	\$2.80 for Dip, and — for Virgin. Quotations same day last year Spirits turpentine firm at 32@31½0			
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FISH-					60c; fancy, 65c.	
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Mackerel, No. 1. Whalf-bbl.	11 00	Ø	15 (00		
Mackerel, No. 2, 9 barrel Mackerel, No. 2, 9 half-bbl Mackerel, No. 3, 8 barrel	16 00	0	18 (00	bushel for white.	
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N. C. BACON-Steady; hams 10 to 11c per pound; shoulders, 7 to 8c; Low grade Choice sides, 7 to 8c. straight ... straight ... st Patent s D. SHINGLES-Per thousand, five inch hearts and saps. \$2.25 to 3.25; -W bushel Corn, from store, bgs-White Car-load, in bgs-White...

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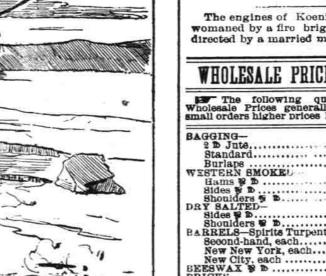
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timore, nominal at 71/2c, net receipts 1.168 bales; Boston, steady at 7)sc. net receipts 144 bales; Wilmington, firm at 71%c, net receipts 1,288 bales; Phila delphia, quiet at 75%c, net receipts 16 bales; Savannah, quiet at 6 13 16c net receipts 5,003 bales; New Or leans, quiet at 6%c, net receipts 8,847 bales; Mobile, quiet at 6%c, net receipts 844 bales; Memphis, steady at 6 15 16c, net receipts 4 134 bales; Augusta, steady at 7 1-16c. net receipts 2,208 bales; Cnarleston, firm at 6% c. net receipts 1,965 bales.

PRODUCE MARKETS

By Telegraph to the Morning Star NEW YORK, October 20.-Flour opened steady with a fair demand, but 65 turned easy, owing to the continued decline in wheat, except low grades, 462 300 which remained firm on account of 33 scarcity. Wheat-Spot weak; No. 2re1 Receipts same day last year.-65 75%c; options opened steady at a de ks spirits turpentine, 259 bbls cline of 4c, cables being untavorable in, 122 bbls tar, 25 bbls crude turreceipts in the Northwest larger and speculative support entirely withheld Later prices improved ¼c on local covering, following predicted larger export purchases. But again the man ket weakened under liquidation, tx porters'not buying to the extent expected and the local crowd turning bearish. Closed weak at a net decline of %@1c, the lowest point of the day sales included: No. 2 red March closed 78%c; May closed 78%; Decen. ber closed 73%c. Corn-Spot steady! No. 2 40c; options opened 1/sc higher and held steady to firm all day on small local covering, with sellers score on account of the disappointing volume of receipts. Closed firm at 1,8 @ 1 ic net advance. May closed 374c ORN-Firm; 52 to '521/2 cents per December closed 38½c. Oats-Spo quiet; No. 3, 281/c; options dull and nominal. Lard quiet; refined quiet Rice firm Pork dull. Butter steady Quotations on a basis of 45 pounds to Western creamery 17@24c; State dair 16@21. Cheese firm; large white 12@ 12 4c. Cotton seed oil easy; prin crude 26c; do yellow 29½c. Petro eum firm. Cabbage dull; Long Poin Ø Island \$2 00@3 00 .per 100. toes steady: Jersey \$1 121/2@1 4 New York \$1 121/@1 25; Long 1st. \$1 25@1 6214 ; Southern sweets 7'c@ 00: Jersev sweets \$1 Freights to Liverpool-Cotton by steam 2614d. Coffee-Spot Rio steady to firm; mild firm. Sugar-Raw firm and tending upward; refined stead but slow. CHICAGO, October 20.-Wheat re-sumed its downward course again today and December closed with a set loss of #@fc. Liquidation induci. heavy additions to domestic store in the face of a poor foreign denied was responsible for the decline Corn, oats and provisions were comparatively strong and closed practically unchanged.



says: international bimetallism, which would throw open the mints the of leading nations to silver as well as gold. They made a little mock pass at keeping that pledge, but failing in the first attempt gave it up, although Senator Wolcott, one of the commissioners sent to Europe, reported he had made such satisfactory progress that he hoped to be successful later.

Does any one suppose that after the throng from from breaking the having put the country on an absoagain. Some of the broken glass cut lute and imperative gold basis, they Ir. Bryan's hand, and he drove away from the wild crowd with the hand are going to give any thought to silbandaged in a hankerchief. ver or make any further effort to rehabilitate it, or to coin any more vious opinion as to the wisdom of than may be necessary for change Bryan's visit to Kentucky, no doubt can now remain that his counsel to purposes ? Not they. Their plan Democrats to support Goebel has mais to get rid of the silver dollars, terially aided the latter's fight. Even (which would get rid of the silver at Mount Sterling some 8,000 or 10,000 people stood in the rain on the court certificates), and get rid of the greenhouse green, many of them having backs, leaving the only money in the driven scores of miles over the mountains. In every instance where Bryan country gold and national bank has made a speech the climax has notes, which they would make recome when he boldly espoused Goebel's cause and advised all Demo deemable in gold.

crats to vote for him. This has been Who demands this? Have the the one thing which the people people anywhere met and demanded have evidently desired to hear, and the Democratic managers say it? If so, we have not heard of it. that reports from localities where It has been demanded by some meethe has spoken show conclusively that ings of bankers and of money lenders his influence has brought hundreds who are interested in contracting of bolting Democrats into line. The newspaper organs of the latter evithe volume of money and makdently appreciate this fact, for both the Louisville Dispatch and the Lexing it dear. They are in the bankington Herald to day attack him in their editoral colums. This is adding, ing business to make money, and it is to their interest to have the volof course, to the bitterness of this remarkable struggle, but Democratic leaders say that it will only drive the ume of money small, and the rates of interest high, not small enough. followers of Bryan into Goebel's of course, to create a dearth that camp. would stop enterprises, nor high The Post is not a Democratic enough interest to prevent borrow-

paper. It is independent in politics. ing, for that would block their busi- It is not a silver paper, but a gold ness and make it unprofitable to

"Whatever may have been the pre-

Of course they all have a ready excuse for an advance in prices, but at the same time have the cheek to

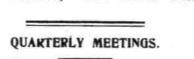
say they are furnishing goods cheaper than they could be furnished if they were not in existence.

BOOK NOTICES.

The reader will find much to inter est him in the October number of The Overland Monthly, which presents an entertaining and varied list of contents, and much about the far West which gives much information about that attractive and growing section of the Republic. Address Overland Monthly Publishing Company, San Francisco, Cal.

"Elsie in the South" is the title of very clever and interesting story by Martha Finley, the author of a number of entertaining stories, and a popu lar writer. It is a clearly printed. neatly bound volume of 324 pages, published by Dodd, Mead & Co., 151 Fifth Avenue, New York. Price

\$1.25.



creasing, and the muscles firm.

PAINE'S CELERY COM MAKES NERVE STRE

Robert Faller of Alexandria, S. D., writes: "I and weak, with pain in the small of my back and ne could sleep but very little. I took different medicin

"Paine's Celery Compound changed my whole sy to health and vigor, after taking only four bottles. I is a better medicine in existence."

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SPIRITS TURPENTINE.

- Fayetteville Observer: This ommunity was greatly saddened on be more expert learning of the death this (Thursday) if they had all morning of Mrs. R. M. Nimocks.

- Spring Hope Messenger: A large number of our farmers in this section now are busy making sorghum. It is said that there is a quantity of cane raised around here and most of the farmers generally make enough of the syrup for home consumption.

- Clinton Democrat: While a murder trial was in progress in Clinton, a murder was committed in Dis mal township-last Friday evening. Two negroes, Tobe Maxwell and Geo. Maxwell, kinsmen, became involved in a difficulty. Tobe assaulted George and, it is said, shot at him, when George returned the fire, killing his assailant instantly. It was likely a case of self defence, and a long drawn out trial may not be necessary.

- Scotland Neck Commonwealth There is great improvement being made at the Scotland Neck knitting mills. Improved machinery has been purchased with which to replace the old. The dyeing department is being made over. The Dubois process is be-ing put in, Mr. Dubois, of Philadelphia, himself doing the work. When t shall have been completed it will be the most up to-date knitting mill in the South

- Raleigh News and Observer Wednesday night, at Tarboro, about 11 o'clock John A Weddell, clerk of the -Philadelphia Record, Dem. Board of Labor Commissioners and town treasurer, shot and killed Hamp Banks, a half-witted colored boy, who had gone to Mr. Weddell's house to deliver a note. It appears that Banks, instead of going to the door, went to a window and was trying to make his en-trance through it. His efforts aroused Mr. Weddell, who asked who was there and what was wanted. The negro made no answer, but thrust his head into the room through a pane of broken glass. At this Mr. Weddell seized a pistol and fired several shots. The negro was killed instantly A meeting of the tobacco growers of the State was held in the hall of the House of Representatives yesterday afternoon. The depressed condition of tobacco farmers caused by the decrease in the price of tobacco, was discussed and it was resolved to form a perma nent organization to try to remedy the conditions. Mr. J. Bryan Grimes, of Pitt, was elected president of the association.

- The Boers must know that the British are in no condition to push the war into the Transvaal, or the former would not divide up their forces and prosecute two campaigns,

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5 00 Ø Inferior to ordinary...... SHINGLES, N.C. Cypress sawed ---- There is plenty of fresh beef to be had for our troops in the Philippines, according to reports from commissary officers there. On the islands south of Luzon there is an abundance of native beef of fair quality, while cattle almost without number can be secured from Singa-BY RIVER AND RAIL

pore or Tientsin within ten days after cabling. Embalmed beef therefore, need not at any time con-Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton stitute a portion of the Federal army ration in that quarter of the world, luckily for the boys in blue.

TWINKLINGS.

- "He's a vegetarian, is he?"

"Oh! the strictest kind. He wont even eat oyster plant."—Philadelphia Record. - "Did that bottle of medicine do your aunt any good?" "No; as soon as she read the wrapper she got

three new diseases."-Chicago Record. - Not Her Fault: "You can't keep a secret, Marie." "Yes, I can, but I always happen to tell things to some other girls who can't."-Chicago Record - Doctor-"I will leave you this

medicine to take after each meal. Mike-"And will yez be koind enough to leave the meal, too, doctor?"-Tid-

- Watching the Shamrock: Pat-"Barrin' her name, what be there Irish about her?" Mike—"Dom if I know, lest it be thot after her leavin' there's a wake."-Life.

- Discriminative: Briggs-"Nice suit you've got on." Griggs-"Yes.

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WILMINGTON MARKET

SPIRITS TURPENTINE-Nothing

loing. ROSIN—Market firm at 95 cents

per barrel for Strained and \$1.00 for

TAR.-Market firm at \$1.30

water) 90c@\$1.10; upland, 65@80c.

Good Strained.

obl of 280 lbs.

STAR OFFICE, Oct. 20.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, October 19.-Money on call was firmer at 5@8 per cent., last loan at 6 per cent. Prime mercancantile paper 5½@6 per cent. Sterling exchange easier; actual business in bankers' bills at 487 1/2 @487 1/2 for de mand and 483¼ @483¼ for sixty days. Posted rates 484@484¼ and 487½. Commercial bills 482½. Silver cer 7 **6** 8 18 **6** 10 1 15 **6** 1 25 tificates 58@59. Bar silver 57%. Mex-18 00 (2 20 00 15 00 (2 16 00 sccord ican dollars 47. Government bonds steady. State bonds weak. Railroad bonds irregular. U.S. 2's, reg'd, 1001/2 : U.S. 3's, reg'd, 107 3/8; do. coupon, 108 1/8; U.S. new 4's, regist'd, 129 1/3; do.coupon 1294; U. S. old 4's, regist'd, 1114; do. coupon, 112; U. S. 5's, registered, 1104; do. coupon, 1115; N. C. 6's 127; do. 4's, 104; Southern Railway 5's Chesapeake & Ohio 25%; Manhattan L 108%; N. Y. Central 138%; Reading 21; do. 1st preferred 58¼; St. Paul 125½; do. preferred 171; Southern Bailway 12; do. preferred 53‰; Amer-...... 10 00 @ 10 50 @ 9 50 @ 9 00 ican Tobacco, 120 ½ ;do. preferred 143 ¼ ; People's Gas 112; Sugar 1463; do preferred 117; T. C. & Iron 117%; U. S. Leather 14%; do. preferred 77;

NAVAL STORES MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star. NEW YORK, October 20.-Rosin steady; strained common to good Spirits turpentine \$1 22%@1 25. quiet at 53@5314.

CHARLESTON, October 20.-Spirits turpentine firm at 49%c; sales - casks. Rosin firm and unchanged; no sales.

SAVANNAH, October 20 -- Spirits tur pentine firm at 49 1/2 c; sales 622 casks receipts 925 casks; exports 351 casks. Rosin firm; sales 1,343 barrels; receipts 3,148 barrels; exports 510 barrels; prices unchanged.

Westery Union 8714.

COTTON MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star. NEW YORK, October 20.-A multi

tude of conflicting opinions served to prevent special activity on either side of to day's cotton market, and check-

and broke nervously under selling pres

sure. As the returns came in from the

NEW YORK, October 20.-Cotton

three to seven points.

W. & W. Railroad-161 bales coted any marked alterations in prices. The maket opened steady, two to three ton, 18 casks spirits turpentine, 16 barrels tar. points higher on near months, follow-

W. C. & A. Railroad - 384 bales ing firm cables and buying for for cotton, 12 casks spirits turpentine, 91 barrels rosin, 59 barrels tar, 12 eign accounts. But fears that the weekly statistical showing might barrels crude turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad-503 bales cotton, 58 casks spirits turpentine, 168 barrels these months went off sharply one to two points. After wavering for a few rosin, 27 barrels tar. W. & N. Railroad-47 bales cotton, moments the market became unsettled

Vesterday.

26 casks spirits turpentine. C. C. Railroad-25 bales cotton

Steamer Driver-43 bales cotton, 29 interior points and the ports, it was casks spirits turpentine. 84 barrels seen that the movement of the crop rosin, 140 barrels tar, 21 barrels crude during the past week had fallen far urpentine. below the most conservative estimates. Steamer W. T. Daggett-10 casks Shorts were quick to realize their posipirits turpentine, 50 barrels rosin, 10 tion and sought cover with a rush. prices responded to their support in

arrels tar. Schooner Argyle-12 casks spirits good form, reaching a level of five to urpentine, 69 barrels rosin, 14 barrels seven points above last night's close early in the afternoon. As the market

Johnson's Flat-34 barrels tar. improved trading gradually increased Total-Cotton, 1,163 bales; spirits with fresh buying for investment turpentine, 165 casks; rosin, 462 baraccount the chief feature. Sentiment rels; tar, 300 barrels; crude turpentine, at the close was strongly bullish on 33 barrels.

MARINE DIRECTORY.

quiet; middling uplands 7%c. Futures closed very steady: October List of Vessels in the Port of Wilmington, N. C., Oct. 21. 1899. STEAMSHIPS.

CHICAGO, Oct. 20.-Cash quotation Flour steady. Wheat-No.2 spring 69% @71c; No.3 spring 64@70c; No.2 red 71 @7114c. Corn-No.2 32@3214c. Oats-No. 2 2214c; No. 2 white 2514@26; No. 3 white 25@2514c. Pork per bbl. \$7 85 @7 90. Lard, per 100 fts. \$5 20@ 5 2214. Short rib sides. loose, \$4 75 @5 10. Dry salted shoulders, \$6 00@ 10834. Stocks: Baltimore & Ohio 521/2; 61214. Short clear sides boxed, 55.40 @5 50. Whiskey-Distillers' finished goods, per gallon. \$1 23

The leading futures isngen is for lows-opening, highest, lowest and closing: Wheat-No. 2 October closing: Wheat-No. 2 October 69. 694, 684, 684c; December 7034@ @701/2, 701/4, 701/4, 701/4@703sc; hiay 741/20741/4, 741/2, 74, 74@741/sc. Corn -No. 2 October 30¼, 30¼, 30½, 30%; 30%; December 301/2, 301/4, 301/8, 301/2 c; May 31% @32, 32%, 31%, 32% C. Oats - De-cember 22%, 22%, 22%, 22% @22%; May 24@24%, 24%, 24, 24% @24% C. Pork, per bbl—December \$7 82%, 7 87%, 7 82%, 7 82%; January \$9 30, 9 35, 9 30, 9 30. Lard, per 100 fbs— December \$5 15 15% December \$5 15, 5 171/2, 5 15, 5 15; January \$5 30, 5 321/2, 5 30, 5 30. Short ribs, per 100 lbs-December \$1 6714. 4 70, 4 671/2, 4 671/2; January \$4 87%.

4 90, 4 85, 4 87 1/2. BALTIMORE, October 20.--i.r uiet, steady and unchanged. Wheat Very dull; spot and month 704@" 71c; November 71¾@72c; December 73¼@73¾c. Southern wheat by sample 65@72c. Corn strong-Mixed spot and month 38@384c; November 38@381/sc; December 37 1/c; November or December, new or old, 361/2 @361/4 c; January 361/2@363/sc. Southern white corn 40@401/sc. Oats firm-No. 2 white 30@31c.

FOREIGN MARKE

By Cable to the Morning Star

LIVERPOOL, October 20, 4 1. ii Cotton-Spot in fair demand; price 1-32@1-16d lower. American middlug fair, 4 13-32d; good middling 4 3 16d middling 3 31-32d; low middling prove bearish led investors to unload 25-32d; good ordinary 3 19-32d; ordi-the latter months with the result that nary 3 13 32d. The sales of the day were 10,000 bales, of which 500 were for speculation and export and in

cluded 9,400 bales American. Receipts 8,000 bales, including 7,700 bales American. Futures opened quiet and closed steady at the decline. American middling (l. m. c.) October 3 55-64@3 56-64d buyer: October and November

3 55.64@3 56.64d buyer; November and December 3 55-64d buyer; December and January 3 54-64@3 55-64d seller; January and February 3 53 64@ 3 54d buyer; February and March 3 53-64@3 54-64d buyer; March and April 3 53 64@3 64 64d buyer; April and May 3 54 64d seller; May and June 3 54-64d seller; June and July 3 54-64d buyer: July and August 3 the crop situation. The market was 54.64d buyer; August and September finally very steady at a net rise of 3 53.64d seller.

MARINE.

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7.04, November 7.05, December 7.10. Stmr Driver, Bradshaw, Fayette

