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A TARIFFOBJECT LESSON.

The Beef Trust is now furnishing an object lesson for the people of the United States and one that they should profit by.

One of the reasons given for the frequent advances in the price of beef is "the scarcity of cattle." They say there is a shortage on the Western ranges, because the sheep raisers have crowded some of the cattle raisers out. The cattle men dispute this and say there are plenty of beef cattle. But assuming that the Beef Trust men till the truth about the scarcity of cattle, and the consequent higher prices, doesn't this present an object lesson on the tariff that the people of the United States might study with advantage? There is a tariff on cattle imported from other countries. The ostensible object of this was to encourage cattle raising by protecting the raisers from competition with the cattle raisers of other countries, especially of Mexico and Canada, which are such nearby neighbors as to possibly become formidable competitors. If the cattle raisers with pasturage that costs them only a nominal charge cannot raise cattle enough to supply the demand for home consumption, why should the American people continue to levy a practically prohibitory tariff on imported cattle? There are thousands upon thousands of ing telegram to the Raleigh News cattle roaming the hills and valleys across the Rio Grande. These cat- county seat of Madison, Senator tle are cheap because there is but a limited market and but little demand for them. Before a tariff was put upon them many were driven across the Rio Grande to market in this country, but the tariff stopped

Canada produced a good many cattle even before the opening of the Manitoba region which with its vast prairies, which in the Spring, Sum- they expect to release as many more mer and Fall are covered with a lux-

that.

desired to curb the grasping [combines.

But there is more politics in the The disfiguration caused by skin disease tariff in this country than there is even more than the tormenting irrita in Mexico, and for that reason tion which is so commonly associated with it. The use of Dr. Pierce's Golden American Presidents mightn't be so Medical Discovery

Women Dread

quick to put the brakes on the trusts. As nothing of this kind can cure of eczema, pimples, eruptions and other forms be done now, the people must look to themselves for relief and to preof vent repetitions of these plundering have their cause advances in prices, made possible by in an impure con-dition of the blood. the protective tariff, they can, Golden Medical when the time to vote comes, vote Discovery" absofor Representatives in Congress who will vote for the repeal of the protective duties on the necessaries of life, thus making them difficult if not impossible to corner. That's the way to protect the people from

WIPING OUT THE POLL TAX.

the Beef Trusts, and other Trusts

of a similar character.

to it, as Pritchard did.

the 17th inst.:

as they see fit.

cotics. "I was troubled with eczema from the crown of my head to the soles of my feet," Co, Mich. "Could not walk at times, nor wear my shoes. Thought there was no help for me-at least the doctor said there was no help for me-at least the doctor said there was no help for me-heard of the good that Dr. Pierce's Golden Med-ied Discovery had done for them, and was and there was none. I went to see friends at Christmas time and there heard of the good that Dr. Pierce's Golden Med-ied Discovery had done for them, and was and been getting worse all the time. I took thirteen bottles of the 'Golden Medical Discovery' and ten vials of Dr. Pierce's Plessant Pellets, and used the 'All Healing Salve,' which was taking the medicine about eight months. "I would say to all who read this: Try Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery before wast-ing time and money." Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets assist the Some time ago Senator Pritchard, as chairman of the Republican State Committee, published a letter "to the people of North Carolina" on the subject of the poll tax in which among other things he said he had been "informed" that it was the purpose of the Democrats wherever they could do so to get the county commissioners to release delinquents from the payment of the tax "on condition that they agreed to vote

cotics.

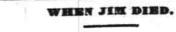
Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets assist the action of the "Discovery." the Democratic ticket at the next

election." The absurdity of such a Highwood is an Illinois burg. thing was so apparent it is astonish-They had a high time at a recent ing that any man of presumably orelection and when the returns came dinary intelligence would make in. A pool room was the issue and such an assertion and sign his name the anti-pool room candidate for mayor came out with seven majority. But there was a motive behind Then the festivities began; the antithat assertion which may be, in pool room women, led by the wife of part at least, shown by the followthe victor, rushed upon him and kissed him not once, but many and Observer, from Marshall, the times, and then the anti-pool room men rushed in, rescued him and Pritchard's county, under date of toted him triumphaatly on their shoulders all around the town, and "The Republican Commissioners of

made the pool room people feel like this Madison county, have been re leasing at every meeting for several twenty-nine cents.

CURRENT COMMENT.

many of whom had considerable property, and very few of whom had any - The proposed investigation physical disability. The board then f our mule trade with the British adjourned to meet on April 28th, when army, now that we have disposed of about \$85,000,000 worth of them, is in all probabillity, a sort of admissio



When Jim died all th' neighbors from fur an' near.

Pears like to me they held him just as dear As mother did an' me; fer they all came in to gaze

Once more on his calm, pale face, an'a renerally result sort o' haze seemed to settle on their eyes, for I n a complete seen th' tears

-tricklin' down their cheeks-maybe th' fust for yearsdisease which When Jim died.

> When Jim died, th' birds stopped singin' in the trees, Fur they missed him, you know; an' th' golden-beited bees

lutely purges the blood of humors littin' o'er th' meadows, whispered to the clover and poisons, and would kiss his bare, brown feet no so cures the cutamore; and the plover neous diseases which bad blood ' th' kildee in th' rushes and the fen.

breeds and feeds. eemed ever to be callin' that he'd There is no alconever come againhol in the "Golden When Jim died.

> its joys An' sorrows; he loved birds an' flow

ers, an' I'll bet He never much as trod on a timid

violet That peeped shyly through th' grass

The birds sang to him, but their voices

Since Jim died 'pears like to me mothe ain't so spry.

her eye

heart; for Jim Had allus been her pet sence he was

Better than th' rest, he was her boy she don't complain.

been the same

- Washington Times.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

St. Thomas' church: First mass, M.; high mass, sermon, 10:30 A M., and vespers, sermon, 7:45 P. M. Rev. J. A. Smith, of Fair Bluff. will fill the pulpit at Southside Bapist church to-day at 11 A. M., and 7:45

Rev. C. W. Traywick, of Virginia, will preach at Immanuel Presbyterian church at the morning services to-

Christian Science service at the

St. Matthews English church, North Fourth street above Bladen street, Rev. C. W. Kegley pastor. Sunday school at 9:45 A. M. preaching at 11 A. M., services at 8 P. ---- Iron bars are now selling in M. All seats free and every person





Court Room Scene where Judge Chambers maintained the Supremacy of the United States in Samoa. In a recent letter to The Peruna Medicine Co., Chief Justice Chambers says the following of Peruna :

"I have tried one bottle of Peruna, and I can truthfully say it is one of the best tonics I ever used, and I take pleasure in recommending it to all sufferers who are in need of a good medicine. I can recommend it as one of the very best remedies for catarrh.

W. L. Chambers.

"As a native born Cuban, serving as' It has the record of the greatest ca-A tonic is a medicine that gives tone to some part of the system. There are postmaster in Porto Rico, I contracted | tarth remedy of the age." different kinds of tonics, but the tonic yellow fever and have been suffering Peruna is a specific in its operation upon the mucous membrane. It is a most needed in this country, where ca- from the ill effects of that dreadful distonic that strikes at the root of all catarrh is so prevalent, is a tonic that ease since my return home. I was advised by a friend to use Peruna and I tarrhal affections. It gives tone to the operates on the mucous membranes. Peruna is a tonic to the mucous memcan speak in the highest terms of your minute blood vessels and the terminal nerve fibres. Catarrh cannot exist long branes of the whole body. It gives tone remarkable medicine. I feel like a new where Peruna is used intelligently. to the capillary circulation which conman and shall take pleasure in recom-Peruna seeks out cararrh in all the hidmending it to those similarly afflicted. stitutes these delicate membranes. den parts of the body.

Address the Peruna Medicine Co., Coat Porto Rico, in a letter from 1417 K wonderful medicine. Peruna has bestreet, N. W., Washington, D. C. says : come of national importance. lumbus, O., for a free catarrh book.

Hon. J. E. Macias, recent postmaster It is a fine tonic, and is in every way a

WILMINGTON MARKET. factory will be in operation here in Quoted officiality at the closing by the Produce Exchange 1 time to can the surplus tomatoes, etc., of this section this summer.

- Rocky Mount Spokesman: Last Monday night two white men were beating their way on train No. 103, from Sharpsburg to Elm City. They were riding on the rear steps and when the conductor saw them, instead of waiting to be put off they both

barrel for strained and \$1.15 per barrel for good strained. TAR-Market steady at \$1.30 per bar-

egitimate side of the market. Where-STAR OFFICE, April 19. as May sold at 9.11, July at 9.08 and SPIRITS TURPENTINE-Market August at 8.85 on the call, these options soon stiffened to 904, 9.11 and uiet at 42%c per gallon. **ROSIN-Market** firm at \$1.10 per

a turn.

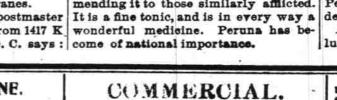
8 88, respectively. In the New Orleans market July opened off eight points and immediately rallied five points to 9.37 for July, thus showing no

Stettin, Heide & Co. Stmr A J Johnson, Skinner, Clear Run, W J Meredith.

Schr Henry Tilton, Cobb, New York

seller. MARINE ARRIVED. market opened easy, with prices three Schooner Carolyn, Moore, New to nine points lower, in response to River, C D Mafflit. weak Liverpool cables and large port Stmr A J Johnson, Skinner, Clear receipts, but almost immediately ral-Run. W J Meredith. lied on a movement to cover by leading bears who feared the bullish

Schr Josephine Ellicott, 343 tons. Nash, Boston, George Harriss, Son & CLEARED. Norwegian barque Nor, Sorensen,



SPIRITS TURPENTINE. - Littleton Reporter: A canning

Medical Discovlim was a curious chap—not like other ery" and it is entirely free from boys; opium, cocaine, and all other nar-He had his own way o' takin' life with

Like music of a flute

now are mute-Bince Jim died.

As she used to be; there's a sadness in

An' voice that sort o' cuts me to th

born; she loved him

Mother don't, but then she's never

Since Jim died.

day.

Masonic Temple, Room 10, this morn ing at 11 o'clock. Subject of Bible lesson: Probation After Death.

First Baptist church, Rev. Calvin S. Blackwell, D.; D., pastor: 11 A. M., 'Are the Consolations of the Lord Few?" 8 P. M., "He walked on the waves." Baptism at close of night sermon.

LIVERPOOL, April 19. -Cotton: Spot small business done ; prices unchanged

American middling 5 3-32d. The sales of the day were 6,000 bales, of which 500 bales were for speculation and en port and included 6,100 bales American bales American.

patents \$3 20@8 60; straights \$2 756

patents \$3 20@8 60; straights \$2 756 \$ 10. Wheat—No. 2 spring 70@74%; No. 3 spring 83c; No. 2 red — Con -No. 2 —c; No. 2 yellow —c. Oat. No 3 43%@44%c; No. 2 white 4 @45%c; No. 3 white —c. Rye-No.1 59@60c. Mess pork, per barrel \$16% @16 65. Lard, per 10: Bs. \$9 72% @16 65. Lard, per 10: Bs. \$9 72% 9 20. Dry salted shoulders, bound \$7 63%@7 75. Short clear sides bound \$9 60@9 70. Whiskey—Basis of high winces, 1.30.

The leading futures ranged as it

lows-opening, highest, lowest at closing: Wheat-No.2 May 74% 0745

74%. 74%. 74%c; July 75%@75%, 76

744. 744. 74% c; July 75% 075%, 78% 75% 075% c: September 75% 075%, 78% 74%, 74% 075c. Corn-No 2 May 63% 063%, 63% 62, 62% 063% c; July 63% 063%, 62% 063 62% 62% 61% 61% 61% c. Oats-May 43%, 43% 43 45 July, old, 35% 036, 36 35% 35% July, new, 37% 038, 38%, 37% 37% c; Sep tember, old, 31% 031%, 31% 31%

12 Six c; **September**, new. 32/4 (31) **31 x c**; **September**, new. 32/4 (33) **33 x**, 33 **x c**. Mess pork per **bbi**—**May \$16** 80, 16 80, 16 60, 16 60, **July \$16** 95, 17 00, 16 75, 16 80; 8ep

tember \$17 00, 17 00, 16 85, 16 87% Lard, per 100 fbs-May \$9 75, 9 75 9 72%, 9 75; July \$9 85, 9 85, 9 85%

9 85; September \$9 95, 9 9714, 9 984

9 95. Short ribs, per 100 fbs-May \$915. 9 15, 9 10, 9 12%, July \$9 35. 9 35. 935. 9 25; September \$9 40. 9 42%, 9 35, 935

FOREIGN MARK

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wines, 1.30.

Receipts 10,000 bales, including 2,40 Futures opened quiet and close quiet; American middling (g. o. c.) April 4 60-64@4 61-64d value; April and May 4 60-64@4 61-64d seller; May and June 4 60-64@4 61-64d seller; June and July 4 60-64d buyer; July and August 4 60-64d seller; August and September 4 55-64d seller; Sep

tember and October 4 39-64@4 40-64d

buyer; October and November 4 30-

64d buyer; November and December

4 27-64@4 28-64d seller; December and

January 4 26-64@4 27-64 i seller; Jan

uary and February 4 25-64@4 26-64d

uriant growth of grass, is becoming a great cattle-raising region. There are countless herds there now, and there would be many more if profitable markets could be found for them. The tariff duties keep them out of this country and by keeping them and Mexican cattle out the Beef Trust men have a pretence in the scarcity of cattle for practicing extortion upon the American people.

If, as they allege, the stock men run the price up on them, because cattle are scarce, removing the bars that keep the Canadian and Mexican cattle out would teach the Western stock men a lesson and deprive them of the opportunity to levy tribute upon the packers, who in turn levy higher tribute on the American people, thus compelling them to foot the bill of cost after they had been voting for years to protect our cattleraisers by keeping cattle across the borders out.

In Mexico last Summer there was a short crop of corn in consequence of a protracted drought. To protect the corn growers there has been a pretty high tariff on imported corn. Taking advantage of the short crop some sharpers who had been observing American methods sent agents into the corngrowing districts and bought up all the corn in sight, and when they had secured as much as they were prepared to handle the price was put up at once. As soon as President Diaz learned this he forthwith issued a proclamation suspending the duties on corn, caused that fact to be published far and wide, and in a few days train after train loaded with corn went bowling in from this country. The price of corn immediately went down and the sharpers found themselves left with a large stock of corn on hand and experience enough in the corn cornering business to last them for a life time. They will not make any more experiments in cornering in that country, where the venture did not pan out as profitably as they sometimes do in this country. President Diaz didn't have the authority to do that, but as he is the whole thing over there, he took the chance of going between the people and the would-be plunderers, feeling confident that the congress would approve his action, which it subsequently did, and authorized him to do it again under similar circumstances and continue the suspension as long as necessary. inducement to engage in refining There isn't any one in this coun-

2,00

over there, and that would result in try vested with the authority to sus-

The Madison County Record will that we have no more mules to sell print in this week's issue the releases as made by the Board of County Com--Atlanta Journal. Dem. mistioners. The Democrats here are determined to do their utmost, even if Chicago for \$4 per ton more than they release every Republican in the steel bars. This curious discrepancy county from payment of his poll tax. Every effort is being made to get the Democratic voters to pay, and it is confidently expected that the Repub lican majority in the county will be reduced in spite of all that they can

white supremacy and decent gov-

ernment to pay his poll tax and save

THE SUGAR TRUST DOWNED.

The Democrats in the House of

Representatives and the "insur-

gents" scored a victory Friday, when

they rode over the Speaker's rulings,

removed the differential from re-

fined sugar from Cuba, and knocked

out the Sugar Trust. The twenty

per cent. reduction in crude sugar

was right into the hands of the

over the beet and other sugar in-

Twenty per cent. isn't much of a

reduction in the tariff but it is a vic-

tory for the people all the same and

for Cuba also, for it is an entering

wedge-and it will be easier to get

a further reduction than it was to

get this twenty per cent. There is

not much refined sugar made in

Cuba but there may now be some

terests that they represented.

his vote.

months back an unusually large num-

ber of tax-payers from the payment of

their poll tax. On the first Monday

in April fifty-five were thus released,

-Philadelphia Record, Dem. Senator Pritchard doubtless knew ---- The assembled manufacturers at Indianapolis were all bethat this game was on in his county, ievers in the desirability of extendand probably in other Republican

ing our foreign trade, and, so far as counties, when he issued that adthey expressed themselves, disbelievdress, as a sort of "stop thief" blind, ers in the virtues of reciprocity. They have not yet attained to the so that the Republicans could have belief of the lamented McKinley it to say, when charged with it, that that "a system which provides for a they did it because they were "inmutual exchange of commodities is formed" that the Democrats intendmanifestly essential to the continued ed to play that game in the Demoand healthful growth of our export trade." They continue in spite of cratic counties. Pritchard lacks a his warning to "repose in fancied segood deal of being as cunning and curity that they can forever sell clever as he thinks he is.

everything and buy little of noth-But the Republicans are not going." There will be a sudden awaking to lose any votes if they can de- ening from this dream one of these days -possibly sooner than any of vise any plan to get them into the the dreamers suspect. - Philadelballot boxes, and this should stimuphia Record, Dem. late every Democrat or believer in

TWINKLINGS

- Teacher-"Tell me, Bobby what are the two things necessary for a baptism?" Bobby—"Water and baby, ma'am."—Boston Herald. - Its Weak Point: The Actor-Do you really think that picture looks like mei The Soubrette-Yes; but I have no other fault to find with it .-Tit-Bits

- They say Meekleigh is awfully henpecked. Bronxborough-I should say he is. Why, it is a positive relief to that man when his mother-in-law comes to visit him. -Judge. - An Explanation: "You frankly

Trust, which had been urging that confess that your novel failed because of a lack of literary skill?" "I do, all along. Beet sugar men fought it answered the author. "The man who because cheaper raw sugar would wrote the advertisements was no give the Trust just that much adgood.-Washington Star.

- Apt Comparison: When I see vantage over them. When they what Borlow accomplishes I am found that the twenty per cent. forced to admiration, said Bunting. scheme was going through they He has great physical endurance united their forces with the Demo-Sure, replied Gargoyle. That man had the constitution of a debutante.crats who favored reciprocity Harper's Bazaar. and hit the Trust this swipe. It

- He Could Prove It-"My wife," wasn't with them a matter of prinhe said proudly, "can keep a secret as well as any woman on earth." "Why, ciple or consideration for the people man," exclaimed the other fellow. of this country or of Cubs, but sim-"you know she tells everything she ply a matter of preventing the Suknows." "Well, isn't that what I said?"-Baltimore News. gar Trust from getting an advantage

OUARTERLY MEETINGS.

Wilmington District-Second Round.

Carver's Creek, Grant's Chapel pril 19 20 Bladen Circuit, Center, April 26-27 Elizabeth, Union, May 3-4 Magnolia, Rose Hill, May 10-11 Clinton, Kendall, May 17-28 Jacksonville, May 24-25 Fifth Street, May 25 Kenansville, Warsaw, May 31 **Onslow**, June 7-8 District Conference at Fair Bluff,

welcome. Services in St. John's church to-day. is brought about by the low cost of third Sunday after Easter, by the the manufacture of steel and the rector, Rev. Dr. Carmichael. Holy high price of scrap iron from which communion 7:45 A. M., morning prayer and semon 11 o'clock. Sunday bar iron is now mainly constructed. school 4:30 P. M.

> St. Paul's Lutheran church. Sixth and Market streets, Rev. A. G. Voigt, D. D., pastor. English service to-day at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. Sunday school at 3 30 P. M. Everybody cordially invited.

Services in St. James' church, third Sunday after Easter: Holy communion, 7:45 A. M.; morning service and sermon by the special preacher, the Rev. Chas. Martin Niles, D. D., 11 o'clock. Sunday school, 4 P. M. Children's service and address, 5 o'clock. Evening prayer and sermon by the special preacher at 8 o'clock.

SUNDAY SELECTIONS.

- Men who try to pinch others usually hurt themselves. - The revival that does not begin in the preacher's heart does't start

- To see a man going around with a face long enough to lap batter milk out of the bottom of a churn is no sign that he is a Christian.

- The person who desires less of God's presence to-day than on yesterday, will be apt to find himself on the morrow without the presence of God. - Some ideas are too vast for one man and belong to the race; other

ideas are too large for one man, yet allow one man to work them out in some form.-J. C. Smith. - Miracles are becoming more

intelligent as science reveals the working of natural forces. Great laws of nature were not overthrown, they were merely accelerated. -J. K

- If you believe you live and move in God, should you not as a mere act of intellectual integrity, of common honesty, trust your life and heart to its infinite keeper .- Wm. J. Ewing.

- As religion has deepened its hold and broadened its sway, part of life quickened by its touch has become more real, more sacred, more joyful, moro satisfying. Religion is a spirit pervading all departments of human

but I'll have to insist that your bond with the guarantee company be doubled." "I-I-what is the matter, sir?" "Well, it has just come to my of and dogs cannot get into. knowledge that your neighbors out in Suburbanville call you 'Honest John.'"-New York Press.

An African River. The Webbe Shebeyli, an African riv er, is one of the wonders of the Dark Continent. Although it is a large, rapid flowing river, almost as large as the Missouri, and flows for hundreds of "niles through a fertile country, it never reaches the sea. About thirty miles before its waters get to the point where they should mingle with those of the Indian ocean the whole stream sinks out of sight into the sands of a desert.

jumped when the train was running at full speed, which resulted in a proken arm for one, who walked on to Elm City. The other was picked up by train No. 39 and brought to the ospital here in rather a mangled condition. We have been unable to learn the names of the men. It is reported that they are from Pikeville.

- Rockingham Headlight: Mr. Tally Dawkins, who lives near town, has lost two good horses within the last two weeks, and now has two more in a critical condition. The symptoms are somewhat similar to blind staggers. the actions of the animals indicating cerebral disturbance, and yet a post nortem invetigation showed the brain o be in a normal condition. Mr. Dawkins says that from the heart to the head, there seemed to be an unusual accumulation of blood. Our veterinary is at a loss for a name for the disease, but thinks it has been caused from the effects of "distillery slop," which had been used by Mr. Dawkins to moisten the provender fed to his stock.

- Bayboro Sentinel: The Dismal Swamp monster, which for a time kept the superstitious population in a state of nightly terror, which was hunted and fired at by numerous parties, which ate dogs and other small animals to the consternation of the farmers, whose eyes at night shone with a phosphorescent glow that gave birth to stories which made people afraid to go home at night, was killed near Deans. Va. The animal was shot by huntsman while it was in the act of devouring a dog just killed. The description the beast is similar to that given of the beast heretofore. It looks more like a wolf than anything else. Orowds of people went to the sceue and inspected the monster, where the body was left near the spot where it died.

- Raleigh News and Observer: Mrs. Thomas Dixon, mother of Revs Clarence, Thomas and Frank Dixon and of Dr. Delia Dixon-Carroll, died at Shelby Friday morning at 10:30 o'clock. She was taken sick Thurs-

day night with acute colic and ex-5c per bushel. pired after this short illness. --- Mr Lonnie Hobby, a young man working for Dr. Braxton Banks, in Garner, was seriously injured by a mule yesterday (Thursday). While in the sta ble he was kicked in the forehead and on the face. Dr. Banks found him in an unconscious condition. He is being cared for, but it is thought that his skull is crushed and that he will

die. — George Douglas Miller, of Albany, N. Y., who recently bought 1,000 acres of mountain land in Bunombe county, known as the Swiss dairy farm, will start a big sheep ranch there. He thinks that there is assured profit for such an outlay if the enterprise is conducted on a sufficiently large scale. The whole tract will be surrounded by a substantial network of wire, which sheep cannot get out

The Princes' Villa.

The little Princess Victoria Louise. who is eight years old, is the only girl in the imperial family of Germany. Her father, the emperor, has bought a beautiful villa for her older brothers to live in while they are studying at the university in the quaint old city of Bonn, on the Rhine. The house stands on the bank of the river and has large grounds around it. There are conservatories in the gardens and a fine tennis court, which can be flooded in winter and turned into a skating pond.

of 280 lbs CRUDE TURPENTINE - Market quiet at \$1.35 per barrel for hard, \$2.50 for dip, and — for virgin. Quotations same day last year-9.000 bales as compared with 9 266

Spirits turpentine nothing doing; rosin steady at \$1.05@1.10; tar steady bales same day last year. The Houston estimate for Monday helped to at \$1.30; crude turpentine quiet at \$1.10 @2.10.

RECEIPTS. Spirits turpentine

Rosin Tar 232 Crude turpentine..... Receipts same day last year-30 casks spirits turpentine, \$43 barrels rosin, 24 barrels tar, 53 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON. Market firm on a basis of 9c pe pound for middling. Quotations: Ordinary..... 6% cts. 7 Good ordinary 8 44 65 Low middling 856 Middling...... 9 Good middling..... 9 5-16 64 Same day last year, market steady at 7% c for middling. Receipts-77 bales; same day last

vear. 83. Corrected Regularly by Wilmington Produce Commission Merchants, prices representing those paid for produce consigned to Commis

COUNTRY PRODUCE. PEANUTS-North Carolina, firm. Prime, 65c; extra prime, 70c; fancy, 75c, per bushel of twenty-eight pounds. Virginia-Prime, 55c; extra prime, 60c; Continent 2.322,179 bales.

fancy, 65c. Spanish, 75@80c. April 19.-Galveston, firm at 93-16c. CORN-Firm; 76@80c per bushe net receipts 3,314 bales; Norfolk, for white. steady at 91/2c, net receipts 573 bales N. C. BACON-Steady; hams 130 Baltimore, nominal at 9%c, net receipts 15c per pound; shoulders, 10@13%c;

- bales; Boston, dull at 9 7-16c, net sides, 10@11c. EGGS-Steady at 12%@13c per receipts 14 bales; Wilmington, firm at 8%c, net receipts 77 bales; Phil-delphia, steady at 9 1-16c, net receipts lozen

CHICKENS-Firm. Grown, 200 111 bales; Savannah, steady at 91%c, net receipts 734 bales; New Orleans,

Soc; springs, 15@20c. TURKEYS-Dressed, firm at 15@ 16c; live, 10@11c. BEESWAX-Firm at 26c.

TALLOW-Firm at 5%@6%c per pound. SWEET POTATOES-Firm at 700

FINANCIAL MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star By Telegraph to the Morning Star. NEW YORK, April 19.-Flour was NEW YORE, April 19.-Prime meruiet but firm; Mignesota patents \$3 50 cantile paper quoted at 4%@5% per cent. Sterling exchange was steady, 04 00; Winter patents \$3 85@4 05. Wheat-Spot firm; No. 2 red 87c. with actual business in bankers' bills Futures closed steady at %c net adat 487%@487% for demand and 481@ 481% for sixty days. Posted rates were vance. Sales were: May closed 80%c: 486 and 488%. Commercial bills 484%@485%. Bar silver 52%. Mex-July closed 80%c; September 79%c: December 81%c. Corn-Spot quiet ican dollars 42. Government bonds Futures closed dull and about steady at %c net advance. May closed 67%c; steady. State bonds were inactive. Railroad bonds steady. U. S. re-July closed 67 %c; September 66 %c. Oats-Spot firm; No. 2 49c. Options funding 2's, registered, 109% :U. S. refunding 3's, coupon, 109%; U. S. 3's opened firm on bullish crop prospects registered, 1081; do. coupon, 1091 and held strong in face of later depres-U. B. 4's, new registered, 138; do. coupon 13914; U. S. 4's, old regsion elsewhere. Pork-Market firm family \$19 00@19 50; short clear \$17 75 @20 00; mess \$16 50, 16 75@17 75. Lard steady; Western steam \$10 10@ istered, 1111; do. coupon, 1111; U. S. 5's registered, 105%; do. coupon, 107; Southern Railway, 5's, 123. Stocks : Baltimore & Ohio 109%; 10 15; refined firm; continent \$10 35 Bouth American \$10 80; compound 8% Chesapeake & Ohio 48%; Manhat @8%c. Rice steady; domestic, fair to tan L 1834; New York Central extra 436 616; Japan 4% @5c. Tallow 159%; Reading 63%; do, 1st preferred firm; city (\$2 per package 6%c; country (packages free) 6%@6%c. Butter 83%; do. 2nd preferred 70%; St. Paul 172%; do. pref'd, 192; Southern Bailunsettled; creamery 27@31; State dairy 27@30c. Ergs steady; State and Penn way 371; do. pref'd 951; Amalgasylvania 17%c; Southern at mark 16% mated Copper 64%; Am'n Tobacco People's Gas 104%; Sugar 1384; Ten-nessee Coal and Iron 73; U. S. @17c. Potatoes firm : New York, fair to prime, sack. \$2 20@2 50; Jersey sweets Leather 18; do. pref'd, 84%; Western per barrel, \$3 50@5 25, Coffee-Spot Bio Leatner 15; do. pref d, ca 4; western Union 94; U. S. Steel 434; do. pre-ferred 93; Mexican National 204; American Locomotive 36; do. preeasy; No. 7 invoice 5 7-16c; mild duil; Cordova 8%@12c. Sugar-Raw firm: fair refining 2 29-32c; centrifugal 96 ferred 97; Virginia-Carolina Chemical test, 3 13-16c; refined sugar quoted 71%; do. preferred, 130%. Standard firm; standard A \$4 55; confec-

ack of bull courage in that market. George Harriss. So" & Co. Private advices as to the ruling of Clyde steamship Oneida, Hale, New Southern spot markets told of con-York and Providence, H G Smalltinued heavy demand at full prices. bones. Receipts at the ports were close to

EXPORTS. COASTWISE.

check renewed investment buying NEW YORK-Schr Henry Tilton, 405. this morning. Between 1,900 and 332 feet lumber; cargo by Cape Fear 3,100 bales are expected against 3,758 Lumber Co; vessel by George Harriss. last Monday and 2.224 bales last year. Wall street was a light buyer of July Son & Co. on the break and the room trade as a FOREIGN. general thing adopted the bull side for STETTIN-Norwegian barque Nor.

5.773 barrels rosin, valued at \$7; NEW YORE, April 19.-Cotton dull 677 50; cargo by Paterson. Downing at 9 7-16c; net receipts 70 bales; gross & Co; vessel by Heide & Co. receipts 7,905 bales; stock 201,314 bales. Cotton futures market closed steady MARINE DIRECTORY in tone with prices net 11 fc lower: April 9 17, May 9.16, June 9 19, July List of Vessels in the Port of Wil-9 12, August 8 90, September 8 36, October 8 12, November 8 03, December mington, N. C., April 20. 8.02, January 8 04. SCHOONERS. Total to-day-Net receipts 8.734 Josephine Ellicott, 343 tons, Nash, bales; exports to Great Britain 13,764 George Harriss, Son & Co. bales; exports to France 297 bales; exports to the Continent 6,263 bales; Jennie A Stubbs, 159 tons, Dorr, George Harriss, Son & Co. tock 622 734 bales. Consolidated-Net receipts 8 734 Wm F Green, 227 tons, Nelson, bales; exports to Great Britain 13.764 George Harriss. Son & Co.

Wm H Bailey, 277 tons, Lane, George bales; exports to France 927 bales; exports to the Continent 6,263 bales Harriss, Son & Co. Ralph M Haywood, 538 tons, Philpot Total since September 1st.-Net receipts 7,108,101 bales; experts to Great George Harriss, Son & Co. Canaria, 242 tons. Reicker, George Britain 8,803.735 bales; exports to France 665,753 bales; exports to the

quiet at 9 5-16c, net receipts 336 bales;

Mobile. steady at 9%c, net receipts 18

bales; Memphis, firm at 9 3-16c; net re-

ceipts, 103 bales; Augusta, steady at

9%c, net receipts 73 bales; Charles-

PRODUCE MARKETS.

ton, firm at 9c, net receipts 17 bales.

Harriss, Son & Co. J C Lane, 305 tons, Kelly, George Harriss, Son & Co.

BARQUES.

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