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MISSISSIPPI'S DEFIANCE.

It is said that Major Vardaman won in Mississippi because it was understood that President Roosevelt was eager for his defeat. There is at least some satisfaction in that, although conservative Southern men can have no sympathy with Vardaman's radicalism. Had there been no Roosevelt, no Indianola affair, or the like, there would would have been no Vardaman campaign. Roosevelt is responsible for this campaign on purely race issues which suggests the bitterness of the struggle with the negro governments of thirty years ago.

Some recent comment on the Southern situation by Mr. Edward M. Shepard ought to enlighten the Northerners who can not understand the feeling that has been aroused in Mississippi. Mr. Shepard is a New York Democrat, but he is also an able constitutional lawyer. He admits that both races are entitled to and subject to "a legal theory of perfect and democratic political equality;" that the exclusion of negroes from the polls when white men are permitted to vote is governing the black man "without his consent;" that the result is lamentable and demoralizing, tending to nullify law and constitution; that it is an anomaly and a baneful inconsistency, but no more anomalous than the "boisterous refusal" by the Republican President and his whole administration of equal political rights to the dark skinned natives of the Philippines. The President and the administration govern the Filipinos without their consent, but pretend to be horror struck at the suggestion that the negroes may even temporarily be so governed for the best interests of all concerned. And yet, as Mr. Shepard declares, "the whites of no Northern State would voluntarily submit to negro government."

Mr. Shepard goes straight to the point when he adds: "As between violation of American doctrine and law in excluding negroes from suffrage, and surrender of civilization, if in some Southern States negroes should rule white men, the Southern States with large negro populations have seized the horn of the dilemma which the whites of any and every Northern State would in like situation seize. The Southern whites stand for civilization as against political theory of legal right. And so they will stand; nor do I believe that the North will effectively find fault. The Republican party well knows that the nation would reject any effort to re-establish conditions of civil war in several States now in profound peace, enjoying a career of industrial prosperity; nor will that party ask the verdict of Northern sentiment upon this question." —*Macon Telegraph.*

Are a you believer in dreams? Mr. John Seibert, a wealthy land owner of Portland, Oregon, is. He dreamed of seeing a daughter the other day whom he had not met in 32 years and for whom he had traversed the continent in search of, that she was married, had six children and lived in Baltimore. He went to Baltimore and found his daughter, who was married and the mother of six children just as he had dreamed. Mr. Seibert's daughter was only 12 years old when he left her 32 years ago. The scene on meeting after the lapse of so many years was said to be an affecting one.

During the hurry and bustle of packing up to catch the 3:50 train, a newly-married man in a Chicago hotel unthoughtedly swept his bride's open-work hose and French-heeled Oxfords into a trunk, and out went the trunk, trundled by a porter. In a few moments the bride, in her pink feet, shoeless and stockingless, was tripping over the tile floor of the hotel searching for her "hubby" and her shoes. "Hubby" was found and made a hurried call at a shoe store, and also bought some stockings, and they caught the train, after all.

Fearful Odds Against Him.

Bed-ridden, alone and destitute. Such, in brief, was the condition of an old soldier by the name of J. J. Havens, of Versailles, O. For years he was troubled with Kidney disease, and neither doctors nor medicines gave him relief. At length he tried Electric Bitters. It put him on his feet in short order, and now he testifies: "I'm on the road to complete recovery." The best on earth for Liver and Kidney troubles and all forms of Stomach and Bowel complaints. Only 50c. Guaranteed by R. R. BELLAMY, druggist. †

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SPIRITS TURPENTINE.

— Ex-Sheriff Scott, of Wayne, who has failed, owes the State about $9,000 in taxes, it is said.

— Mr. Peter Hairston, of Davie county, will raise 12,000 or more bushels of corn this year, says the Ashboro *Courier*.

— The *Ripple* says the question of permitting distilleries inside the corporate limits of Yadkinville is being agitated and that sentiment appears to be about equally divided.

— Gen. Julian S. Carr expects 3,000 old soldiers to be in camp in Raleigh at the reunion and encampment of North Carolina Confederate veterans during the coming State Fair.

— Less than a mile and a half from Burlington a gold mine is be developed which promises rich results. W. G. Teague has opened this mine on the farm of James Teague.

— Mrs. J. N. Winningham, who resided near Ashboro, was frightened to death during an electrical and hail storm about 12 o'clock Sunday night. The storm was a severe one and Mrs. Winningham was attacked with heart failure.

— Charlotte *News*: Bizzell Morrison, a dish-washer and errand boy at the Gem Restaurant, this afternoon threw a two-pound weight at Horace Baldwin, a waiter, striking him back of the right ear and crushing the skull. Dr. H. M. Wilder, the attending physician, says he thinks the wound will prove fatal.

— Newton *News*: Mrs. Angelina Edwards was in Newton Monday and she gave the following history of a witch down at her home: She says the witch comes to her house every night in the shape of a very black negro woman and gives her a great deal of concern. She has spent money for medicine and charms and has drawn pictures of the witch and shot silver bullets at it, but can't get rid of it.

— A Richmond, Va., special says: John Meanley, the rather good looking young North Carolina convict being held at the Manchester station house, was visited yesterday morning by an exceedingly handsome and stylish young woman who seemed to be thoroughly infatuated with the man. She talked with him through the bars for several hours and only left when Guard K. B. Ewing, of the North Carolina penitentiary, came to take him back. The two men left on the 2 P. M. train to-day. The woman did not follow them.

— A Raleigh special says: At to-day's meeting of the directors of the State penitentiary here, it was found that during the fusion administration of the State, a negro, Henry Allen, from Fairfax county, was sentenced to the penitentiary for two years. He escaped, but was recaptured. In some way an error was made as to the length of his term and he was kept three years after the time of his sentence had expired. He died recently, and an administrator, a white man, asked that payment be made for this overtime. To-day the directors allowed $200, which was accepted as satisfactory.

— Kinston special to Raleigh *News and Observer*: G. W. Daniels this morning went to the woods where Will Maxwell was working on the line between this county and Duplin and shot him with a shotgun, Maxwell dying instantly. The cause of the trouble is said to have been Maxwell's relations with Daniels' wife. Maxwell was at Daniels' house last night, and Daniels finding it out, this morning tanked up with whiskey and went to the woods where Maxwell was at work and told him he had come to shoot him. Maxwell then jumped behind a tree and said: "Damn you, shoot!" Daniels fired with the results stated. Daniels made his escape and a posse is after him. Both parties are white.

CURRENT COMMENT

—— In discussing the negro problem the Northern negrophile newspapers seem to be suffering under remarkable lack of information. They assume that the white race has had wonderful opportunities of advancement, and that the negro race has had none until recently. This assumption is based on the mistaken notion that the race has retarded in its progress by slavery. —*New Orleans Times-Democrat.*

—— The game of war seems more serious for the American navy than the real thing. The battleship Massachusetts and the cruiser Olympia have been damaged in the maneuvers, while the destroyer Decatur was rammed during the review before the President that preceded the opening of the game. That's more damage than the fleets of Montojo and Cervera did.—*Savannah News.*

—— Fresh from conference with the President, Representative Babcock says no financial legislation of a radical character will be attempted at the coming session of Congress. As a precautionary measure he thinks a bill may be introduced and passed authorizing the deposit of customs receipts in national banks, with provision for the use of other securities besides United States bonds to secure such deposits. The experience of the secretary of the treasury in accepting other securities than government bonds from depositing banks should lead to great caution. The best way to get rid of surpluses is to reduce taxation. This leaves the money where it will do the most good and makes government meddling with the money market quite necessary. —*Philadelphia Record.*

Excursion to Fayetteville.

Thos. H. Knight will run one of his extremely popular excursions to the historic city of Fayetteville over the fast and famous Atlantic Coast Line on Monday, September 7th. This will be a big day in Fayetteville and you cannot find a more agreeable spot on which to spend it. Take advantage of this chance to spend the day so pleasantly on the best and best excursion of the season. Knight's excursions are known for their splendid conduct and are patronized by the best people. Separate cars for white and colored people. Train leaves Atlantic Coast Line depot 6:00 and will leave Fayetteville on the return at 11:00 P. M. Fare for the round trip only $1.00. †

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The one cigar you can depend upon being the same in quality whether you smoke one or a thousand. Always 5 cents, and so good the dealer can't afford to cut the price.

The Largest Selling Brand of Cigars in the World.

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TWINKLINGS.

— The price paid for a cradle is hush money. —*Chicago News.*

— Wife (at 3 A. M.)—Oh, George! Wake up! I'm sure there's a burglar down stairs! Husband—Gee! I'm glad he wasn't a porch climber! —*Puck.*

— She—Do you love me as much when you are away from me? He (fervently)—I love you more, darling. She (sighing)—I wish I could be with you then.—*Life.*

— "Your fine is heavy," said the prisoner to the judge; "can't you give me a little time?" "Certainly," was the reply; "thirty days!"—*Atlanta Constitution.*

— Brannigan—The doctor told me to get a porous plaster for me stomach. Druggist—Yes, sir; what sort do you want? Brannigan—'Tis little I care what sort it is so long as 'tis aisily digested.—*Catholic Standard and Times.*

— "Don't you think the amusements of many society people are very nonsensical?" "Sometimes," answered Miss Cayenne, "but not as nonsensical as the amusements of those people who amuse themselves by imagining how society people amuse themselves."—*Washington Star.*

— One Thing settled.—"Grace is greatly worried. She can't decide where to go on her bridal tour." "When is she to be married?" "The date hasn't been fixed yet." "Whom is she going to wed?" "That's another detail that is yet to be arranged. But she has her trousseau all planned."—*Kansas City Journal.*

A LITTLE NONSENSE.

The Unruly Little Boy; or, Did Will Kiss Willie?

The Brooklyn Eagle tells the following "good one" on Brother Will Carleton of Kane Lodge: While touring the western states Brother Carleton was much annoyed in one of his audiences by an unruly little boy who made more noise than all the rest of the audience put together. He became at last almost a bete noire, and as the evening drew to a close Carleton began to congratulate himself that he would soon see the last of the unruly urchin. But when the reading was closed he was dismayed at seeing the mother conducting her unruly hopeful to the platform. To his dismay, they came straight to him, and the mother remarked:

"Mr. Carleton, I would like to have you kiss Willie so he can tell of it all the rest of his life, for, you see, I named him after you when he was a baby."

Mr. Carleton will never tell whether he kissed Willie or not.

Its Strong Point.

"What is your idea of a good summer novel?"

"It is a book that is not too heavy to be held up when you lie on your back in a hammock."

What Is Life?

In the last analysis nobody knows, but we do know that it is under strict law. Abuse that law even slightly, pain results. Irregular living means derangement of the organs, resulting in Constipation, Headache or Liver trouble. Dr. King's New Life Pills quickly re-adjuste this. It's gentle, yet thorough. Only 25c, at R. R. BELLAMY'S drug store. †

Mexican Rates.

Washington, D. C.—Grand Fountain United Order True Reformers. Tickets on sale August 30th, Sept. 1st and 2d; final limit September 10th. Fare for round trip from Wilmington, N. C., $11.55.

Los Angeles and San Francisco, Cal.—National Encampment Grand Army of the Republic. Tickets on sale July 31st to August 13th; final limit October 15th. Fare round trip from Wilmington, N. C., $64 75. Fee of 50 cents will be charged at destination for validating ticket.

† THOS. D. MEARES, G. A.

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"BACK NUMBER BUDD."

Among the institutions of Manhattan Island is Robert M. Budd—"Back Number Budd," as he is called. He has a tunnel-like place of business in Thirty-sixth street where one may find back numbers of almost any paper or periodical from the year 1833 to date. Many years ago, being then a news dealer, he noticed that there was a continual demand for old papers which were not to be procured at the offices of the publication and often not at all. So he began to save papers every day and week, and as he found that he could sell back numbers at an advance of from 1 to 500 per cent on the original price he took to buying up old papers, magazines and other printed matter. These he assorted and indexed until he had an enormous stock. His customers are not numerous, but they pay tremendous prices, occasionally for the privilege of merely copying something from an old publication, and "Back Number Budd" makes quite a good living out of his queer business.

Stole a Ship.

It is the fashion when a famous judge or detective retires to give a list of his more remarkable cases. Sir Hartley Williams, the retiring senior puisne judge of Victoria, has been the subject of such a retrospect. One of the first cases he had to try was a very rare offense indeed—stealing a steamship. A couple of audacious scoundrels named Henderson and Wallace stole a steamer from the Clyde, disguised her very skillfully and went on a pleasure cruise around the world. At Melbourne, where they posed as scions of English nobility and received much social attention, the fraud was detected. They were arrested, convicted and sentenced to long terms of imprisonment. Stealing a ship is like stealing an elephant, a very unprofitable form of crime. The risks are enormous, and it is difficult to get rid of the stolen property or convert it into cash.—London Chronicle.

Rational Spectacles.

The "rational spectacles" of Dr. Ribard, a Parisian oculist, are coming into use in Europe. They are made like the ordinary glasses, with the upper and lower thirds removed, leaving a strip of glass one-half by one and a-half inches. A number of objections to the usual form of spectacles are set forth in Cosmos. Glasses are most worn by those over fifty years of age for farsightedness. They need a lens for reading or writing, but are embarrassed by them when looking at objects a yard or two away, which necessitates their frequent removal. If such a person walks with his spectacles on the spherical aberration changes the position of things at his feet and their outline as well. In the Ribard glass the view on a level with the eye and that of the ground immediately in front of the wearer is unobstructed.

America makes the finest agricultural tools in the world—light, durable and adaptable. In Millet's picture, "The Evening Angelus," the most pathetic thing is the hoe upon which the man leans—a coarse, heavy, ungainly tool. The beautiful sentiment embodied in the picture would have been destroyed had the man been riding an American sulky plow instead of leaning on a home-made French hoe.

Any agency which could force one-half of the poor people of the cities to seek homes in the country would be a godsend. It would relieve the congested conditions in the towns, secure a far more wholesome and healthful way of living for this class and meet an unsupplied demand for labor in the country districts. The trouble seems to be, however, that these people cannot be induced to live removed from the saloon and out of hearing of a brass band.

We saw a horse sold the other day whose style and action alone brought the owner just $100. This horse had no speed, but he had as much style and show off as a New York dude. This quality in a horse will not often be found, unless there is some good blood back of it. Your common plug can step high and wave his tail like a flag while he snorts around the yard for a minute or two, but your well bred horse keeps head and tail up all day long.

If Your Physician

prescribes a milk diet, for its easy digestibility, it will be well to use Borden's Peerless Brand Evaporated Cream to get a rich, deliciously flavored milk food, perfectly sterilized, according to latest sanitary methods. For general household uses. Prepared by Borden's Condensed Milk Co. †

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MISS PAULINE ASTOR.

Miss Pauline Astor, by all accounts, is a true daughter of her father, William Waldorf Astor, the man who gave up his citizenship to become a subject of the British sovereign. Nothing pleases her more than to snub aspiring Americans who happen to cross her social path. Miss Astor seems to have full appreciation of the fact that her father is worth something like $200,000,000. Here is a story they tell of a woman who met Miss Astor at a London restaurant: The two women were in the dressing room, and the elder woman tried her best to engage the girl in conversation. Miss Astor answered in monosyllables, and at last the woman dared to call Miss Astor's attention to her glove. "You have a tiny rip in your glove, my dear." Miss Astor glanced at her glove and replied, "I like it that way." The elder woman felt the sting and retorted with sarcastic sweetness, "Well, then, I hope the other tears."—Exchange.

Treasure Trove in England.

Not long ago 6,775 English silver pennies which some man had hoarded up for his own benefit in times when pennies were silver were sold to the public at auction in London, realizing $500 for the national treasury. This money was dug up by some laborers at Colchester while laying the foundations of a building. The crown stepped in and seized the find, but it rewarded the finders, and a few rare coins in the collection were sent to the British museum. When the hoard was found the price of these silver pennies went down in all the coin collectors' markets. This strange and not particularly reasonable law of "treasure trove" has extended from England to France, Germany, Spain and Denmark. If any one finds hidden treasure and conceals it for his own use he is liable to fine and imprisonment. It used to be a hanging matter.

Odd Smuggling.

Recently a book containing some very uncomplimentary allusions to King Leopold of Belgium was published in Paris, and as a result the publishers were promptly notified that no copies would be allowed to enter Belgium. There were, however, several persons in Brussels and other parts of Belgium who desired to read the book, and in spite of the official notice they managed to get copies of it. The method which they used was very simple.

The books were removed from the original covers in Paris and placed in other covers bearing such titles as "How to Grow Beet Root," "Popular Textbook on Horticulture" and "The Farmer's Every Day Book." In this disguise they were shipped to the frontier, and the officials, misled by the innocent titles, never dreamed of confiscating them.

A Literary Monarch.

The most literary monarch in Europe is without doubt the young Victor Emmanuel of Italy. He knows English, French and German equally as well as his native language, and has even a reading acquaintance with that very difficult language, Russian. He spends at least three hours every day in his study busy with current literature of every kind. He is said to prefer the monthly reviews to daily journals; but, however this may be, it is quite certain that no monarch alive keeps himself more thoroughly posted in all questions of the day. He has more than once astonished English visitors by his intimate acquaintance with the intricacies of their party politics and social questions, in which he is better read than many members of the British parliament.

A Cheerful Trip.

"A young friend of mine," said Senator Joseph W. Bailey, according to the Baltimore Post, "married not long ago a woman of fifty years. She was rich and ugly; he was handsome and poor.

"The day after their wedding I met the bride and bridegroom on a Pullman train traveling west. The bridegroom went into the smoking compartment with me, and we lighted up. He smoked gloomily. He was silent a long while.

"'Well, Jack,' I said, 'so this is your honeymoon, eh?'

"He smiled grimly. 'Don't call it my honeymoon,' he said. 'It's the harvest moon with me.'"

MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels in the Port of Wilmington, N. C., September 4.

SCHOONERS.

City of Baltimore, 298 tons, Tawes, to master.

Albani, (Br) 249 tons, Parks, J T Riley & Co.

Nathan Lawrence, 732 tons Barlow, C D Maffitt.

Lillian Woodruff, 288 tons, Warner, C D Maffitt.

Eliza A Scribner, 351 ton, Dodd, C D Maffitt.

Corr, 104 tons, Buck, to master.

COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET.

(Quoted officially at the closing by the Chamber of Commerce.)

STAR OFFICE, September 4.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Nothing doing.

ROSIN—Market firm at $1.70 per barrel bid for strained and $1.75 per barrel bid for good strained.

TAR—Market firm at $1.65 per barrel of 280 pounds.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Market firm at $1.75 per barrel for hard, $3.50 for dip, $3.50 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine steady at 44½c; rosin steady at $1.10@1.15; tar firm at $1.50; crude turpentine firm at $1.40, 2.50@2.60.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine	54
Rosin	185
Tar	8
Crude turpentine	57

Receipts same day last year—59 casks spirits turpentine, 285 barrels rosin, 42 barrels tar, 11 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON.

Market nominal.

Same day last year, market firm at 8⅛c for middling.

Receipts—22 bales; same day last year, 2,678.

[Corrected Regularly by Wilmington Produce Commission Merchants, prices representing those paid for produce consigned to Commission Merchants.]

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

PEANUTS—North Carolina, firm. Prime, 70c; extra prime, 75c; fancy, 77½c, per bushel of twenty-eight pounds. Virginia—Prime, 60c; extra prime, 65c; fancy, 70c. Spanish 85c.

CORN—Firm; 65@70c per bushel for white.

N. C. BACON—Steady; hams 14@15c per pound; shoulders, 10@12½c; sides, 12½c.

EGGS—Dull at 14@15c per dozen.

CHICKENS—Firm. Grown, 20@35c; springs, 15@25c.

TURKEYS—Firm at 13@13½c for live.

BEESWAX—Firm at 25c.

TALLOW—Firm at 5¼@5½c per pound.

SWEET POTATOES—Firm at 60c per bushel.

BEEF CATTLE—Firm at 2@5c per pound.

FINANCIAL MARKETS

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Sept. 4.—Money on call steady at 1¾@5 per ct., closing 1¾ bid, 3 offered; time money nominally steady: 60 days, 4½ per ct.; 90 days 4½@5 per ct.; six months 5¼@6 per ct. Prime mercantile paper 6@6½ per cent. Sterling exchange was firm, with actual business in bankers' bills at 486.35@486.40 for demand and 483.15@483.25 for 60 day bills. Posted rates 484 and 487. Commercial bills 483. Bar silver 56⅞. Mexican dollars 45½. U. S. refunding 2's, reg'd, 107⅜; U. S. refunding 3's, coupon, 108¾; U. S. 3's, reg'd, 108; do. coupon, 108; U. S. 4's, new registered, 134⅜; do. coupon, 134¾; U. S. 4's, old, reg'd, 109; U. S. 4's, old coupon, 110; U. S. 5's, registered, 101½; do. coupon, 101½; Southern Railway, 5's, 112½. Stocks: Baltimore & Ohio pref'd 86½; Chesapeake & Ohio 33⅝; Manhattan L 135½; New York Central 132¼; Reading 54⅛; do. 1st preferred 78⅛; do. 2nd preferred 69½; St. Paul 142⅞; do. pref'd, 172; Southern Railway 22⅞; do. pref'd 53¾; Amalgamated Copper 48⅛; People's Gas 94¼; Tennessee Coal and Iron 42; U. S. Leather 8⅛; U. S. Leather, preferred, 82¼; Western Union 83⅝; U. S. Steel 23; do. pref'd 71; Virginia Carolina Chemical Co., 23½; sales — shares; do. preferred, closed 94; sales — shares. Standard Oil 610.

BALTIMORE, MD., Sept. 4.—Seaboard Air Line, common, 21; do, preferred, 34@34½; do. bonds, fours, 77¾@77⅞. Atlantic Coast Line, common, 113 asked; do. preferred, no sales.

NAVAL STORES MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Sept. 4.—Rosin firm. Strained common to good $2 20@2 25. Spirits turpentine nominal at 59½@60c.

CHARLESTON, Sept. 4.—Spirits turpentine nominal; sales — casks. Rosin steady; sales — barrels: A, B, C, $1 70; D, $1 75, E, $1 85; F, $1 90; G, $2 00; H, $2 20; I, $2 80; K, $3 00; M, $3 05; N, $3 15; W G, $3 40; W W $3 60.

SAVANNAH, Sept. 4.—Spirits turpentine firm at 56½c; receipts 966 casks; sales 445 casks; exports — casks. Rosin—Market firm; receipts 3,405 barrels; sales 2,694 barrels; exports — barrels: A, B, C, $1 85; D, $1 90; E, 2 00; F, $2 05; G, $2 15; H, $2 50; I, $3 00; K $3 30; M, $3 30; N, $3 40; W G, $3 50; W W, $3 70.

COTTON MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

NEW YORK, Sept. 4.—The cotton market opened firm, two points higher to three points lower, the irregularity being due to the disposition among the room element to take profits or cover while the lower cables, particularly the decline in spots in Liverpool, encouraged further liquidation. After the call, however, the bulls supported prices moderately, and there seemed a disposition to expect something of a reaction after the recent heavy losses. On buying of this description the market did a little better, but soon turned easier again and was forced down to a point or two under the finals of yesterday. Around this level it ruled quiet and irregular for a time, then around midday was rallied by bull traders, who did not care apparently to stay short of the market over the three holidays in view of the low temperatures in the Northwest and fears that they might work downward into the belt. This buying carried the market to the best level of the session, or net seven points higher on September to three points lower on March. Later in the day, however, the selling became very heavy. Liverpool houses were heavy sellers, the continent also sold and the South sent orders on the short side, while large local houses were also heavy sellers. The board was in fact in almost a panicky condition and closed barely steady within a point or two of the bottom with prices net thirteen to nineteen points lower. Sales were 800,000 bales. The selling was of course directly traceable to the effect on general sentiment of yesterday's bureau report and the selling was simply a renewal of the movement noted yesterday. This selling to-day was encouraged by the larger receipts and aside from the low temperatures the weather was very favorable. It could not be seen that the recognized bull operators were selling at no time during the session, though rumors are circulating to that effect, and it is also asserted in some quarters that the New Orleans contingent is practically out of the market.

NEW YORK, Sept. 4.—Cotton quiet at 12.50c; net receipts — bales; gross receipts 387 bales; stock 129,199 bales.

Spot cotton closed steady; middling uplands 12.50; middling gulf 12.75; sales 10,106 bales.

Futures closed barely steady: September 10.99, October 9.96, November 9.72, December 9.70, January 9.64, February 9.63, March 9.63.

Total to-day, at all seaports—Net receipts 2,078 bales; exports to Great Britain — bales; exports to France — bales; exports to the Continent 151 bales; stock 148,020 bales.

Consolidated, at all seaports—Net receipts 5,496 bales; exports to Great Britain 3,840 bales; exports to France — bales; exports to the Continent 1,809 bales; exports to Japan — bales.

Total since September 1st, at all seaports—Net receipts 4,234 bales; exports to Great Britain 5,826 bales; exports to France — bales; exports to the Continent 569 bales; exports to Japan — bales.

Sept 4.—Galveston, steady at 12c, net receipts 749 bales; Norfolk, steady at 12⅝c, net receipts — bales; Baltimore, nominal at 13c, net receipts 10 bales; Boston, quiet at 12.50c, net receipts — bales; Wilmington, nominal —c, net receipts 22 bales; Philadelphia, quiet at 12.75c, net receipts — bales; Savannah, easy at 11⅞c, net receipts 1,011 bales; New Orleans, quiet and steady at 11¾, net receipts 63 bales; Mobile, quiet at 11¼c, net receipts 157 bales; Memphis, quiet at 12 9-16c, net receipts 112 bales; Augusta, firm at 12⅝c, net receipts 259 bales; Charleston, quiet at 11⅞c, net receipts 65 bales.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Sept. 4.—Flour was quieter but held at present figures. Wheat—Spot easy; No. 2 red 86½c. Options—On further showers in the Northwest wheat opened firmer only to react shortly under Northwest selling. The afternoon market was dull and easy, closing finally ½@⅝c net lower: May closed 89c; September closed 87⅝c; December closed 88c. Corn—Spot steady; No. 2 59⅝c. Options market was generally firm all the forenoon on covering, impelled by cold weather in the Northwest and remained very steady all day, closing ⅛c net higher: May closed 58½c; September 58⅝c; December 58¾c. Oats—Spot steady; No. 2 38⅝c. Lard firm; Western steam $8 50@9 00; refined steady; continent $9 00; compound 7@7⅝c. Butter firm; extra creamery 20c; State dairy 14@18. Cheese firm; State, full cream fancy, small colored, 10½c; small white 10¼. Potatoes firm; Virginia sweets $2 25@2 50; Long Island $1 87@2 12; Jersey $1 75@2 00; Baltimore $1 87@2 00, Rice firm. Peanuts firm; fancy hand-picked 4¾@5c; other domestic 3@4¾. Freights to Liverpool—Cotton by steam 12c. Eggs firm; State and Pennsylvania fancy mixed 23@24c. Cabbages steady; Long Island, per 100, $5 00@7 00; per barrel $1 00@1 50. Pork steady; family $17 50@17 75; short clear 14 25@16 25; mess $14 50@15 50. Tallow steady. Molasses firm. Cotton seed oil was quiet but steady: Prime crude f. o. b. mills, market nominal; prime summer yellow 41@41½c; off summer yellow 37@38c; prime white 46c; prime winter yellow 46@47c. Coffee—Spot quiet. Sugar—Raw firm; refined firm.

CHICAGO, Sept. 4.—Wheat ruled dull and easier, December, closing ⅛c lower. Corn was strong early, closing firm at a gain of ⅛. Oats firm at ⅛@¼c advance. Provisions were strong, closing from 2½ to 15c higher.

CHICAGO, Sept. 4.—Cash prices: Flour quoted strong. Wheat—No. 2 —c; No. 3 spring —c; No. 2 red 80½@83½. Corn—No. 2 52¾c; No. 2 yellow 54c. Oats—No. 2 —c; No. 2 white —; No. 3 white 36½@38½c. Rye—No. 2 55c. Mess pork, per barrel, $12 50@12 60. Lard, per 100 lbs, $8 75@8 77½. Short rib sides, loose, $7 87½@7 12½. Dry salted shoulders, boxed, $8 75@7 00. Short clear sides, boxed, $7 87½@8 00. Whiskey—Basis of high wines, —.

The leading futures ranged as follows—opening, highest, lowest and closing: Wheat—No. 2 September, new, 81⅛@81¼, 81¾, 80⅝, 80⅝c; December, new, 82⅛@82¾, 82, 82¼, 82⅛, 82⅜c; May 84⅛@84⅜, 84⅝, 84⅛, 84⅜. Corn—No. 2 September 52¾@53, 53, 52¼, 52¾c; December 52⅛@52⅜, 52⅜, 52, 52¼c; May 52⅛@52⅜, 51⅝, 52⅛, 52⅜c. Oats—No. 2 September 36¼, 36⅜, 35⅞, 36c; December 37⅛@37⅜, 37⅝@37¾, 37⅜, 37¼@37⅝; May 39⅛, 39⅜, 39, 39¼@39⅜c. Mess pork, per bbl—September $12 50, 12 70, 12 50, 12 70; October $12 75, 12 90, 12 75, 12 82½; May $13 25, 13 25, 13 25, 13 25. Lard, per 100 lbs—December $8 67½, 8 77½, 8 67½, 8 77½; October $7 82½, 7 77½, 7 80, 7 82½; January $7 15, 7 15, 7 15, 7 15. Short ribs, per 100 lbs—September, $8 02½, 8 15, 8 02½, 8 07½; October $8 07½, 8 25, 8 05, 8 15; January $6 80, 6 85, 6 80, 6 82½.

FOREIGN MARKET

By Cable to the Morning Star.

LIVERPOOL, Sept. 4.—Cotton: Spot, moderate business; prices 24 points lower; American middling fair 7.00d; good middling 6.78d; middling 6.52d; low middling 6.30d; good ordinary 6.00d; ordinary 5.80d. The sales of the day were 6,000 bales, of which 500 bales were for speculation and export and included 5,700 bales American. Receipts 100 bales, all American.

Futures opened easy and closed steady; American middling (g o c): September 6.16@6.17d; September and October 5.80@5.81d; October and November 5.40@5.41d; November and December 5.30d; December and January 5.25d; January and February 5.23@5.24d; February and March 5.22@5.23d; March and April 5.22d; April and May 5.21@5.22d.

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Steamer A. P. Hurt—10 casks spirits turpentine, 24 barrels rosin, 3 barrels tar.

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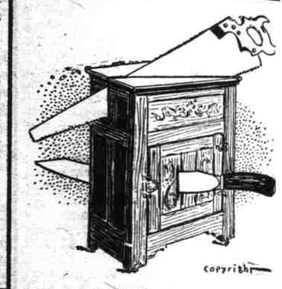

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