STATE GUARD

Raleigh is Designated as the Point for Mobilization

of Troops.

CALL WILL BE ISSUED TO-DAY

If Troops Are to Remain in Camp More Than Three or Four Weeks the Governor Will Insist That They be Encamped at Wilmington.

RALEIGH, N. C., April 27.-Raleigh will be the point of mobilization of This conclusion was reached the officials this evening. The Governor is favorable to mobilization near or on the coast; the Secretary of War, however, suggested Raleigh, and in addition Gen. Cowles, Maj. Haves and other military officials with whom the Governor consulted, strong y urged Raleigh as a point of general convenience. It was pointed out that much inconvenience and some delay necessary to properly muster them into the United States service. If it proves that they may remain in camp for a longer period than three or four weeks the Governor will insist that they be encamped at Wilmington or some point on the coast.

Details for mobilization of troops reached here this afternoon. The order says, among other things, mustering officers will be instructed to receive no man under the rank of commissioned officer who is over fortyfive or under 18 years, or who is not in physical strength and vigor: "As soon as mustered into the United States service it is the intention that troops from your State will be assembled with others for instruction and service under direction of the Major General commanding the army at some point or points to be designated hereafter. The rendezvous for your State will be Raleigh. If for any reason it is found necessary to change the place of concentration your recommendation is requested."

Accompanying the order was a detailed statement giving the offices under the volunteer organization; these are the offices the Governor will fill. Regimental officers in the infantry will be as follows: Colonel, lieutenant colonel, two majors, one adjutant, one quartermaster, one surgeon, two assistant surgeons, one chaplain, one sergeant-major, one quartermaster-sergeant, one chief musician, two principal musicians, three hospital

The call for troops will be issued to-morrow and they will be mobilized ere Saturday. The first arrivals will e Saturday afternoon. The Statesville company volunteered to-day, while the Goldsboro Rifles backed

The Governor received offers from four companies of volunteers to-day, each with eighty-four men. They are from Rutherfordton, Gastonia, Marion, and Jackson county.

It has been decided to have one regiment of colored troops, to be composed of two companies from Wilmington, two from Raleigh, one from Newbern, Winston and Reidsville each. Jas. H. Young will be the commanding

The Governor was notified to-day by the War Department, that it will bear all expenses of mobilization. The camp has not yet been selected. There will be two Colonels from this State. These will be selected from West Pointers who are native Carolinians.

Stop drugging yourself with quack nostrums or "cures." Get a wellknown pharmaceutical remedy that will do the work. Catarrh and Cold in the head will not cause suffering if Ely's Cream Balm is used. Druggist will supply 10c. trial size or 50c. full size We mail it.

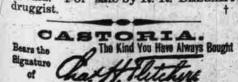
ELY BROS., 56 Warren St., N. Y. Rev. John Reid, Jr., of Great Falls, Balm to me. I can emphasize his statement, "It is a positive cure for catarrhif used as directed."—Rev. Francis W.

Poole, Pastor Central Pres. Church, Helena, Mont.

Rheumatism Cured. My wife has used Chamberlain's Pain Balm for rheumatism with great relief, and I can recommend it as a splendid liniment for rheumatism and other household use for which we have found it valuable. -W.J. CUYLER.

Red Creek, N. Y.

Mr. Cuyler is one of the leading merchants of this village and one of the property of the pr the most prominent men in this vicinty.-W. G AHIPPIN, Editor Red Creek Herald. For sale by R. R. BELLAMY,



The deckly Star. BOMBARDMENT

The Battleships New York, Puritan and Cincinnati Demolish the Forts.

OF MATANZAS.

ABOUT 300 SHOTS THROWN. The Engagement Began at 12.45 and Closed at 1.15 P. M .- No Casualties on the American Ships-Other

By Telegraph to the Morning Star. KEY WEST, FLA., April 27 .- The New York, Puritan and Cincinnati bombarded the forts at Matanzas this afternoon. The engagement began at Outrageous Assault on a White Woman 12.45 and closed at 1.15. There were no casualties on the American side. Great damage is known to have been

News from the Fleet.

done to Matanzas, and it is believed there was loss of life. On BOARD THE FLAGSHIP NEW YORK, OFF MATANZAS, April 27, 2 P. M.—The New York, the Puritan and the Cincinnati bombarded the forts at the mouth of Matanzas harbor this afternoon. There were no casualties on our side, but it is believed that the hail of iron which pounded on the forts must have caused loss of life to the Spaniards, though nothing is known definitely. The engagement commenced at 12.57 and ceased at 1.15. The object of the attack was to prevent the completion of the earth-works at Punta Gorda. A battery on the eastward arm of the bay opened fire on the flagship and this was also shelled. About twelve eight-inch shells were fired from the eastern forts but all fell short. About five or six light shells were fired from the halfompleted battery. Two of these whizzed over the New York and one fell short. The ships left the bay for the open sea, the object of discovering the whereabouts of the batteries having been accomplished. In the neighborhood of these bandered at the perhaps of the second statement of the second se

Rear Admiral Sampson, when asked he was satisfied with the result, said: Yes, I am. I expected to be. The half completed Spanish earth-

borhood of three hundred shots were

put on land from the three ships at a range of from four thousand to seven

housand yards.

works and battery were apparently all ploughed up by the shells. All the ships engaged showed excellent marksmanship throughout the engagement, and when they were firing at the shortest range nearly every shell took effect.

The forts which were bombarded would accompany the purpose to mobilize at any other point. It it not known how long the troops will remain the big guns were fired at the shortest in camp. It is possible that they may range, portions of the forts could be The flagship returned to Havana and the Puritan and Cincinnati were left on Matanzas station.

ON BOARD THE FLAGSHIP NEW YORK, OFF HAVANA, April 27, 7 A. M., via Key West 3.15 P. M.-The blockade continues without incident. No casualties have been reported to the flagship. Last night was uneventful. This morning the torpedo-boat Dupont arrived from Matanzas, reporting that there had been no more firing there and that the blockade was effectively established. No prizes have been secured by the Matanzas squad-

News has been received that Lo Lucha last night asserted that two coasting steamers had sneaked into Havana harbor on Saturday, but it should be remembered that at that time the blockade was only in its initial stages.

Food Scarge in Havana.

To day the fighting squadron is equipped with a force of small boats which, under cover of darkness, can get close in shore, where they are likely to prevent blockade running by little craft hugging the coast. The amount of provisions carried by the two coasting steamers into Havana last Saturday must have been so small as to be practically of no effect. The incident cannot be taken as in any way criterion of the blockade's effective ness or as affecting in the slightest the chances of our success. Havana even now feels the pinch of the blockade. When the Spanish need of food becomes imperative, then if there money enough in the city to make it worth while, there are likely to be made many attempts at blockade run-ning, but Rear Admiral Sampson says they will be unsuccessful. Then will come the inevitable and Havana will be forced to surrender and beg for

The appearance of the Spanish flee and an attempt to raise the blockade are contingencies that must be consid-

The Insurgents.

Information regarding the movements of the insurgents is meagre, but it is known that as many as can are leaving Havana. The insurgent army is believed to be active and is trusted to shut off all communication between north and south Cuba, though communication between Havanu and Banatano still appears to exist. Much has been written regarding a concerted movement by the insurgents upon Havana and its defences. This seems hardly feasible. The scarcity of food is bound to affect insurgents and Spaniards alike. As soon as the former carry their campaign into the far north of the island they are confronted with starvation.

It is believed the insurgents will adhere to the irregular tactics and not transfer their forces in any large number to a territory where starvation will

The problem of provisioning and coaling the blockading fleet has so far proved an easy one to solve.

No More Prizes. The flagship New York spent last night patroling the coast from a point west of Havana to within ten miles of Matanzas on the east. The general belief is that the cream of the prizes has been taken, and that not many more panish merchant vessels will venture nto these waters.

The Associated Press despatch boat Dauntless left the fleet to return to comforts will be provided for them. Key West on her third trip since last Friday, at half past seven this morning, in the teeth of a 25-knot gale from west to north. The Associated Press correspondent had an interview with Rear Admiral Sampson in the admiral's cabin on the flagship yesterday morning. The rear admiral expressed satisfaction with the conduct of the blockade.

On her present trip to Key West the Dauntless, at the request of Captain Chadwick, of the New York, brought in young Aranguren, brother of the Brigadier General, Nestor Aranguren, who was killed by the Spanish Colowho was killed by the Spanish Colo-nel Benedicto in revenge for his have ing shot Lieutenant Colonel Reiz, of the Spanish army. Young Aranguren has been on the flagship, where it was thought at first he might be of some special use owing to his localknowledge of certain parts of the coast, but the lad has not been well, and it was thought better to send him

It is almost ludicrous to see the transition in the case of Spaniards

taken prisoners on the captured mer-chantmen from a state of vociferous grief and fear to one of the most comlete politeness when they find that here is no intention to maltreat them.

Fears change to politeness, petitions for mercy to protestations of regard, and both in the twinkling of an eye.

Of course the absorbing topic, from Admiral to coal passers, is, when do we take Havana? One could not help thinking yesterday, when lying near shore, how easy it would be to land troops at a particular point or at hundreds of others on the coast. The toy forts on the hills would not frighten a battalion of school cadets, and the water is deep enough to allow the warships to cover a landing from

On the highlands of Cuba, health is the rule at all seasons of the year as is shown by the ships not only of the Spanish, but of American health au-

A HORRIBLE CRIME.

by a Negro in Brunswick County. The Perpetrator Captured.

[Special Star Correspondence.]

SOUTHPORT, N. C., April 27. Officer White and assistant reached here last evening at 11 o'clock from Shallotte, with the negro rapist, John Brooks, in custody. He was placed securely in the county jail, from which he had been released only a month, after a confinement for attempting the same deed last winter. His victim this time is Mrs. M. A. Cheers, a widow woman of Shallotte township, who lives alone, her nearest neighbor being a half mile away. On the witness stand Mrs. Cheers stated that after midnight Monday morning last, some one aroused her, demanding an entrance. Upon her refusal to admit him, the scoundrel forced his way, telling her if she raised a cry he would kill her. She was hopelessly at his mercy and the villain accomplished his purpose; then threatening to kill her if she divulged the deed, he left her premises. She went to her neighbor's, Mr. F. M. White, and sought aid. Soon four men had tracked the man she described as the perpetrator to his home. His arrest was not made then, and he made his escape, but an angry mob was in hot pursuit all day, and that night an officer arrested him, and brought him here, after a preliminary

THE SITUATION IN HAVANA.

trial, at which there was much excite

ment, but no violence was shown.

Spanish Troops Concentrated at Various Points to Repel Invasion-Thousands Enlisting.

By Cable to the Morning Star. HAVANA, April 23, via CIENFUEGOS, April 27.-Nobody here is able to make a definite statement as to the whereabouts of the Spanish fleet. All kinds of contradictory news reaches Havana from Spain and the United States on the subject, causing consid-

erable confusion. The Spanish troops throughout the island have been concentrated at dif-ferent points along the coast, so as to be ready to meet any attempt to land troops from the United States. Thousands of men are reported to be enlist-ing in the volunteer battalions throughout Cuba, and, as very many of the men have served in the Spanish regular army, they are expected to prove very valuable to the defence of the island.

The commission of the Colonial Government which went to confer with the Insurgent Government has not returned, and even in government and political circles here it is admitted that the efforts of the commission to bring about a settlement of peace have

proved a failure. Jose M. Del Valle, the proprietor of a magnificent central plantation at Mapos, in the district Sancti Spiritus, pro-vince of Santa Clara, Modesto Ulloa, a railroad employe, and Arturo Chalu and Jose Merille, prominent citizens of Sancti Spiritus, with some Spanish artillery captains and various other people of that district. have joined the insurgents Senor Del Valle has been appointed a Colonel in the insurgent

The excitement caused by the recent devolopments in the political situation s very great though of the subdued kind. In other words the people may not be doing much but they are thinking a great deal and are determined to make as stiff a fight as possible. News from Mexico and the Spanish American republics is also awaited nere, it being believed in certain quarters that assistance is coming from those

directions in some shape or other. PRIZE COURT OF INOUIRY.

In Session at Key West-Proceedings Secret-Crews of Captured Vessels Offered Liberty.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star. KEY WEST, April 27.-The Prize Court of Inquiry, appointed by United States Judge Locke, at Jackson ville, on April 4th, to adjust the questions relating to the capture of prize vessels. met here to-day. The Board was presided over by G. Brown Patterson, of this city, and the proceedings were conducted in secret. The findings will not be announced until the entire

matter has been disposed of.

The case of the Catalina, which wa captured by the Detroit and valued at \$400,000, was the first to be heard. The work of the Court will consist merely of taking depositions, which will be submitted to the U. S. Court, with which the final settlement rests.

The crews of the captured vessels have all been offered liberty, but, as many of them are without friends here they do not care to land in a hostile city, despite assurances of protection They will, therefore, probably. be brought ashore here and quartered in barracks, under guard of Federal troops, where rations and all possible A report from Washington to the

I was reading an advertisement of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy in the Worcester Enterprise recently, which leads me to write this. I can truthfully say I never used any remedy equal to it for colic and diarrhees. I have never had to use more than one or two doses to cure the worst case with myself or children. -W. A. STROUD, Popomoke City, Md. For sale by R. R. Bellamy, druggist.

to Spain has caused keen

ment among naval men here.

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SENATE AND HOUSE.

Debate Began Upon the Measure to Mee Extraordinary Expenditures Caused by the War with Spain.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star. WASHINGTON, April 27. - The Senate was in session but an hour and a half to-day, during which time no important business was transacted.

Senator Stewart, of Nevada, introduced the following resolution:

"That the Secretary of War be and is hereby directed to furnish the Senate with an estimate of the amount of the appropriation necessary to arm, equip, subsist and furnish with munitions of war, the Cuban army now at war with Spain, and such additions as may be made thereto from the people of Cuba, until the Spanish army shall be expelled from the island of Cuba, or until the next session of Congress. Mr. Hale, of Maine, suggested that mr. Hale, of Maine, suggested that the resolution better go to the Committee on Military Affairs, and after a statement by Senator Allison, of Iowa, that the whole subject covered by the resolution was now being considered by proper committees of Congress and that there would be no delay in the matter. Mr. Stewart agreed that

the matter, Mr. Stewart agreed that the resolution should go to the Military Affairs Committee. At 1 o'clock the Senate went into executive session, and at 1.25 ad-

House of Representatives. Washington, April 27.—The general debate upon the measure formed by the Ways and Means committee to meet the extraordinary expenditures of war with Spain opened in the House to day. It will continue through to-morrow, and on Friday at 4 o'clock the vote will be taken. There was a signal absence of that partisan rancor

which has always heretofore characterized debates on revenue measures. Both sides, speaking through their respective leaders, Messrs. Dingley and Bailey, concurred in the necessity which existed for the immediate raising of hundreds of millions to prosecute the war, but the opposing doctrines which they held clashed at the first onset over the methods by which the revenue should be raised.

FOR SERVICE IN CUBA.

Proposition to Recruit Regiments of Yellow Fever Immunes—Can Be Raised in the Gulf States.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star. WASHINGTON, April 27.-The Secre

tary of War is strongly in favor of an amendment to the existing volunteer law that will permit recruiting at least half a dozen special regiments of yellow fever immunes for service in Cuba. One such regiment has al ready been recruited in Louisiana and Senator Caffery to-day presented a letter at the War Department from the son of General Hood, by whom the regiment was organized, tendering its services to the government. Under the existing law there can be only three extra regiments recruited One of these is already appropriated to Doctor Wood and ex-Secretary Roosevelt for his cowboys, who are already being designated in the de-partment as "Teddy's Terrors." Great pressure is being brought to bear from various quarters to secure the

other two regiments. The Secretary of War, it is understood, holds that the practical value of immune regiments is greater than the sentimental and political claims of various applicants for regimental honors. He wants 6,000 immunes provided for and asked Senator Caffery if they could be raised in the Gulf States. The Senator replied that he could raise 20, 000 such volunteers in New Orleans alone, as practically all the natives had had the fever and all would volunteer.

The evidence in the case proves Hood's Sarsaparilla cures scrofula salt rheum, boils, humors and erup-

RAN THE BLOCKADE.

Two Steamers Arrive at Havana-Steamer Montserrat at Cienfuegos With Valuable Cargo.

[Copyrighted 1698 by the Associated Press.] HAVANA, April 27.-The Spanish coasting steamer Cosme Herrera which ran the blockade on Satur day last is, it appears, not the only vessel to have reached this port since the blockade was established, as the arrival of the steamer Aviles, from Nuevitas, is also reported.

The Italian cruiser Giovanna Bausan arrived here on Saturday. Her band played the Spanish national hymn, and the forts and Spanish warships answered, their bands playing the Italian national hymn.

usual salutes were exchanged. The Spanish gunboat Ligera, it announced here, encountered at Cayo Piedra, near Cardenas, not far from Matanzas, an American torpedo-boat destroyer which opened fire on the Spanish warship. The gunboat, it is added, answered with eleven shots. It is claimed the American destroyer

was damaged and retreated. The Spanish steamer Montserrat, from Cadiz on April 10th, via Las Palmas, on April 13th, for Havana, has arrived, it is announced, safely at Cienfuegos. She had on board three millions in silver and a quantity of ammunition. The Montserrat is commanded by Captain Decham, and is of 2,583 tons.

TOBACCO ASSOCIATIONS.

Fight to be Made Against a Provision o the Revenue Bill.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star. WASHINGTON, April 27.-The representatives of the tobacco associations of Virginia and North Carolina, the jobbers of the city of Baltimore, and the wholesale grecers association of the State of Ohio, held a meeting here toeffect that the prizes would be returned to make a systematic fight in the Senate against the provision of the proposed revenue bill imposing an increased tax of six cents upon all tobacco in the hands of all dealers, where a tax of six cents has previously been paid under existing law.

WARM WIRELETS.

Mr. Gladstone, it is announced from Hawarden, did not sleep very well Tuesday night, but he is resting easier and not suffering pain. The President has nominated the

following North Carolina postmasters: P. J. O'Brien, Durham; C. T. Bailey, Raleigh. The Spanish torpedo-boat destroyer Audaz, which was ordered to leave Queenstown by the British officials Monday last, arrived at Ferrol at noon on Tuesday, after having steamed six hundred miles in thirty-one hours.

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COMMERCIAL.

WELMINGTON MARKET. STAR OFFICE, April 21.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE.-Market steady at 26 cents per gallon for machine-made casks and 25½ cents for country casks.
ROSIN.—Market steady at \$1.00 per bbl for Strained and \$1.05 for Good

Strained

TAR-Market firm at 95 cents per CRUDE TURPENTINE. - Market steady at \$1.25 per barrel for Hard, \$1.80 for Dip, and \$1.90 for Virgin. Quotations same day last year.— Spirits turpentine steady, 26 ½, 25 ½c; rosin quiet, \$1.30, 1.35; tar firm, 95 cents; crude turpentine firm, \$1.30, \$1.80, \$2.00.

RECEIPTS. Spirits turpentine..... far.... rosin, 99 bbls tar, 3 bbls crude turpentine. COTTON.

Market firm on a basis of 5%c per pound for middling. Quotations: Ordinary...... 3 9-16 cts. # lb Good Ordinary 4% Low Middling 5 9–16

rear, 19. COUNTRY PRODUCE.

PEANUTS—North Carolina--Prime,
40 to 50c per bushel of 28 pouuds; Extra Prime, 55c; Fancy, 60c. Virginia

Extra Prime, 55c; Fancy, 60c.

CORN-Firm; 471/2 to 50 cents per oushel ROUGH RICE .- \$1.00 to 1.05 per N. C. BACON.—Steady; hams, 8 to 9c per pound; shoulders, 6 to 7c; sides, 7 to 8c. SHINGLES .- Per thousand, five inch, hearts and saps, \$1.60 to 2,25; six-six, \$2.25 to 3.25; seven-inch; \$5.50

TIMBER-Market steady at \$2.50 to STAR OFFICE, April 22. SPIRITS TURPENTINE. - Market steady at 26 cents per machine-made casks and 251/2 cents bid for country casks. ROSIN.-Market steady at \$1.00 per bbl for strained and \$1.05 for good strained.

TAR.-Market firm at 95 cents per bbl of 280 lbs. CRUDE TURPENTINE .- Market steady at \$1.25 per barrel for Hard, \$1.80 for Dip, and \$1.90 for Virgin. Quotations same day last year Spirits turpentine quiet, 2614, 25%c; rosin dull, \$1.30, 1.35; tar firm, cents; crude turpentine quiet, \$1.20, \$1.70, \$1.90.

RECEIPTS. Spirits turpentine..... Tar. 20
Crude turpentine. 20
Receipts same day last year.—31
casks spirits turpentine, 351 blue. rosin, 74 bbls tar, 19 bbls crude tur-

Market steady on a basis of 61/8c per pound for middling. Quotations: Good Ordinary..... 3 11-16 cts # lb Good Ordinary 5 Low Middling, 5 11-16 " Middling..... 61/6 Good Middling.... 63/8 Same day last year, middling 7c. Receipts—38 bales; same day last

COUNTRY PRODUCE PEANUTS - North Carolina Prime, 40 to 50c per bushel of 28 pounds; extra prime, 55c; fancy, 60c. rirginia—Extra prime, 55c; fancy, 60c. CORN-Firm; 471/2 to 50 cents per ROUGH RICE-\$1.00 to 1.05 per N. C. BACON-Steady; hams 8 to

e per pound; shoulders, 6 to 7c; sides. SHINGLES-Per thousand, fiveinch hearts and saps, \$1.60 to 2.25; six-inch, \$2.25 to 3.25; seven-inch, \$5.50 to 6.50. TIMBER-Market steady at \$2.50 to

6.50 per M. STAR OFFICE, April 23. SPIRITS TURPENTINE-Market steady at 26 cents per gallon for machine-made casks and 251/4 cents for country casks. ROSIN.-Market dull at \$1.00 per bbl for Strained and \$1.05 for Good Strained.

TAR.-Market firm at \$1.00 per bbl of 280 fbs. CRUDE TURPENTINE.-Market steady at \$1.25 per barrel for Hard, \$1.80 for Dip, and \$1.90 for Virgin. Quotations same day last year.— Spirits turpentine quiet, 26 4, 25 % c rosin dull, \$1.30, \$1.35; tar firm, \$1.00; crude turpentine quiet, \$1.20, \$1.70, \$1.90.

Spirits Turpentine.....

COTTON. Market steady on a basis of 6%c per pound for middling. Quotations: Ordinary...... 3-11-16 cts. # lb Good Ordinary 5 Low Middling..... 5 11-16 " " Middling 61/8 Good Middling 6% Same day last year, middling 7c. Receipts—245 bales; same day last

year, 6. PEANUTS-North Carolina--Prime, 40@50c per bushel of 28 pounds; Extra Prime, 55c; Fancy, 60c. Virginia— CORN.-Firm; 47%@50 cents per bushel. ROUGH RICE.-\$1.00@1.05 per N. C. BACON.—Steady; hams, 8 to 9c per pound; shoulders, 6 to 7c; sides, 7 to 8c. SHINGLES.-Per thousand, inch, hearts and saps, \$1.60 to \$2.25; six inch, \$2.25 to \$3.25; seven inch, \$5.50 to \$6.50. TIMBER.—Market steady at \$2.50 to

STAR OFFICE, April 25. SPIRITS TURPENTINE.-Market firm at 26% cents per gallon for machine-made casks and 26 cents for country casks. Sales just before close of market at 27 and 26 1/2 c.

ROSIN.—Market firm at \$1.00 per bbl for Strained and \$1.00 for Good Strained TAR.-Market firm at \$1,00 bbl of 280 lbs.

\$6.50 per M.

CRUDE TURPENTINE .- Market quiet at \$1.25 per barrel for Hard, \$1.80 for Dip, and \$1.90 for Virgin. Quotations same day last year. Spirits furpentine steady, 26%, 25%c; rosin dull, \$1.30, \$1.35; tar firm, \$1.00; crude turpentine steady, \$1.20, \$1.70, \$1.90. RECEIPTS. Spirits Turpentine..... Tar ... 241
Crude Turpentine ... 9
Receipts same day last year.—94
casks spirits turpentine, 518 bbls rosin,
163 bbls tar, 52 bbls crude turpentine.

COTTON. Market steady on a basis of 6c per pound for middling. Quotations: Ordinary....... 3 9-16 cts. # lb. Good Ordinary 4%

Low Middling 59-16

Middling 64

Same day last year, middling 7c.
Receipts 442 bales; same day last

COUNTRY PRODUCE. PEANUTS-North Carolina-Prime. 40@50c per bushel of 28 pounds; Extra Prime, 55c; Fancy, 60. Virginia—Extra Prime, 55c; Fancy, 60c. CORN-Firm; 47% @50 cents per oushe

ROUGH RICE-\$1.00@1.05 N. C. BACON—steady; hams 8 to 9c per pound; shoulders, 6 to 7c; sides, 7 SHINGLES-Per thousand, five inch, hearts and saps, \$1.60 to \$2.25; six inch, \$2.25 to 3.25; seven inch, \$5.50 to 6.50.

TIMBER-Market steady at \$2.50 to \$6.50 per M. STAR OFFICE, April 26. SPIRITS TURPENTINE .- Market firm at 271/2 cents per gallon for ma-chine-made casks and 27 cents for country casks. ROSIN.-Market firm at \$1.00 per

bbl for Strained and \$1.05 for Good Strained. TAR.-Market firm at \$1.00 per bbl of 280 fbs. CRUDE TURPENTINE .- Market steady at \$1.25 per barrel for Hard, \$1.80 for Dip, and \$1.90 for Virgin. Quotations same day last year.— Spirits turpentine, steady, 26¼, 25¾c; rosin dull, \$1.30, \$1.35; tar firm, \$1.00; crude turpentine steady, \$1.20, \$1.70, \$1.90.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits Turpentine..... Rosin Crude Turpentine. 0
Receipts same day last year.—34
casks spirits turpentine, 255 bbls
rosin, 85 bbls tar, 8 bbls crude tur pentine. Market firm on a basis of 5%c per pound for middling. Quotations: Ordinary...... 3 7-16 cts. \$\mathcal{B}\$ ib Good Ordinary..... 4\mathcal{M}\$

Low Middling..... 5 7-16 Middling 5% Good Middling 6% Same day last year, middling 71/6c. Receipts-471 bales; same day last year, 6. COUNTRY PRODUCE.

PEANUTS-North Carolina--Prime 40@50c per bushel of 28 pounds; Extra 55c; Fancy, 60c. Virginia-Extra Prime, 55c; Fancy, 60c. CORN.—Firm; 47%@50 cents per ROUGH RICE. \$1.00@1.05 per N. C. BACON.—Steady; nams, 8 to 9c per pound; shoulders, 6 to 7c; sides, 7 to 8c. SHINGLES.—Per thousand, five inch, hearts and saps, \$1.60 to \$2.25; six inch, \$2.25 to \$3.25; seven inch.

TIMBER. - Market steady at \$2.50 to \$6.50 per M. STAR OFFICE, April 27. SPIRITS TURPENTINE .- Market firm at 28c per gallon for machine made casks and 27%c for country ROSIN.-Market firm at \$1.00 per bbl for Strained and \$1.05 for Good Strained

\$5.50 to \$6.50.

TAR.-Market quiet at \$1.00 per bbl of 280 fbs. CRUDE TURPENTINE.-Market steady at \$1.25 per barrel for Hard, \$1.80 for Dip, and \$1.90 for Virgin. Quotations same day last year.— Spirits turpentine firm, 27, 26%c; rosin steady, \$1.25, \$1.30; tar firm \$1.05; crude turpentine steady, \$1.20

\$1.70, \$1.90. Spirits Turpentine Rosin Crude Turpentine.... Receipts same day last year. -47 casks spirits turpentine, 86 bbls rosin, 63 bbls tar, 0 bbls crude tur-COTTON. Market steady on a basis of 5%c.

per pound for middling. Quotations: Ordinary...... 3 7-16 cts. \$ lb Good Ordinary 434 " " Low Middling 5 7-16 " " Middling 5% "
Good Middling 6½ "
Same day last year, middling 7½c.
Receipts—611 bales; same day last year, 14. COUNTRY PRODUCE. PEANUTS-North Carolina--Prime,

10@50c per bushel of 28 pounds; Extra Prime, 55c; Fancy, 60c. Virginia-Extra Prime, 55c; Fancy, 60c. CORN.—Firm; 471/2 to 50 cents per ROUGH RICE. -\$1.00 to \$1.05 per N. C. BACON.—Steady; hams, 8 to oc per pound; shoulders, 6 to 7c; SHINGLES .- Per thousand, inch, hearts and saps, \$1.60 to \$2.25; six inch, \$2.25 to \$3.25; seven inch, \$5.50 to \$6.50. TIMBER. - Market steady at \$2.50 to

\$6.50 per M. Cotton and Naval Stores. WEEKLY STATEMENT.

RECEIPTS. For week ended April 22, 1898 Rosin. Tar. -8.826 1.190 RECEIPTS. For week ended April 28, 1897. EXPORTS. For week ended April 22, 1898. Cotton. Spirits. Rosin. Tar. 850 900 37 2,670 000 000 4,326 10 850 200 4,363 2,680 EXPORTS. For week ended April 23, 1897. Cotton. Spirits. Rosin: 408 255 299 - 000 090 4,040 255 4,339 408 1,943 STOCKS. Ashore and Afloat April 22, 1898. Ashore. Afloat. 7,409 129 30,883 5,191 119 STOCKS. Ashore and Afloat April 23, 1897. Rosin. Tar. 20,550 3,955 Spirite. Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The BEST SAVE in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by R. R. Bellamy.

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COTTON MARKETS.

Chart Fletcher.

NEW YORK

At6 months old

35 Doses - 35 CENTS

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900 DROPS

By Telegraph to the Morning Star. NEW YORK, April 27.—The features of to-day's operations in the cotton market was the liquidation of cotton purchased on the recent sharp advance, started by weak English cables and reports that Southern spot markets were in a reactionary condition. The selling movement was particularly heavy in the May option. In response to Liverpool weakness the market opened easy, with initial sales 3 to 7 points under last night's prices. There was a partial recovery after the call on buying by less confident bears. but the market subsequently developed weakness under lack of support and hammering by the leading shorts. Trading was fairly active and aside from some selling by Liverpool and Southern representatives early in the v was of a local profe ter. The market closed steady with

NEW YORK, April 27.-Cotton was quiet; middling 6 5-16c. Spot cotton closed quiet and 1-160 lower; middling uplands 6 5-16c; middling gulf 6 9-16c; sales 655 bales.

prices showing a net loss of 7

PRODUCE MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star. NEW YORK, April 27.—Flour—The market retained its strength and was fairly active; low grade winter scarce. Wheat—Spot market was firm; No. 2 red \$1 24; No. 1 Northern New York \$1 28; options opened steady but at once went to pieces under heavy liquidation; weakness continued until the afternoon, when efforts to cover disclosed a scarcity of wheat and prices rallied decisively, closing firm at %@ 1c net advance; No. 2 red May \$1 16% @1 221/2, closed \$1 22; July 99c@\$101%, closed \$1 01%; September 87%@90c closed 90c. Corn—Spot firm; No. 1 40¼c; options opened easier on cables and liquidation but later recovered fully on export buying and the jump in wheat; closed unchanged; May 3814@3814c, closed 3814c; July 3914@ 39%c, closed 39%c. Oats—Spot dull No. 2 33 4 @33c; options stronger but quiet, closing 1/2c net higher; May closed 33 1/4c. Lard—the market was firm; Western steam \$5 95; May \$6 02; refined steady. Pork firm. Butter steady; Western creamery 15@17c; do. factory 121/2@15c; Elgins 17c; imitation creamery 141/2@16c; State dairy 14 @16%c; do creamery 15@17. Cheese steady; large fancy 81/4@81/4c. Tallow inactive; city 35c; country 3 9-16@ 3%c as to quality. Cotton seed of strong and more active on export de mand; prime crude 20@201/c, nominal; butter oil 261/@29c. Petro eum was dull. Rice strong. bage Southern \$1 50@1 75. Coffee-Spot Rio firm; No. 7 invoice 7c; No. 7 jobbing 7½c; mild firm; Cordova 8½@ 15½c. Sugar—Raw strong and held

higher; fair refining 3 11-16c; centrifugal 96 test 4 3-16c; refined strong. CHICAGO, April 27.-Cash quotations: Flour was in fair demand and prices unchanged;. Wheat—No. 2 spring \$1 08; No.3 spring \$1 00@1 12½; No.2 red \$1 20. Corn—No.2 33¼@34¼. Oats-No. 2251/c; No. 2 white, free on board 31@31%c; No. 3 white, free on board, 301/2031/4c. Rye—No. 2 591/2. Mess pork per bbl., \$11 20@11 25. Lard, per 100 lbs, \$5 66. rib sides, loose, \$5 35@5 70. Dry salted shoulders, boxed, \$4 75@ 5 00. Short clear sides, boxed, \$5 85@ 6 05. Whiskey, distillers' finished goods, per gallon, \$1 20.

BALTIMORE, April 27.-Flour firm and unchanged. Wheat steady at a decline; spot, month and May \$1.12 14 @1.12½; July 97¼ @98c; steamer No 2 red \$1.08% @1.09; Southern wheat by sample \$1.10@1.13; do on grade \$1.09@1.121/2. Corn firm; spot and month 381/@39c; May 381/@381/c June 38%@38%c; July 39c bid steamer mixed 37%@38c; Southern white and yellow corn 40@41%c. Oats firm; No. 2 white 361/2@37c; No. 2 mixed 34@34%c.

NAVAL STORES MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star. NEW YORK, April 27.-Rosin was steady. Spirits turpentine firm. CHARLESTON, April 27.—Spirits tur pentine firm at 26 1/2 c bid; no sales. Rosin quiet, unchanged; no sales. SAVANNAH, April 27.—Spirits tur-pentine firm at 271/2c; sales 554 casks; receipts 2,447 casks. Rosin firm; sales 241 barrels; receipts 5,923 barrels; A, B, C, D, E \$1 10, F \$1 15, G \$1 30, H \$1 50, I \$1 50, K \$1 50, M \$1 55, N \$1 65, window glass \$1 70, water white **\$1** 80.

Spanish Torpedo Boats Cruising in th Mediterranean.

By Cable to the Morning Star. London, April 28.—According to a special dispatch from Cadiz, the new torpedo-boat destroyer Destructor, accompanied by three torpedo boats, sailed yesterday (Wednesday) for Tarifa and Ceuta, probably to attempt to capture American yachts in the

† Richmond on the noon train to-day.

MARINE.

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ARRIVED. Schr Georgie L Dickson, 509 tons, Anderson, Punta Gorda, Powers, Steamship Croatan, 826 tons, McKee,

New York, H G Smallbones. CLEARED. Nor barque Rigi, 500 tons, Zopfi, London, Heide & Co.

EXPORTS FOR THE WEEK.

FOREIGN.

obls rosin, valued at \$6,528.02. Vessel by Heide & Co; cargo by Murchison COASTWISE.

The quotations are always given as accurately as possible, but the star will not be responsible for any variations from the actual market price of the articles quoted.

WESTERN SMOKED-DRY SALTED—
Sides # D.....
Shoulders # D..... BARRELS-Spirits Turpentine-Second-hand, each...... New New Mork, each..... BEESWAX W D. BRICKS-CORN MEAL-COTTON TIES- & bundle... CANDLES-- B b-Adamantine. CHEESE—P b—
Northern Factory.....
Dairy, Cream..... COFFEE-% b-

Mackerel, No. 1, & barrel... 22 00 Mackerel, No. 1, & half-bbl. 11 00 Mackerel, No. 2, & barrel... 16 00 Mackerel, No. 3, & barrel... 18 00 Mackerel, No. 3, & barrel... 13 00 FLOUR-B D-HIDES-19 To-

AFTER AMERICAN YACHTS.

Mediterranean. Gen. Fitzhugh Lee has been sum-moned to Washington and will leave

deorgetown, H G Smallbones. Nor barque Solid, 507 tons, Wedin, Bristol, Paterson, Downing & Co. Steamship Oneida, 1091 tons, Staples,

Steamship Croatan, 826 tons, McKee, New York, H.G. Smallbones.

London-Nor barque Rigi-4,915

NEW YORK-Steamship Croatan-

86 pkgs mdse, 26 cases cotton flannels. 25 bbls rosin, 35 do spirits. 819 do tar, 29 bales cotton, 148,300 shingles, 130,-000 feet lumber, 15 bags clams, 2

Wholesale Prices Current. The following quotations represent Whole-Prices generally. In making up small orders higher prices have to be charged.

First Patent.

GLUE—

D.

GRAIN—

Dushel—

Corn,from store, bgs—White

Car load, in bags—White...

Oats, from store...

Oats, Rust Proof...

Cow Peas

North Carolina...

INDE W barrel.

LUMBER (city sawed) M ft—
Ship Stuff, resawed.

Rough-edge Plank...

West India cargoes, accord-

SHINGLES, 7-irch, 9 M..... Common. Cypress Saps. SUGAR, 9 D. Standard Gran'd

SUGAR, \$ D-Standard Grand
Standard A.
White Extra C.
Extra C, Golden.
C. Yellow.
SOAP, \$ D-Northern.
STAVES, \$ M-W. O. barrel.
R. O. Hogshead.
TIMBER, \$ M feet—Shipping.

MIL Prime
Mill Fair
Common Mill
Inferior to Ordinary
SHINGLES,N. C. Cypress sawed
M 6x34 heart
Sap
Sap
Sap
Sap

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