nelay in Arrival of Subsistence Stores and Artillery-The Town of Agua: dore Shelled by the Fleet-The Cubans Doing Good Work.

convergited 1898 by the Associated Press.] AT THE FRONT ON THE RIO GUANA SECOND CROSSING, Tuesday June 28. 4P. M. (per the Associated press dispatch boat Dauntless) via Port Antonio. Ja. June 29, 7 A. M., and Kingston. Jamaica, 9:30 A. M.-The preparations for a general advance of the American troops on Santiago de Cuba are being pushed steadily forward and troops of all branches of the service are being hurried to the front.

General Kent's division, consisting of the brigade of General Hawkins, Coionel Pearson and Colonel Worth. has joined General Lawton's division. and with the cavalry division of General Wheeler and four batteries of light artillery, will now be strung out in the rear of General Lawton's

The front still rests on the second crossing of the Rio Guama river, on the road to Santiago de Cuba, in the rear of the Sevilla hills and a mile and a half back. The brigade of General Bates, the Thirty-third Michigan regiment and a battalion of the Thirtyfourth Michigan regiment, which were landed vesterday by the auxiliary cruiser Yale, remain at Juragua or

Forward Movement Delayed.

The delay in the general forward movement is due to the inability to get subsistence stores to the front rapidly enough. The advance, it is said, will not be ordered until every man has three days rations in his knapsack. This, however, is impossible until the road is passable for wagon trains. The pack trains can only convey one day's rations in a The men constructing the bridge roads have the work almost completed and this afternoon the first wagon train of four 6-mule teams will go through. In two or three days more every man will have three days rations in his knapsack and as soon as that occurs the army will move upon the enemy. The day has been utilized to good ad-

vantage. Although the Cubans affect to have a thorough knowledge of the taken for granted and the whole country, front and flank, is being thoroughreconnoitred and an accurate man has been made by the engineers. Much of the information thus obtained will be of inestimable value.

Scouting Parties.

Last night, General Mendonca, of General Lawton's staff, made a reconnoissance up to the very trenches of the enemy, their sentries talking on picket duty being plainly heard. Corporal Dawey and nine sharpshooters from the Seventh infantry went out at dark last night, with one day's rations, toward the Spanish lines and they have not yet returned, but no Paris entertained for their safety. It is believed they are probably lying in the bush waiting for night.

At daylight this morning, Lieu-tenant Smith, of the Fourth infantry, with a detail of fifty men from the Seventh infantry, under Lieutenant Dearfoe, crossed the San Juan and went in a northeasterly direction as far as Caney-or El Gaumey as it is marked on the maps-without encountering any Spanish troops, and fifty men of company A, Seventh regiment, under Captain Young, also made a reconnoissance in force. spaniards have seemingly retired to heir entrenchments, as no pickets or skirmishers were encountered.

General Lawton, General Wheeler and General Chaffee have had riders out beyond our advance posts several

Captain Wright, of General Bates staff, today followed the line of the railroad running out of Juragua toward Santiago de Cuba, to within two and one half miles of the city. The road approaches within a mile and one half of our front and can be utilized to bring up supplies and siege guns; the first of which were landed at Bauquiri this afternoon.

Shelling Aguidores.

As soon as the remaining battalion the Thirty-fourth Michigan and Eighth Massachusetts, which arrive on he Harvard to-morrow, and the six housand reinforcements sent out from Tampa, reach here, Aguidores, a town on the coast, four miles west of Juragua and about the same distance east of the harbor entrance, will be taken. The place was shelled to-day by several ships of the fleet, Aguidores is on the line of the advance of the army into the interior and close to the railroad. It will then probably become the base of operations, while the supply bases may remain at Juragua Saptain Wright, on his reconnoissance, obtained information, which is believed to be reliable, to the effect that three thousand Spanish troops have been sent to reinforce the garrison at Aguidores.

General Lawton will probably make a diversion with his artillery, so soon as it is placed in position. Heavy rain this afternoon made it impossible to move to-day beyond General Wheeler's headquarters. But the roads will dry quickly, the guns will probably be brought to-morrow, and the in-trenchments will be shelled by the artillery and by Colonel, Wood's dynamite guns. The shrapnell fire will be more used by the artillery. The guns are thirty-two ten-inches and with shrapnell, they are effective at

Spaniards Fear Dynamite. The Cubans say the Spaniards are deadly fear of dynamite, and Gen. lawton will see how he can terrify

Simultaneously with the bombard-ment, General Chaffee's brigade will move forward and occupy a position of vital importance in advance of our front. The correspondent of the Associated Press is not permitted at pres-

ent to divulge its location. The military telegraph line has been completed as far as General Wheeler's headquarters, thus placing the front in direct communication with Gen. Shaf-ter, who still maintains his headquarters on board the Seguranca, where he can keep in close touch with Rear Ad miral Sampson. It is probable, how-ever, that he will establish his headquarters at Juragua to-morrow or

Cubans Do Good Work.

The Cubans under General Castillo are doing commendable work as advance pickets. They are thrown out, day and night, from half a mile to a mile in advance of our pickets, along the front and flanks, thus forming a double cordon about the army. There are now more than thirteen thousand men at the front.

men at the front.

Drinking water for the troops at the front is obtained from the Rio Gurma, a stream full of springs, running direct from the mountains. The water is remarkably good and is now carefully guarded from pollution. The Cubans and our soldiers bathed in it at first, but strict orders have been issued against such practices in the future and sentinels have been placed to enforce the orders.

Strict orders have also been issued about eating the great variety of tropical fruits, mangoes, oranges, etc., in which the woods abound, the only exception being made in the cases of milk from green cocoanuts, which is con-sidered healthy and refreshing, and limes. Some of our men made themselves sick through eating fruit. An epidemic of measles, which was started on board one or two transports, is spreading to the camp and about twenty new cases have broken out to-day. The disease is not dangerous, but the men attacked have been sent to the rear, where they have airy quarters.

Soldiers Cheerful Our boys are cheerful in spite of the excessive heat and the hard fare which thus far has been confined exclusively to coffee, hard tack and bacon, a die hardly suited for the climate. Rice would make a splendid staple here. But the great deprivation is that both men and officers are suffering from the lack of tobacco.

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The men are remarkably steady and confident. The pickets show none of the nervousness which might be expected and there are practically no alarms or "phantom firing" on the lines at night. Two reconnoitring parties, one of the Ninth cavalry and the other than the process. the other the Twenty-fourth infantry. collided this morning, and several shots were exchanged, fortunately, without accident, before their identity

Santiago's Water Supply.

SIBONY, PROVINCE OF SANTIAGO DE CUBA, June 28, via Kingston, Ja., June 29, 10:30 A. M.—It is reported here to-night, on apparently good authority, that the water supply of Santiago de Cuba has been cut off. If this proves true, the city is at our

General Wheeler to-day forwarded his official report of the encounter between the Spaniards and Colonel Young's and Colonel Wood's commands. The officers are highly com-plimented for their dash and courage. The general says there is absolutel no warrant for the statement that our troops were ambushed. He says the attack was deliberately planned, from knowledge in his possession the night before.

The Flying Squadron.

[Copyrighted 1898 by the Associated Press.] PATCH BOAT DAUNTLESS, OFF SAN-TIAGO DE CUBA, Tuesday, June 28, night, via Port Antonio, Jamaica, Wednesday morning, June 29, by way of Kingston, Jamaica, June 29 1 P. M.—The flying squadron, hith-erto commanded by Commodore Schley, has lost its identity by an order issued to-day by Rear Admiral Sampson, and it has been merged into the fleet under the admiral. The order caused considerable surprise on board the Brooklyn, which has been the flagship of the flying squadron, where it was supposed the squadron would remain intact, at least until the fall of Santiago de Cuba. Commodore Schley has been assigned to command the second squadron, attached to Admiral Sampson's fleet.

Gen. Pando's Forces.

From two Cuban officers picked up by the Vixen to-day it has been learned that General Pando is moving eastward from Manzanillo with Spanish troops for the purpose of assisting the beleaguered city of Santiago de Cuba. The Cubans had come to Aserradoes, in small boats, with dispatches from General Rios for Admiral Sampson and General Rabi. They report that General Pando has with him seven battalions (numbering 8,700 men) with cattle and a pack train with provisions. He left Manzanillo, province of Santiago de Cuba on June 22nd, to relieve Genera Linares. The Spaniards were moving at the rate of twelve miles a day when the messengers left and, at their present speed, it is expected they will reach Santiago de Cuba next Sunday,

July 3rd. The Cubans have a small force hauging on the Spanish flank and rear, and are harassing Gen. Pando's troops at every step. Manzanillo is 172 miles west of Santiago de Cuba, and the roads are in bad condition The Cubans say that if Gen. Pando reaches his goal it will be with less than half the force he started with The Cubans who are harassing him only number about 200 men, but in the passes and in the bush they are at a great advantage. It is probable that immediate steps will be taken to throw a force of Americans and Cubans between General Pando and General Linares. Pressed as the latter is on the east, he could not spare a man for a sortie to the west.

Admiral Sampson has ascertained that Admiral Cervera's fleet has moved into the upper harbor of Santiago de General Shafter, in his dispatches

the Secretary of War, complimented the fleet for its assistance in landing With the soldiers landed from the Vale vesterday and General Garcia's army transported from the westward 21,000 men in all have been disem barked in the vicinity of Santiago de

SAILED FOR MANILA.

Departure of Gen. Merritt and Staff From San Francisco.

By Cable to the Morning Star. San Francisco, June 29.-The speedy steamer Newport, bearing Major General Wesley Merritt, military governor of the Philippines, and his staff, beside the Astor light battery and com-panies H and K of the Third United States artillery, and detachments from the Signal Corps, sailed to-day for

overtake the third fleet of transports, which sailed on Monday, after the fleet reaches Honolulu, where the vessels will coal and take on fresh supplies before proceeding to Manila. General Merritt is very anxious to avoid an encounter with any vessel of the Spanish navy and will issue orders to the fleet at Honolulu to make all possible speed.

Relief in Six Hours.

Distressing Kidney and Bladder dis-eases relieved in six hours by the "New Great South American Kidney Cure." The troops belonging to General Lawton's division are kept ready to move, in light marching order, while the reconnoitring parties are out. This precaution is considered necessary in order to avoid disaster in case the small parties of troops should collide with the Spaniards in force. Not a single skirmish has occurred thus far.

This new remedy is a great surprise on account of its exceeding promptness in relieving pain in the bladder, kidney, back and every part of the urinary passages in male or female. It relieves passages in male or female. It relieves ing it almost immediately. If you want quick relief and cure, this is your remedy. Sold by R. R. Bellamy, Druggist, Wilmington, N. C., corner of Front and Market streets. This new remedy is a great surprise on

SHAFTER MUST

FIGHT SOON.

Opinion in Washington that Within a Day or Two He Will Attack Santiago.

SPANISH REINFORCEMENTS. Eight Thousand of Pando's Forces Are Expected to Reach Santiago Sunday and Other Reinforcements for the Spaniards Expected.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, June 29.—The opinion prevails here that within a day or two at most, General Shafter will have begun bis attack upon the city of Santiago proper. The important event of the day was the general's announcement that he could take the city in forty-eight hours, but at considerable loss. Taken in connection with the announcement contained in another dispatch that he is going to attack without awaiting reinforcements, it will be seen that the officials have ground for their expectation that the first general engagement of the war will begin in a very short time. Numerically, the opposing armies are not very different, the estimate of the Spanish force being placed at 14,000 men thoroughly entrenched and behind barbed wire fences and block houses, as against about 18,000 men unde Shafter's command, aided by 4,000 Cubans. One of the gravest elements in the problem, however, is the Spanish warships, for unless Shafter is materially assisted by Sampson, who might engage the full attention of the Spanish ships, their fire upon the American advance officers say would bevery hard to meet.

Shafter Must Fight Soon.

The military authorities here say that General Linares has shown great military tact in slowly retiring during the last few days, as he has gradually drawn our troops away from the protection of the American ships and brought them close to the fire of the Spanish ships in Santiago harbor. For this reason, it was with relief that the announcement was received here that Shafter had succeeded in landing all of his artillery including his siege train, for unless Sampson can be relied upon to force his way into the harbor and attack the Spanish ships, the siege guns, planted on heights commanding the bay, will be the main reliance of General Shafter in off-setting the presence of the Spanish ironclads. Undoubtedly Shafter is animated to attack as soon as possible by his knowledge of the approach of Manzanillo, for with this additional force Shafter's position would be disagreeable if not perilous, at least until he had received reinforcements. The War Department received the first definite news to-day as to the approach of these Spanish reinforcements. This was in an official dispatch, stating that 8,000 men with pack trains and droves of animals were advancing from Manzanillo and were fifty-four miles from Santiago, It has been known through reports from Lieutenant Joyce, made to Gen. Miles, that the Spaniards have 12,000 men at Manzanillo and 10,000 at Holguin, and every precaution has been taken to guard against their advance from either quarter. The official report to-day showed that 8,-000 of those at Manzanillo had cov-vered half the distance to Santiago, and it is the belief of military officials here that General Pando is making similar advance with his 10,000 men from Holguin. These advances, now practically unopposed, are regarded as one of the most serious phases of

the situation. There is the further elementito which the military authorities are giving careful attention, that one man intrenched behind earthworks or in rifle pits, is worth three men in the open. It is said that the battles of Chancellorsville and Spottsylvania afford the most direct proof on this

It was announced at the War Department that by their reports 3,000 soldiers should be leaving Tampa today to join Shafter. They will be three or four days on the voyage and it is probable that it is this force that General Shafter refers to as likely to arrive too late for his action.

A Message from Dewey.

The Navy Department to-day gave out a message from Admiral Dewey which was brought to Hong Kong by the McCulloch, so that it must have left Cavite on the 23rd. The admiral made no reference to the landing of German marines and the officials here are satisfied that Germany is acting in good faith and according to the rules

of neutrality. The report that the Egyptian gov ernment had finally refused coal to Camara's fleet at Port Said has not yet been officially confirmed, but its accuracy is not questioned. There is still some doubt whether this refusal in itself will operate to prevent the further movement of the Spanish squadron towards the Philippines, as Madrid advices alleged a purpose on the part of the Spanish government to send additional colliers with the expedition to overcome the refusal of he various ports along the way to the Philippines to supply coal. There is a strong impression, however, that the Spanish government will avail itself of the pretext afforded by this refusal to turn the fleet back to Spain.

TENNESSEE DEMOCRATS.

McMillin Nominated for Governor-Chicago Platform Reaffirmed.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star. CHATTANOOGA, TENN., June 29 .-Hon. Benton McMillin was nominated for Governor of Tennessee to night by the Democratic State Convention. The nomination was made by acclamation amid great enthusiasm. The platform endorses the enunciation of principles of the Chicago platform, and declares for the money of the constitution by a law providing for the free and unlimited coinage of silver at a ratio of 16 to 1, without waiting for the consent of any other nation; opposes the bond issue for raising war funds, and declares that non-interest bearing Treasury warrants would furnish a circulating medium that would ac-complish all that was required in prose-cuting war, and also declares that ob-ligations of the United States should be paid in either gold or silver at the option of the government and not the

creditor.

RUMORS FROM SANTIAGO.

WILMINGTON MARKET.

STAR OFFICE, June 23. [Copyrighted 1898 by the Associated Press.] KINGSTON, JA., June 29, 11 P. M .country casks.

ROSIN.—Market firm at \$1.00 per bbl for Strained and \$1.05 for Good The Spanish consul here has received a cablegram from Santiago de Cuba,

asserting that the United States cruiser TAR.—Market steady at \$1.30 Brooklyn has been struck by a Spanish bbl of 280 lbs. CRUDE TURPENTINE.—Market shell, which sank the vessel and killed Commodore Schley and twenty-four quiet at \$1.00 per barrel for Hard, \$1.60 for Dip, and \$1.70 for Virgin.

The Spanish consul really believes the "news," and the Spaniards all over the city are drinking champagne Quotations same day last year.— Spirits turpentine steady, 24%, 24%c; rosin firm, \$1.25, \$1.30; tar firm, \$1.05; crude turpentine firm, \$1.30, and rejoicing.

It has also been reported to the Spanish consul from Santiago that an \$1.80, \$1.90. RECEIPTS. extensive mine has been laid which Spirits Turpentine..... will blow up half the American army

ear, 0.

when it enters the city. WASHINGTON, June 30.-At 1.15 o'clock this morning when officers on duty at the Navy Department were shown a copy of the above dispatch, they expressed disbelief in the story. Not a word has been received from Admiral Sampson, they said, since Tuesday night, and the officers regard it as certain that had anything of the kind recounted in the dispatch hap-pened, the admiral would immediately have informed the department.

U. S. Cruiser Brooklyn Said to Have Been

Sunk and Commodore Schley

and Seamed Killed.

KINGSTON, JA., June 29, 9.30 P. M. Senor Shavez, formerly secretary to Governor-General Blanco but now a Spanish agent in Jamaica, has chartered two English schooners, the Gov ernor Blake and the Ocean Flower, to convey food to Manzanillo for the Spanish troops. The vessels are now loading at Mon-

tego bay.

Admiral Sampson has been notified and they will probably be turned back by an American cruiser.

THE SITUATION AT MANILLA

Advices Received in Washington from Admiral Dewey-Reports from Madrid. Desperate Fighting Expected.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star. WASHINGTON, June 29.-The Navy Department to-day made public the following cablegram from Admiral Dewey, brought by the McCulloch to Hong Kong and, though, undated. supposed to have been sent from Ca-

vite June 23rd "No change in the situation since my telegram of June 17th. Five German, three British, one French and one Japanese men-of-war in port. The insurgents are constantly closing in on the city. Aguinaldo, the insurgent leader, with thirteen of his staff, arrived May 18th, by my permission, on the Nanshan. He established himself at Cavite, outside of the arsenal, under the protection of our guns, and organized his army. The progress of Aguihaldo has been wonderful. variably conducted the war humanely. My relations with him are cordial, but my conferences have generally been only of a personal nature."

Spaniards Determined

MADRID, June 29, 10 A. M.-Dispatches received from Manila to-day under date of June. 24th say the Spaniards are determined to fight to the death and that there is every reason to believe that when the Americans arrive, desperate fighting will occur on land and sea.

It is supposed at Manila that the

German warships will prevent the bombardment of that place and it is alleged that Prince Henry, of Prussia, is on his way there, on board a war General Aguinaldo, the insurgent

leader, declares that the family of Captain General Augusti, who are prisoners in his hands, are at Pan Panga and are well treated.

SPAIN'S THIRD SOUADRON

Camara's Ships Said to Have Begun Passage of the Suez Canal.

By Cable to the Morning Star. MADRID, June 29.-In an interview this afternoon Lieutenant General Correa, minister of war, said the government had no special news from Cuba but took a favorable view of the situation. He asserted that Admiral Camara's squadron had begun the passage of the Suez canal.

It is announced that the Vittoria the Numancia, the Alfonso XIII and the Lepanto, all armored cruisers, are ready to form the third squadron. The armored cruiser Cardenal Cisneros and the torpedo gunboat Dona Maria de Molina, with several auxiliary cruisers and torpedo boats that are to be included, will be ready shortly.

PIPKIN'S EXCURSION.

From Wilmington to Washingto City, July 19th.

What promises to be the most enoyable excursion of the season is that to be run from this city to Washington, D. C., on July 19th, leaving here on the morning of that date and taking on passengers at every station between here and Tarboro inclusive. The fare for the round trip from this city and all stations south of Goldsboro is \$6.00, or \$3.00 to Norfolk and return; and from Goldsboro and all stations between Goldsboro and Tarboro inclusive \$5.50, or \$2.50 to Norfolk and return. Pipkin's excursions are noted for safety, comfort and en-joyment. The schedule gives you two whole days and one night in Washington city. For white people only. R. E. PIPKIN, Manager. Goldsboro, N. C.

MESSAGE FROM HOBSON.

A Cablegram Received by the Father of the Lieutenant.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star. BIRMINGHAM, ALA., June 29.-The age-Herald will print to-morrow a special dispatch from Greensboro, Ala., the home of Judge Hobson, father of the hero of the Merrimac adventure at Santiago, giving a cablegram received from his son at Santiago to-day. The cablegram reads: "Santiago de Cuba, June 28.—My health continues good. Feel no uneasiness about me.

Steps have been taken to make Fort Monroe an important hospital point, and it is said that 600 sick and wounded soldiers from the South will be sent there as soon as the arrangements are completed.

THE MODERN BEAUTY

Thrives on good food and sunshine with plenty of exercise in the open air. with plenty of exercise in the open air. Her form glows with health and her face blooms with its beauty. If her system needs the cleansing action of a laxative remedy, she uses the gentle and pleasant Syrup of Figs. Made by the California Fig Syrup Co. only.

CASTORIA. The Kind You Have Always Bought

COMMERCIAL

SPIRITS TURPENTINE.-Market steady at 23% cents per gallon for ma-chine-made casks and 23 cents for ear, 0.

Middling 5% " "
Good Middling 6% " "
Same day last year, middling 7%c.
Receipts—17 bales; same day last

PEANUTS-North Carolina-Prime, 60@65c per bushel of 28 pounds; Extra Prime, 70c; Fancy, 75c. Virginia— Extra Prime, 75c; Fancy, 75c; Spanish, CORN.-Firm: 55 to 571/2 cents per

ROUGH RICE.-\$1.00 to \$1.05 per N. C. BACON.—Steady; hams, 10 to 11c per pound; shoulders, 6 to 7c; 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, June 24. SPIRITS TURPENTINE.-Market firm at 231/2 cents per gallon for ma-chine-made casks and 23 cents for

country casks.

ROSIN.—Market firm at \$1.00 per obl for Strained and \$1.05 for Good TAR.-Market steady at \$1.30 per bbl of 280 fbs.

CRUDE TURPENTINE .- Market quiet at \$1.00 per barrel for Hard, \$1.60 for Dip, and \$1.70 for Virgin. Quotations same day last year.— Spirits turpentine quiet, 24%c, 24%c; rosin, steady, \$1.25, \$1.30; tar firm, \$1.05; crude turpentine firm, \$1.30, \$1.80, \$1.90. RECEIPTS.

Spirits Turpentine..... casks spirits turpentine, 238 bbls rosin, 75 bbls tar, 62 bbls crude tur pentine.

COTTON. Good Ordinary..... 4% Low Middling 5 7-16 " Middling 5% Good Middling 6%

Same day last year, middling 73/6c. Receipts—0 bales; same day last COUNTRY PRODUCE. PEANUTS-North Carolina-Prime, 60@65c per bushel of 28 pounds; Extra Prime, 70c; Fancy, 75c. Virginia— Extra Prime, 75c; Fancy, 75c; Spanish,

CORN.-Firm; 55@571/2 cents per ROUGH RICE.-\$1.00@1.05 N. C. BACON.-Steady; hams, 10 to 11c per pound; shoulders, 6 to 7c; 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, June 25. SPIRITS TURPENTINE.-Market firm at 231/2 cents per gallon for machine-made casks and 23 cents for country casks.

ROSIN.—Market firm at \$1.00 per

bbl for Strained and \$1.05 for Good Strained. TAR.-Market steady at \$1.30 per bbl of 280 fbs. CRUDE TURPENTINE.-Market niet at \$1.00 per barrel for Hard, \$1.50 for Dip, and \$1.50 for Virgin. Quotations same day last year.-Spirits turpentine quiet, 24%c, 24%c; rosin steady, \$1.25, \$1.30; tar steady

\$1.10; crude turpentine quiet, \$1.30, \$1.80, \$1.90. RECEIPTS. Spirits Turpentine..... Rosin Crude Turpentine.....

Receipts same day last year.-147 casks spirits turpentine, 446 bbls rosin, 52 bbls tar, 54 bbls crude turpentine

COTTON. Market firm on a basis of 5%c per pound for middling. Quotations: Ordinary....... 3 7-16 cts. \$\mathcal{P}\$ lb. Good Ordinary 434 Low Middling.... 5 7-16 Middling..... 5% Good Middling... 6%

Same day last year, middling 7%c. Receipts-8 bales; same day last year, 1. COUNTRY PRODUCE.

PEANUTS-North Carolina-Prime 60@65c per bushel of 28 pounds; Extra Prime, 70c; Fancy, 75. Virginia—Extra Prime, 75c; Fancy, 75c; Spanish, 70 CORN-Firm; 55@571/2 cents per ROUGH RICE-\$1.00@1.05 per

N. C. BACON-steady; hams 10 to 11c 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, June 27. SPIRITS TURPENTINE-Market firm at 23½ cents per gallon for machine-made casks and 23 cents bid for country casks.

ROSIN.—Market firm at \$1.00 per bbl for Strained and \$1.05 for Good

Strained. TAR.-Market steady at \$1.30 per bbl of 280 fbs. CRUDE TURPENTINE.-Market steady at \$1.00 per barrel for Hard, \$1.60 for Dip, and \$1.70 for Virgin. Quotations same day last year.— Spirits turpentine steady, 24½c, 24c; rosin steady, \$1.25, \$1.30; tar firm, \$1.05; crude turpentine firm, \$1.30, \$1.80, \$1.90.

RECEIPTS.

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COUNTRY PRODUCE.

PEANUTS-North Carolina-Prime, 60@65c per bushel of 28 pounds; Extra Prime, 70c; Fancy, 75c. Virginia— Extra Prime, 75c; Fancy, 75c; Spanish, CORN.-Firm; 55@57% cents per

ROUGH RICE .- \$1,00@1.05 per N. C. BACON.—Steady; hams, 10 to 11c per pound; shoulders, 6 to 7c; 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, June 28. SPIRITS TURPENTINE -- Market firm at 231/2 cents per gallon for machine-made casks and 23 cents for country casks.

ROSIN.—Market firm at \$1.00 per bbl for strained and \$1.05 for good strained. TAR.-Market steady at \$1.30 per bbl of 280 lbs.
CRUDE TURPENTINE.—Market steady at \$1.00 per barrel for Hard, \$1.60 for Dip, and \$1.70 for Virgin. Quotations same day last year:— Spirits turpentine dull, 24½, 24c; rosin steady, \$1.25, \$1.30; tar firm,

\$1.05; crude turpentine firm, \$1.30, \$1.80, \$1.90. RECEIPTS. Spirits turpentine..... pentine.

Market steady on a basis of 5%c per pound for middling. Quotations: Good Ordinary..... 3 7-16 cts # 15 Good Ordinary 4 " " " " Low Middling, 5 7-16 " " Middling...... 5%

Good Middling..... 6%

Same day last year, middling 7%c.

Receipts—1 bales; same day last

COUNTRY PRODUCE PEANUTS - North Carolina rime, 60 to 65c per bushel of 28 ounds; extra prime, 70c; fancy, 75c. irginia-Extra prime, 75c; fancy, 75c; Spanish, 70@80c. CORN-Firm; 55 to 571/2 cents per

ROUGH RICE-\$1.00 to 1.05 per bushel. N. C. BACON—Steady; hams 10 to 11c 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

6.50 per M. STAR OFFICE, June 29. SPIRITS TURPENTINE .- Market firm at 23 ½ cents per gallon for machine-made casks and 23 cents for country casks. ROSIN.-Market firm at \$1.00 per

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\$1.05; crude turpentine quiet, \$1.30 \$1.80, \$1.90. Spirits turpentine.....

pentine. Market firm on a basis of 5%c Good Ordinary 4% Low Middling..... 5 7-16 " " Middling..... 57/8 Good Middling..... 63% Same day last year, middling 7%c. Receipts—0 bales; same day last

year, 0. PEANUTS-North Carolina--Prime 60 to 65c per bushel of 28 pounds; Extra Prime, 70c; Fancy, 75c. Virginia
—Extra Prime, 75c; Fancy, 75c; Spansh CORN-Firm; 55 to 571/2 cents per ROUGH RICE.-\$1.00 to 1.05 per

11c per pound; shoulders, 6 to 7c; SHINGLES .- Per thousand, fiveinch, 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

N. C. BACON.-Steady; hams, 10 to

Cotton and Naval Stores.

WEEKLY STATEMENT.

RECEIPTS. For week ended June 24, 1898. RECEIPTS. For week ended June 25, 1897. EXPORTS. For week ended June 24, 1898 Cotton, Spirits, Rosin, Tar. 350 897 45 1,163 000 000 00 000 897 350 EXPORTS. For week ended June 25, 1897. STOCKS. Ashore and Afloat June 24, 1898

Ashore and Affost June 25, 1807 Rosin. Tar. 28 014 4 368 EXPORTS FOR THE WEEK.

STOCKS.

COASTWISE. NEW YORK-Steamship Benefactor -678 bbls spirits turpentine, 362 do rosin, 618 do tar, 33 cases cotton flannels, 40 bales warps, 85 pkgs mdse.

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AN OPEN LETTER To MOTHERS.

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reh 24, 1898. Benul Pitches m. D. Do Not Be Deceived.

Do not endanger the life of your child by accepting a cheap substitute which some druggist may offer you (because he makes a few more pennies on it), the ingredients of which even he does not know.

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COTTON MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star NEW YORK, June 29.-Speculation in cotton to-day was limited to small lots, more for the closing out of obligations than a desire to make new ventures. The opening was dull at unchanged prices to 1 point advance. After sagging off 2 to 3 points under general lack of speculative support, the market became flat and showed little energy throughout the balance of the session. The close was easy at a net loss of 1 to 4 points.

NEW YORK, June 29.—Cotton quiet: middling uplands 6%c.

Cotton futures closed easy; sales 26,900 bales: June nominal, July 6.17c, August 6.18c, September 6.07c, October 6.10c, November 6.05c, December 6.07c. January 6.10c, February 6.13c, March

Spot cotton market closed quiet; middling uplands 6%c; middling gulf 6%c; Net receipts 394 bales; gross receipts bales; exports to Great Britain

5,110 bales; exports to the Continent

spinners 807 bales; stock (actual) 103, Total to-day-Net receipts 3,129 ales; exports to Great Britain 5,116 bales; exports to the Continent 209 bales; stock 309,455 bales.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star. NEW YORK, June 29 .- Flour was more strongly held and fairly active; Minnesota patents \$4 70@5 00. Wheat -Spot firm; No. 2 red 8c; options were strong and moderately active all day but sentiment received encouragemen from continued bad crop reports, fair export trade, higher cables and unfavorable crop rumors from France; closed at 2@2%c net advance; No. 2 red July closed 80c; September closed 7314c; December closed 73%c. Corn-Spot firm; No. 2 371/2c; options, like wheat, were strong and higher after a firm opening and closed at 1/0 1/4c net advance, covering on higher cables and the bulge in wheat were features July closed 36c; September closed 37%c; December closed 38c. Oats— Spot firmer; No. 2 25 1/2c; options were stronger on covering by yesterday's sellers and closed ic net higher; July closed 25c. Lard dull; Western steam \$5 70; city \$5 00@4 10; July closed \$5 67, nominal; refined steady. Pork steady. Butter-market was steady Western creamery 131/217c; do. factory 11@121/2 Elgins 17c; imitation creamery 12@14%c; State dairy 12@ 6c; do. creamery 131/2@161/c. Cheese easier; large white 73/6073/c. Petro-leum steady. Rice steady. Cotton seed oil extremely nominal and featureless prime crude f. o. b. mills 17@18c prime summer yellow 24@24%c. Pea-nuts firm. Coffee—Spot Rio dull and

nominal; holiday. Sugar—Raw easy: refined quiet and unchanged. CHICAGO, June 29.—Persistent and numerous bad crop reports started shorts to cover in battalions to-day and the best rally in wheat since the Leiter collapse took place. July closed 1s chigher and September 2sc. Cornadvanced s and oats 1sc. In provisions pork left off unchanged Lard 21c lower and ribs 21c higher.

CHICAGO, June 29.—Cash quota tions: Flour-the market was dull Wheat—No. 2 spring 78@80c; No. 3 spring 70@80c; No. 2 red 78@79c. Corn—No.231%@31%c. Oats—No. 2 21 1/2c; No. 2 white free on board, 24@ 25c; No.3 white free on board, 231/@24. Rye-No.2 42 1/2 @43. Mess pork, per \$9 50@9 55. Lard, per 100 lbs., \$5 37 1/2 @5 40. Short rib sides, loose, \$5 25@ 5 50. Dry salted shoulders, boxed \$4 50@5 75. Short clear sides, boxed The leading futures ranged as follows, opening, highest, lowest and closing: Wheat-No. 2 June 7914, 7914.

closing: Wheat—No. 2 June 79%, 79%, 79%, 79%; 79%; 79%; July 71%, 73%; 71%, 73%; September 66%, 69, 66%, 68%c; December 67%, 69%, 67, 69%c. Corn—July 31%, 31%, 31%, 32%c; September 32%, 33%, 31%, 32%c; December 32%, 33%, 31%, 32%c. Oats—July 20%, 22, 20%, 31%, 32%c. 21%; September 19%, 20%, 19%, 20% Pork, per bbl.—July \$9 42, 9 45,9 42% 9 421/4; September \$9 60, 9 721/4, 9 721/4 Lard, per 100 hs-July \$5 375 5 40, 5 32½, 5 57½; September \$5 50, 5 5½, 5 40, 5 50. Ribs, per 100 lbs.—July \$5 32½, 5 37½, 5 37½, 5 37½, 5 37½; September \$5 40, 5 45, 5 37½, 5 45. BALTIMORE, June 29 .- Flour dull and unchanged. Wheat firmer and month 81c bid; July 78@79c bid; August 74@74%c; Southern wheat by sample 72@73c. Corn firmer; spot and month 33%@34c; July 34@34%c; August 34%@34%c; September 35%c bid; Southern white corn 36c; do yel-low 36c. Oats steady; No. 2 white 30%

CASTORIA For Infants and Children. The Kind You Have Always Bought Bears the Signature of Chart Witches

Schr Madalene Cooney, 751 tons, Benner, Punta Gorda, Geo Harriss, 209 bales; sales 1,957 bales; sales to Steamship Croatan, 826 tons, McKee, New York, H G Smallbones. CLEARED. Steamship Benefactor, 637 tons Hale, Georgetown, H G Smallbones,

> Steamship Croatan, 826 tons, McKee, Georgetown, H G Smallbones. Wholesale Prices Current.

Hale, New York, H G Smallbones.

NAVAL STORES MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

Spirits turpentine quiet.

NEW YORK, June 29. -Rosin quiet.

CHARLESTON, June 29 .- Spirits tur-

pentine firm at 23 1/4c; no sales. Rosin

SAVANNAH, June 28.—Spirits tur-pentine firm at 23½; sales 258 casks; receipts 2,466 casks. Rosin firm; sales

1,975 barrels; receipts 4,100 barrels;

A, B, C 95c, D \$1 00, E \$1 10, F, \$1 20, G \$1 30, H \$1 45, I \$1 45, K \$1 50, M \$1 50, N \$1 70, W G \$175, W W \$1 85.

MARINE.

Schr Emma S, 60 tons, Cahoon,

Townsend, Philadelphia, Geo Harriss,

Schr The Josephine, 608 tons, Town-

send, Baltimore, Geo Harriss, Son

Norfolk, Geo Harriss, Son & Co,

quiet and unchanged; no sales.

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

WESTERN SMOKED-DRY SALTED-BARRELS Spirits Turpentine-New City, each..... BEESWAX # D..... BRICKS— Wilmington 9 M..... Northern North Carolina 7 D...... CORN MEAL-Per bushel, in sacks... Virginia Meal..... COTTON TIES- & bundle....

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Corn, from store, bgs—White Car load, in bags—White... Oats, from store.... Oats, Rust Proof...

AY, \$ 100 Ds

IME 8 barrel 1 15 6 1 25

UMBER (city sawed) 8 M ft—
Ship Stuff, resawed 18 00 6 20 00

Rough-edge Plank 15 00 6 16 00

West India cargoes, according to capality

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Mill, Prime.
Mill, Fair
Common Mill.
Inferior to Ordinary.
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