"IGNORANCE AND POVERTY." Musselwhite Replies to the Aspersions of Edmond.

HOWELLSVILLE, N. C., Aug. 20. To the Public-Perhaps the above heading is the first of its kind ever seen with reference to the good old town-ship of Howellsville, Robeson county. The charge is correct; we have ignorance, and of poverty we have a safe abundance. But thank heaven neither

In last week's issues of the Populist and the Caucasian Mr. S. A. Edmond. the honorable Clerk of the Superior Court of Robeson county, in the most court of Robeson county, in the most ridiculous sarcasm and irony assails the intelligence, or rather the ignorance and poverty of my neighbor, Mr. Joe M. Wilson, and myself. I shall speak more pertinently of myself. Mr. Wilson is capable and able to stand his own ground.

This man of intelligence and learning, high in honor and much to be praised, says I am a man of little inelligence. Poverty is at my door, etc., all of which I confess with a deep eeling of sadness and regret, and never before did I show this ignorance more plainly than the day I became a member of the Populist delegation from Howellsville township that helped nominate this man for the office he now fills,—though with shame to the name of Robeson county, l again reaffirmed my ignorance by doing all in my power to elect him. I am perhaps as he says far below the average in intelligence, but like many other honest men—I joined the Populist list party with honest pride and purpose of heart. I put faith in its leaders. It was pictured to me in glowing colors as the party of the poor, through its medium happiness and prosperity were to come to our county, its mission was to fight for the people and for the reform of abuses against which the people have complained; its platform was built on principles of justice and right-We find to day that it has through its mercen-ary leaders like Mr. Edmond, sold its hirthright lockstock and barrel to the Republican party, with its voters as so many slaves.

And now because the honest white men are turning back to the Democratic party, refusing to follow these unprincipled, traitorous leaders, who are willing to sacrifice every princple for a piece of pie, their circumstances in life must be ridiculed through the

medium of the press.
This honorable Mr. Edmond, leader of his party; a member of the State Executive Committee of the Populist party; a man who four years ago claimed to be the poor man's friend, is the first man of any party in Robeson county ever known to ridicule and make light of the poverty of his race. Yes, we are poor; but sometimes amid the hovels of the poor onesty of life, purity of chavirtue abounds. an poor-not able to wear fine clothes-but I helped buy those of Mr. Edmond's. I am not able to build fine houses in town but helped build his. I am ignorant but was considered of sufficient intelligence to be list-taker for the taxes of my township last year. I am poor but have enough intelligence and love of honor to oppose the rearing of an illegitimate family in sight of the court house. By the help of God the good citizen of Robeson county shall know the character of this deceiver of the people, and when known they will spurn him as they would a devil. In regard to Mr Wilson he is charged with being sanctified. "Sanctified Joe, etc." I don't know his religious views. only know him to be a consistent

try and we can all worship God ac cording to the dictates of our conscience and no one dare question the right -all may slur and ridicule. Mr. Edmond has never been charged with being sanctified, but on the other hand he has been charged, and truthfully so with being a defamer and blackguard.

member of the Baptist Church. An-

other fact I know, this is a free coun-

He charges Mr, Wilson with "plowing an ox, making a little cotton and corn." -What a crime to plow an ox! Poor man and farmer, you who toil, from morning till night, in sunshine and rain, endeavoring to make an honest living for yourself and family they you on election day to make ily, I beg you on election day to re-member this. Think of the difference. Well do we remember four years ago when this man was galloping over the country crying help, protection and aid for the poor. We in our ignorance took him up, put him in office, and the acknowledged appreciation and gratitude is personal attack and ridicule of our ignorance and poverty. Had it not been for the votes of the ignorant and illiterate, Mr. Edmond to day would not be enjoying the present comfortable circumstances

low surrounding him. Mr. Wilson and myself are charged by Mr. Edmond as being the only converts heard of in Robeson county. He speaks of self alone. He will hear of more at the November election; the honest people of Robeson county are tired of the present disgraceful administration, and I believe all white men who love and honor their country and State, who revere law and good government, who oppose the blight of negro domination, who favor white supremacy will and should come together and vote as brothers. We are quoted as being "petted" by Democrats which is untrue. It requires neither riches, knowledge, coaxing or persuasion to learn white from black, and now in conclusion pardon this little parody.

"Stevey had a little lamb With which he used to tussle And now its grown to be a ram And Stevey's got to hustle. It followed him to court one day Which was against the rule, And made the negroes laugh and say "Dat lam done turn a fool."

And so we all will turn him out-Because he's grown so black, And Steve must follow him about-And pat his wooly back."

DUNCAN M'WHITE.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh

That Contain Mercury, as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mer-cury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally, and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free. Sold by Druggists, price 75c. per

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Citizens Complain of Thefts. Brawling and One Criminal Assault.

GEN. SHAFTER DISGUSTED.

The Cubans Ask For Protection from the Soldiers-General Wheeler's Camp Raided and Robbed by Insurgents.

By Cable to the Morning Star SANTIAGO, Aug. 21, (Delayed in transmission).-On Friday night at San Luis, a negro sentinel of the Eighth Illinois battalion, which is garrisoning the town, was shot by Cubans. The Cubans attempted to pass the sentry, when the latter challenged them, and they, failing to understand the challenge, were fired upon by the soldiers, one of them being injured. The crowd returned the fire, killed the sentinel.

The citizens of San Luis complain of the action of the undisciplined negroes, charging them with thefts, brawling and one criminal assault. General Shafter to-day visited the town to investigate the alleged outrages by the military. He expressed disgust at the undisciplined condition of the Fighth Illineis periment.

of the Eighth Illinois regiment.

Yesterday the Cuban civil authorities raised a Cuban flag over the municipal building. General Wood ordered the flag to be lowered. The San Carles and the flag to be lowered. los club and several merchants also raised the Cuban flag. Colonel Wood was asked for protection from the American soldiers. On account of the Cuban flags being raised a number of stores were threatened; guards of soldiers were placed about two of them. Bad feeling exists between the soldiers and the Cubans.

Cuban Robbers.

Santiago, Aug. 22, 6 P. M.—On the breaking up of General Wheeler's camp on the Caney road on Friday, the tents and general equipment of the division headquarters were left in charge of the quartermaster's department. During the night the Cubans stealthily confiscated all the tents, stores, arms and personal effects of the soldiers. There is no clue to the robbers. On Saturday, General Lawton ordered the ammunition and arms brought into town but tion and arms brought into town, but it was too late. Everything was gone.

General Kent's brigade, stationed three miles from Santiago, also lost their tents, and the soldiers marched tempt of all decent people. Even. into town barefooted, their shoes and the everything having been stolen

Brunswick County Jemocratic Con-

lance is necessary.

vention. The Democrats of Brunswick are requested to meet in County Convention at Lockwood's Folly on Thursday, the first day of September, at 12 o'clock M., for the purpose of nominating county candidates, electing an Executive Committee five active Democrat for each precinct—Chairman of County Executive Committee and delegates to Senatorial Convention. All who have heretofore affiliated with other parties and intend to support the Democratic nominees are cordially invited to meet

By order of the County Executive Committee. D. B. McNeill, August 6, 1898. Chairman.

SHOT DOWN BY NEGROES.

A Congregational Minister Riddled With Bullets While in His Pulpit at Smiley, Georgia.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK; August 22.—The Ameri an Missionary Association has re ceived dispatches stating that Rev. J. B. Fletcher, a Congregational minisbeen shot while attempting to organize a Congregational church at Smiley, Georgia, which is about twenty miles from his home at Hagan, Ga. He went to Smiley as the result of correspondence, concerning the organizing of the church, which has been carried on for several months. While in the pulpit he was shot through the window, his body being riddled with 107 buckshot and several small shot. They entered his hips and thigh, one lodging in his left hand and five in his right hand. He fainted as he fell. His wife, with the assistance of others, put him into a buggy and drove him twenty miles to his home. His condition is serious, although the expectation is that he will recover. But two shots have been removed from his body. One of his assailants has been arrested; the others have been located and it is believed that they will be ar-rested in a short time. Mr. Fletcher's wife was made temporarily insane by the occurrence, but has regained her reason. Mr. Fletcher announces his purpose to prosecute his assailants at whatever cost to himself. The wouldbe assassins are said to be colored of-ficials of a Methodist church, but the officials of the association are careful to acquit Methodism of any responsibility of the crime. A report concern-ing the occurrence will be unquestion-ably made at the fifty-second annual meeting of the association in Concord, N. H., the third week in October.

The Rev. W. B. Costley, of Stock-bridge, Ga., while attending to his pastoral duties at Ellenwood, that State, was attacked by cholera morbus. He says: "By chance I happened to get hold of a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, and I think it was the means of saving my life. It relieved me at once." For sale by R. R. BELLAMY, Druggist.

NEGRO LYNCHED.

He Attempted to Ravish a W at Quitman, Ga.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star. SAVANNAH, August 22.—Last night, near Quitman, Ga., Tom Miller, a negro of unsavory reputation, was taken from his home and riddled with bullets by a party of white men. Miller attempted to rape a white woman of that community last Saturday night. The woman's name is withheld Miller is said to have confessed his guilt.

Relief in Six Hours. Distressing Kidney and Bladder diseases relieved in six hours by "New Great South American Kidney Cure." It is a great surprise on account of its exceeding promptness in relieving pain in bladder, kidneys and back, in male or female. Relieves retension of water almost immediately. If you want quick relief and cure this is the remedy. Sold by R. R. Bellamy, Druggist, Wilmington, N. C., corner Front and Market streets.

IN UNION

IN SANTIAGO. Jno. D. Bellamy and C. B. Aycock Discuss Political Issues

at Monroe. GREAT GATHERING OF PEOPLE.

Enthusiastic Reception-Populists and Republicans Present - Democratic Candidate for Congress Made an Excellent Speech.

[Special Star Correspondence.] MONROE, N. C., August 23. At an early hour this morning peo ple from every precinct in Union county commenced rolling into Monroe to hear Hon. Jno. D. Bellamy, of Wilmington, and Hon. C. B. Aycock, of Goldsboro, discuss the political issues of the day. Both of these distinguished gentlemen were soon established in our Democratic headquarters, and were kept busy shaking hands with Democrats and repentant Populists and Republicans. Such a scene was never before witnessed in our county, and never did such enthusiasm prevail. Judge Starbuck, who is holding our August term of court, very kindly adjourned court at eleven o'clock, and the speakers addressed a large crowd, estimated at 1,000, from the eastern portico of the court house, Hon. Jas. G. Covington, chairman of the Democratic Executive Committee the Democratic Executive Committee, the Democratic Executive Committee, arose and extended to any representative of opposing parties a fair and equal division of time. There was no response and Mr. E. C. Williams, in a short speech, introduced Hon. Jno. D. Bellamy, Democratic candidate for Congress in the Sixth district. Every eye was fixed on the speaker as he arose. His personal traits are extremely engaging, there being a modesty, sin-cerity and manliness mingled in him which had already won him many

Mr. Bellamy commenced by an-nouncing that he was the Democratic nouncing that he was the Democratic nominee for Congress in this district, and thanking our people for the almost unanimous support they gave him in the nominating convention. He said he stood squarely on the Chicago Democratic platform and State Democratic platform; believed in a low tariff, free silver and favored an income tax. He showed up his opposite come tax. He showed up his opponent, Dockery, in his true light, his vote on the National Banking law while in Congress, his position on the tariff and shifting attitude on the silver question. He did not forget to allude to the \$10,000 he borrowed from old "Beast" Butler and his re-"niggers" seemed to

Cubans equipping themselves with the arms, tents and provisions of the Amer-Mr. Bellamy soon began to discuss State issues and affirmed in the outset icans. They are continually stalking about the camps, and constant vigithat he would only state the condi-tions in North Carolina as they are, in order to appeal to the white men of Western North Carolina, to meet them squarely and fairly and rally like true men to the rescue. When the Democrats held control in this State there was almost perfect peace and quiet, but now, under Republican Populist government, these conditions are changed. No words can portray the mischief and miseries that brood and breed in Eastern Carolina. He reviewed the condition of affairs in '68, '69 and '70 under Republican rule. for the enlightment of the young men and for the purpose of refreshing the memories of the old. He warned the people that we were fast verging on the same conditions of affairs. "I concede," he said, "that the people of North Carolina had some real grievances a few years ago because of Cleveland's attitude on the silver question, but Cleveland's attitude was not the sentiment of our party, and Democratic principles remain true and sound to-day. They are based deep in the eternal verities and no influences, extraneous or internal, can ever destroy them or greatly injure their worth and good." He closed by inviting the Populists to come on back to their first love, Democracy, and redeem the State from negro domination. The speech was a fine one and won

Mr. Bellamy many votes. Mr. T. J. Jerome in a neat and timely speech introduced Hon. Charles B. Aycock, of Goldsboro, a clean-shaven, robust man in physical health and strength. His great speech proved him to be the peer of any man in North Carolina, distinguished as it is, for the brilliance and eminence of its citizens. He is a natural born leader of men, and there is a great future before him. By a compact and master-ful argument, expressed in the purest English, he held his audience spell bound. He arraigned Russell and his hungry horde in great but simple style, and with such wonderful power of statement as to stagger the Populists Starting with the origin of Republi canism in this State soon after the war,

down to date with masterly force. "You are again asked to vote for this party which provides nothing useful or beautiful, but which humiliates and degrades our people and breeds disorder, vice, crime; antagonizes our home and schools. Can we, dare we, keep such a party in power and sanc-tion their damnable work? Are the interests of our homes, our society. our wives and daughters, our children and our neighbors, to be sacrificed to such rule? And for whose interest? That one in five hundred may get an office at the expense of all we hold dear; that the other four hundred and ninety-nine may bear the burdens and suffer the indignities heaped upon

he traced it along its whole history

It would be impossible to give an occurate account of the speech. It was powerful beyond description. Mr. Aycock is indeed a great thinker, an able advocate, a profound and eloquent orator. At the conclusion of is speech many rushed up and shook his hands. The general sentiment of our people is that it was the grandes speech ever delivered here. Many Populists were heard to say as much. The correspondent of the Charlotte Observer referring to Bellamy's speech

Dockery, as The Wilmington STAR calls him, and he did it pat. He showed him as an enemy to both the white and the black race. In 1859 he was a menber of the Legislature and voted for a bill to expel all free negroes from the State, one to provide for the sale of a free negro if he failed to pay his debts, and one to prevent the owners of slaves freeing them by will; how as a member of Congress he always voted on the side of the monopolies and the wealth against the interest of labor; how he was Kirk's brigadier; how he borrowed \$10,000 from "Beast Butler," and then voted for his infamous bill by which the bondholders were allowed to double their holdings. His family has lived on office-holding. There has been method in his madness in arraying the negroes against the whites. voted for a bill to expel all free ne-

method in his madness in arraying the negroes against the whites.

"My Son Oliver" got as good drubbing as is often seen. It may be remarked here that an effort was made by Chairman Covington to get Dockery here to have a joint discussion, but his managers refused it.

The speakers have spent the day in haudshaking and talking with the people. There has been a long stream of people here all day, and they are pleased beyond measure with the personality of Mr. Bellamy and his every manner. Democratic headquarters have been thronged all day, and the writer never saw more anthusiasm.

writer never saw more enthusias Bellamy in Wadesboro. Bellamy was in Wadesboro Monday. The Observer correspondent writes

Hon. John D. Bellamy, Democratic nominee for Congress of this, the Sixth district, spent yesterday and to-day here, forming the acquaintance of our citizens. Mr. Bellamy says that in his house to-house canvass, which he has been making in the eastern end of the district, he finds scores of Populists who are going to vote the white man's ticket, and especially in the Gibson neighborhood, of Richmond county, the people are fired to the core, and that every Populist he saw was going to vote the Democratic ticket, and not only they but lots of Republicans, having become disgusted with the administration of the past two years, are going to join the Democrats in obtaining decent, capable and honorable government for North Carolina.

Carolina.

Mr. Bellamy is of a very pleasant address, and makes friends of all who come in contact with him. His plan of a house to house canvass is sure to secure for him a seat in Congress.

He expects to visit us again in about two weeks and make us a speech two weeks and make us a speech.

POINTS POLITICAL.

HIS EYES OPENED.

Mr. W. Sanford Belk, who was nominated for coroner by the Democratic primary last week, has formerly been a Populist. He saw some time ago where things had come to, and came back to the Democratic party. - Monroe Journal. LEFT THE ROTTEN HULK.

Mr. W. M. Parker was nominated in Lanes Creek for constable by the Democratic primary. He has always until lately been a Republican, but he some time ago left the old rotten hulk and got aboard the Democratic ship .- Monroe Jour-

COMING IN FRANKLIN. The Democratic county convention met at Louisburg to-day (Saturday.) It was largely attended. Many former Populists were delegates, several of whom made patriotic and telling speeches. Among them was a former Populist candidate for sheriff. — Dispatch to Raleigh News and Observer.

We are informed that the educational interests of Black Jack towntional interests of Black Jack towntional interests of Black Jack townspirits turpentine, steady, 25½c, 25c;
rosin firm, \$1.15; \$1.20; tar quiet ship are looked after by one white and steady, \$1.10; crude turpentine man and two negroes. Two of the white committeemen have left the township, and this leaves the township in this condition. How about this? Who is to blame?-Rockingham Rocket.

NO UNCOMMON THING. It is no uncommon thing now to hear men who formerly affiliated with the Populists saying that they have had enough of that party, that they see the leaders are simply working for places for themselves, and that hereafter they will vote with the Democrats. We heard men talking so on Saturday .- Louisburg

DESERTING BUTLER. Senator Butler surrendered to the middle-of-the-roaders in Texas. The Pop. machine, under the control of Col. Harry Skinner, Cy. Thompson, Hal Ayer, Otho Wilson, have turned the Senator and his following down in this State and fallen bodily into the embrace of Republican Chairman Holton and Senator Pritchard. All Pop. office-holders are deserting the Senator at home, -Raleigh Post. GETTING TOGETHER.

The white voters of Anson are getting together. This most gratifyng news comes from every section of the county. Quite a number of former Populists participated in the Democratic primaries Tuesday, saying, in effect, by this act that they were not willing longer to follow the lead of the pie eaters who are trying to lead them into the Republican party. - Wadesboro Messenger-Intelligencer.

A PERTINENT QUESTION. Senator Atwater said at Fearring ton's mill, as we are told, that Governor Jarvis and the Democrats did wrong to charge the Populists with the present disgraceful government in North Carolina, given us by the Republicans, saying they were not responsible for it. Then, why did Senator Atwater tell a reporter of the Post, in Raleigh, that the Populists "had put life into the dead hulk of the Republican party?"-Chatham

IN THE PRIMARIES.

Conservative men estimate that nearly fifty former Populists in Monroe township participated in the Democratic primaries on the 3rd, more than twenty-five in Jackson, twenty-five in Buford and twenty-five in Vance, with large numbers in Goose Creek, Sandy Ridge and Lane's Creek. In one precinct where about seventy-five votes were cast we are informed by a man who was there, and a former Populist, too, that one-third of the votes were cast by former Populists. If the bosses don't hurry up and get their trade made they will have no votes left to trade on. -Monroe Journal. RUSSELLISM ILLUSTRATED.

Russellism is seen in the congrerating of the negro troops at Fort Macon, under a negro politician, and Russellism is seen in the management of the Atlantic and North "Here the speaker went into a dis- Carolina railroad that permits, cussion of the record of Office Hunter burly, black troopers, with shoes TIMBER.—Market steady at \$2.50 to and coats off, to sprawl about the first-class coaches and indulge in language of the most profane nature. It's Russellism that placed the negro in the position of being able to leave

Herald.

For over Firty Years.

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CRUDE TURPENTINE.—Market steady at \$1.10 per barrel for Hard, \$1.60 for Dip, and \$1.60 for Virgin.

Quotations same day last year.—Spirits turpentine steady, \$1.10; crude turpentine steady, \$1.10; crude turpentine.

Spirits turpentine.

COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET.

STAR OFFICE, Aug. 18. SPIRITS TURPENTINE.-Market steady at 26 cents per gallon for ma-chine-made casks and 25% cents per gallon for country casks.

ROSIN.—Market firm at 95c per
bbl bid for Strained and \$1.00 bid for TAR.-Market firm at \$1.20 bbl of 280 bs.
CRUDE TURPENTINE. - Market steady at \$1.10 per barrel for Hard, \$1.60 for Dip, and \$1.60 for Virgin.
Quotations same day last year.—
Spirits turpentine steady, 25%c, 25c; rosin, dull, \$1.20, \$1.25; tar quiet and steady, \$1.10; crude turpentine steady, \$1.30, \$1.80, \$1.90.

RECEIPTS. Spirits Turpentine..... Market quiet on a basis of 51/2c

Low Middling..... 5 1-16 Middling 5½ "
Good Middling 5½ "
Same day last year, middling 7½c.
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, 65c; Fancy, 70c; Spanish, CORN.-Firm, 521/2055 cents per ROUGH RICE. \$1.00@1.05 per

N. C. BACON.—Steady; nams, 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

16.50 per M. STAR OFFICE, Aug. 19. SPIRITS TURPENTINE .- Market opened firm at 26 cents per gallon bid for machine-made casks and 25 ½ cents per gallon bid for country casks; sales later at 26 ½ and 26 cents. ROSIN.—Market firm at 95 cents per bbl for Strained and \$1.00 bid for

Good Strained. TAR.—Market firm at \$1.20 per bbl of 280 hs. CRUDE TURPENTINE. - Market stoady at \$1.10 per barrel for Hard, \$1.60 for Dip, and \$1.60 for Virgin.

RECEIPTS.

COTTON. Market steady on a basis of 5%c Low Middling.... 5 1-16

Middling..... 5½ " " Good Middling.... 5¾ " " Same day last year, middling 7‰c. Receipts—I bale; same day last COUNTRY PRODUCE. PEANUTS-North Carolina-Prime,

60@65c per bushel of 28 pounds; Extra Prime, 70c; Fancy, 75. Virginia—Extra Prime, 65c; Fancy, 70c; Spanish, 70 CORN-Firm; 521/2655 cents per ROUGH RICE-\$1.00@1.05 N. C. BACON-steady; hams 10 to 11c per pound; shoulders, 6 to 7c; sides, 7

SHINGLES-Per thousand, five nch, 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, August 20. SPIRITS TURPENTINE-Market firm at 26% cents per gallon for ma-chine-made casks and 26% cents per gallon for country casks. ROSIN.-Market firm at 95 cents per bbl bid for Strained and \$1.05 for Good Strained. TAR.-Market firm at \$1.20 per bbl of 280 fbs. CRUDE TURPENTINE.-Market steady at \$1.10 per barrel for Hard \$1.60 for Dip, and \$1.60 for Virgin. Quotations same day last year.— Spirits turpentine steady, 25%c, 25c rosin firm, \$1.15, \$1.20; tar quiet and steady, \$1.10; crude turpentine steady,

\$1.30, \$1.80, \$1.90. RECEIPTS. Spirits Turpentine..... Rosin....

Receipts same day last year.-132 casks spirits turpentine, 656 bbls rosin, 139 bbls tar, 23 bbls crude tur COTTON. Market dull on a basis of 51/20

per pound for middling. Quotations:
Ordinary....... 3 1-16 cts. # lb Good Ordinary 4% Low Middling..... 5 1-16 " " Middling 5½ "—"
Good Middling 5¾ " "
Same day last year, middling 7%c.
Receipts—2 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, 65c; Fancy, 70c; Spanish, CORN.-Firm; 52%@55 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, \$5.50 to \$6.50. \$6.50 per M. STAR OFFICE, August 22. SPIRITS TURPENTINE.—Nothing

doing.

ROSIN—Market firm at 95 cents per
bbl bid for strained and \$1.00 bid for good strained.

TAR.—Market firm at \$1.20 per of 280 lbs. CRUDE TURPENTINE. -Market

Market dull on a basis of 5%c per pound for middling. Quotations: Good Ordinary..... 3 1-16 cts # lb

Good Ordinary Low Middling, Middling 5½ "
Good Middling 5½ "
Same day last year, middling 7‰c.
Receipts 4 bales; same day last

year, 3. PEANUTS — North Carolina Prime, 60 to 65c per bushel of 28 pounds; extra prime, 70c; fancy, 75c. Virginia—Extra prime, 75c; fancy, 75c; Spanish, 70@80c.

CORN—Firm; 52½ to 55 cents per

ROUGH RICE-\$1.00 to 1.05 per N. C. BACON—Steady; hams 10 to 11c 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, \$5.50 to 6.50. TIMBER-Market steady at \$2.50 to 6.50 per M.

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\$1.30, \$1.80, \$1.90. Spirits turpentine..... Rosin

casks spirits turpentine, 435 bbls rosin, 260 bbls tar, 31 bbls crude turpentine.

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70@80c. CORN—Firm; 521/2 to 55 cents per ROUGH RICE. \$1,00 to 1.05 per N. C. BACON.—Steady; hams, 10 to 11c per pound; shoulders, 6 to 7c; sides, 7 to 8c. SHINGLES.-Per thousand, five-

six-six, \$2.25 to 3.25; seven-inch; \$5.50 TIMBER-Market steady at \$2.50 to 6.50 per M. STAR OFFICE, August 24.

firm at 26½ cents per gallon for ma-chine-made casks and 26 cents per gallon for country casks. ROSIN.-Market firm at \$1.00 pe bbl bid for Strained and \$1.05 bid for Good Strained. TAR.-Market firm at \$1.20 bbl of 280 fbs. CRUDE TURPENTINE,-Market steady at \$1.10 per barrel for Hard, \$1.60 for Dip, and \$1.60 for Virgin.

Quotations same day last year.— Spirits turpentine steady, 25½, 25c; rosin steady, \$1.15, \$1.20; tar quiet and steady, \$1.30; crude turpentine steady, \$1.30, \$1.90. RECEIPTS. Spirits Turpentine..... Rosin.... Tar

COTTON.

Good Ordinary 4% Low Middling..... 4 15-16 " Middling 536 Good Middling 536 Same day last year, middling 7%c. Receipts—1 bale; same day last rear, 7. 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; 521/2 to 55 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.

\$6.50 per M.

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 cent per box. For

TIMBER. - Market steady at \$2.50 to

sale by R. R. BELLAMY. Cotton and Naval Stores. MONTHLY STATEMENT.

For month ended August 19, 1898. Rosin. RECEIPTS. For month ended August 20, 1897. EXPORTS.
For month ended August 19, 1898. Cotton. Spirits. Rosin. Tar. Crude. 12 762 218 925 280 00 1,397 8,330 000 000 12 2,159 8,548 EXPORTS.
For month ended August 20, 1897 Oction. Spirits. Rosin. Tor. Orude. 123 943 127 2,116 378 000 000 000 2 000 943 127 2,118

STOCKS. Ashore and Afloat August 19, 1898. Ashore. Aftoat. Total.
5,857 110 5,947
961 76 1,097
47,620 4,168 50,788
3,608 250 3,828
107 000 107 STOCKS.

Ashore and Affoat August 20, 1897. Gotton. Spirits. Rosin. Tar. Crude 396 1,654 _ 36,800 1,804 262 The Best Remedy for Flux.

Mr. John Mathias, a well known stock dealer of Pulaski, Ky., says: "After suffering for over a week with flux, and my physician having failed to relieve me, I was advised to try Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, and have the pleasure of stating that the half of one bottle cured me." For sale by R. R. BELLAMY, Druggist.

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AN OPEN LETTER To MOTHERS.

WE ARE ASSERTING IN THE COURTS OUR RIGHT TO THE EXCLUSIVE USE OF THE WORD "CASTORIA," AND "PITCHER'S CASTORIA," AS OUR TRADE MARK. I, DR. SAMUEL PITCHER, of Hyannis, Massachusetts, was the originator of "CASTORIA," the same that has borne and does now bear the fac-simile signature of Cost Helitain wrapper. This is the original "CASTORIA" which has been used in

the homes of the Mothers of America for over thirty years. LOOK CAREFULLY at the wrapper and see that it is the kind you have always bought on the and has the signature of Cart Flitchis wrap-No one has authority from me to use my name except Centaur Company, of which Chas. H. Fletcher is President. Lirch 24, 1898. Bund Pitcher m. D.

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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.

opening, first sales were from 1 to 3

By Telegraph to the Morning Star NEW YORK, Aug. 24.—To day's cotton market was an irregular affair, at Lumberton, November 2nd, 3rd and bulls and bears being in control by turns, while speculation was spas-modic throughout. Although showing a fair amount of steadiness at the

points under last night's final prices, due to less favorable advices from the Liverpool market than generally looked for. After further easing off to a net loss of to 2 to 4 points, the market steadied decidedly on a rush to cover and moderate investment buying started by reports that the plant was suffering from drouth in the Southwest. Still later in the morning there was a slump to the lowest point of the day under realizing and hammering. Afternoon operations were in good part of an evening-up character, bulls and bears alike being uncertain as to the purport of to-morrow's English cables and the effect of the hot wave over the cotton belt. SPIRITS TURPENTINE.—Market on both sides. Further declines were

checked by limiting buying orders from outside sources. The close was quiet and steady at a net loss of 2@3 points. NEW YORK, August 24.-Cotton quiet; middling uplands 5%c.
Futures closed quiet and steady; August 5.47c, September 5.48c, October 5.54c, November 5.56c, December 5.59c, January 5.63c, February 5.66c; March 5.70c, April 5.73c, May 5.77c.

Spot cotton closed quiet; middling uplands 5 ½c; middling gulf 6c; sales

PRODUCE MARKETS.

,790 bales.

NEW YORK, August 24.-Flour quiet and unchanged. Wheat-Spot weak; No. 2 red 74@74%c; options opened barely steady, under disap-pointing cables, but were rallied by a fair cash demand and rains in the Northwest. Near the close, however, realizing set in and supplemented by a light export trade left final prices at %@2c net lower, the latter on August; No. 2 red August closed 73c; Decem ber closed 66c. Corn—Spot easy; No. 2 35%c; options opened steady and advanced on reductions, higher cables and cash demand, the only break was near the close with wheat and left off %c net lower: September closed 34%c December closed 34%c. Oats-Spo easy, No. 2 26 1/2; options were dull and easy, closing unchanged; September closed 24 1/2. Lard steady; Western steam closed \$5 42 1/2; September \$5 40, nominal; refined firm. Pork market steady at quotations; mess \$9 50@10 00; short clear \$11 00@13 00; family \$11 50@12 00. Butter steady; Western creamery 14½@19c; Western factory 11@14c; Elgins 19c; imitation creamery 13@17c. Cheese steady; large white 7%c. Pota toes steady; Jerseys \$1 75; Long Island \$1 50@2 00; sweet yellow \$3 00@3 25. Rice steady. Cotton seed oil dull. Cabbage steady; Long Island \$2 00@3 00. Coffee—Spot Rio firm; No. 7 invoice 63/c; No. 7 jebbing 63/c; mild, firm; Cordova 8@15c. Sugar—raw strong and held higher; fair refining 3 13-16c; contributed of test 4 5.16c; refined centrifugal 96 test 4 5-16c; refined

and December declined &@tc. Corn lost 10 tc. Oats are unchanged to tc higher. Pork closed 5c lower; lard gained 24@5c and ribs rose 5c. CHICAGO, August 24.—Cash quotations: Flour—Market weak. Wheat No. 2 spring 63@64c; No. 3 spring 61%@66c; No. 2 red 68c. Corn-No. 2 30%@31c. Oats-No. 2 20%@23c No. 2 white free on board, 24%c; No.3 white free on board, 22%@23%c. Mess pork, per bbl., \$8 90@9 50. Lard, per 100 bs., \$5 10@5 15. Short rib sides, loose \$5 15@5 40. Dry salted shoulders, boxed, \$4 50@4 75. Short clear sides, boxed, \$5 55@5 70. BALTIMORE, August 24.-Flour quiet and unchanged. Wheat dull and easy—spot 71% @71% e; month 71%

A Narrow Escape. Thankful words written by Mrs.

Lumberton Fair. The annual Fair of the Robesor County Fair Association will be held

4th. All space for exhibits free. FRANK GOUGH, Secy. and Treas. CHARLESTON, August 24.—Spirits tur-pentine firm at 26c; no sales. Rosin firm and unchanged; no sales.

EXPORTS FOR THE WEEK.

COASTWISE. PHILADELPHIA-Schr Chas Linthicum—309,225 shingles; by V B Britton; vessel by Geo Harriss, Son & Co. NEW YORK-Steamship Benefactor - 84,930 feet lumber, 45,000 shingles, 423 bbls spirits, 189 do rosin, 360 do tar, 25 do pitch, 70 pkgs mdse, 35 cases

FOREIGN. GARSTON DOCK-Eorwegian barque Triumph-5,330 bbls rosin, valued at \$6,277.70, by S P Shotter & Co, by Matt S Heyer; vessel by J T Riley GRENADA, W I-Br schr Walter Sumner-50,495 feet of pitch pine lumber and 285,000 shingles; total

value \$2,123.44, by Chadbourn Lumber Co. vessel by Geo Harriss, Son & Co. LONDON-Nor barque Vasco de Gama-4,000 bbls rosin, valued at \$4,515 and 980 bbls tar valued at \$4715,

by Paterson, Downing & Co; vessel by Heide & Co.

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

The quotations are arways given as a company of the process of the

The quotations are always given as accurately as possible, but the syar will not be responsible for any variations from the actual market price of the articles quoted. ESTERN SMOKED Sides & D.
Shoulders & D.
DRY SALTED—
Sides & D.
Shoulders & D.
BARRELS-Spirits Turpentine—
Second-hand, each.
New New Mork, each
New City, each.
BEESWAX & D. North Carolina # b.
Northern Northern ...

CORN MEAL—
Per bushel, in sacks
Virginia Meal

COTTON TIES—9 bundle
CANDLES—9 b— Dairy, Cream..... OFFEE-W D-OMESTICS

Nd. 1, 9 barrel... 22 Nd. 1, 9 half-bbl. 11 No. 2, 9 barrel... 16 No. 2, 9 half-bbl. 8 No. 8, 9 barrel... 13

CHICAGO, August 24.—Heavy for eign markets caused robust bearishness in wheat to-day. After an early advance September left off to lower

@70%c; September 69 4 @69%c; December 67 4c bid. Southern wheat by sample 63@72½c. Corn steady—spot 34½@34½c; month 34½@34½c; September 34½@34½c. Southern white corn 35@36c. Oats dull; No. 2 white western 28@281/c. Lettuce 75c per

Ada E. Hart, of Groten, S. D.: "Was taken with a bad cold which settled on my lungs; cough set in and finally terminated in Consumption. Four terminated in Consumption. Four doctors gave me up, saying I could live but a short time. I gave myself up to my Saviour, determined if, I could not stay with my friends on earth, I would meet my absent ones above. My husband was advised to get Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. I gave it a trial, took in all eight bottles. It has cured me, and thank God I am saved and now a well and healthy woman." Trial bottles free at R. R. Bellamy's Drug Store. Regular size 50c. and \$1. Guaranteed or price re-50c. and \$1. Guaranteed or price re-funded.

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