Owners Can Recover by Buying Stamps and Defraying Expenses-Corporation Commission-Negro Row. New Case of Smallpox.

[Special Star Correspondence.]

RALEIGH, N. C., May 15. The Corporation Commission will change its office from the first to the second floor of the Agricultural Build ing. As soon as the board meets and gives formal consent to the change the commission will make the removal. The sixteenth Annual Council of the Diocese of Eastern Carolina meets in St. Mary's church, Kinston, Thursday, May 25th.

One new case of smallpox was discovered here to day. Those persons who had Jacobs' cigars seized from them can recover the same by buying stamps to cover cigars and defraying all expenses at tached thereto.

A new savings bank is soon to be established at Reidsville. When the Federal Court meets here next week three ex-postmasters will be tried for embezzlement and misappropriation of funds.

[Special Star Telegram.] Peabody Normal School.

There will be eight vacant scholarships for this State the coming year in Peabody Normal College, Nashville, Tenn., on account of the retirement of the following scholarship students: Kate Bagley, Emma D. Conn, Blanche Dupree, W. G. Reeves, J. V. Simms, W. M. Stancill, L. W. Trivitte, Sally C Smith. These persons were appointed upon competitive examination by the State Superintendent of Public Instruction a year ago. To fill these vacancies President Payne nominates the following students now at college from North Carolina: M. C. Mosely, Elkin; L. E. Messick, Jonesville; Bessie Cheek, Whitehead; Electa Foote, Roaring River; Ethel E. Barker, Jonesville; T. K. Sisk, Morganton; E. M. Hampton Jonesville; D. L. Strader, Bason. This leaves no

appointments. Shot in a Row.

vacancies to be filled by examination,

Saturday night in a drunken row John Morgan, colored, shot another negro, Lee Banks, wounding him so severely that/it is believed he will die: The shooting occurred about mid night, in Swift Creek township. A party of seven negroes, who had been drinking freely, stopped on their way home to have a wrestling match. The result was a row between John Morgan and Calvin Williams. Morgan lost his temper, whipped out a pistol and fired at Calvin. The ball missed Calvin and struck Lee Banks, sixteen years old, in the left eye.

The State Board of Examiners will meet here next Friday to prepare examination papers for applicants for life certificates.

MAGISTRATES APPOINTED

BY LAST LEGISLATURE

Important That All Should Qualify Before June First-The Crops-Other Raleigh News.

[Special Star Correspondence.] RALEIGH, N. C., May 16.

The State Board of Examiners has taken control of the colored Normal Schools and is preparing a course of study for them. Qualifications for the administration of members are prescribed and definite work is laid Alexander county to-day settled its

taxes. The sheriff paid in to the State Treasury \$2,687.29. The Leazer Literary Society of the

A. & M. College will, Friday night, hold its seventh annual oratorical contest by undergraduates. The term of all the Democratic

magistrates appointed by the Legisla. ture of 1893 expires August 30th. This makes it very important that those appointed by the last Legislature qualify before the time expires, June 1st, else there will be no Democratic magistrate in many townships. The First Regiment Band to-night played a return date here to a good

Rev. J. L. Foster, pastor of the Christian Church here, retires from the ministry. This step is made necessary by a throat trouble. He has been pastor of the church here for ten

Crop Bulletin.

The Weekly Crop Bulletin, issued by the Weather Bureau here, for the week ending Monday, May 15th, says the past week was characterized by an unusual number of severe local storms with hail and washing rains. On the 7th and on the 8th severe local hail storms caused great damage to crops over small areas in no less than twenty counties, with the most discouraging reports from Union, Mecklenburg, Chatham, Scoiland, Johnston, Bladen and Duplin counties. Wheat and oats were beaten down, young corn and cotton destroyed, necessitating the replanting of many acres, and a good many strawberries were ruined. Heavy rains occurred also Thursday and Friday, and light rains at some ther every day of the week. The sunshine was deficient, but fortunately the temperature continued above the normal.

Corn seems to be doing remarkably well, with excellent stands, except in portions of the Eastern district, where, however, the necessary replanting is

being done. Planting cotton progressed as rap idly as the conditions would permit; many farmers are through planting, and are chopping to a stand; some cotton fields are getting quite grassy, but as a whole the crop is doing very well. Farmers seem to be adhering generally to their intentions of planting a less acreage than usual.

Many tobacco plants were set out under favorable conditions this week, being now most active in the northcentral portion of the State. The exceeding promptness in relieving pain plants are growing nicely everywhere. in bladder, kidneys and back, in male

The Kind You Have Always Bought

THE STATE BOARD OF INTERNAL IMPROVEMENTS.

Elected Directors for the Atlantic and North Carolina Railroad—The State Guard-The Penitentiary.

[Special Star Correspondence.] RALEIGH, N. C., May 17. The Adjutant General to-day made requisition on the War Department for \$8,000 worth of equipment for the State Guard. The requisition calls for general ordnance and quartermaster's

stores, including three hundred of the best rifles to be obtained Halifax county sends up twelve convicts. Their terms range from six months to nine years. Only one of them was brought to the penitentiary here. The other eleven were taken to the Halifax farms.

The First Regiment Band went from here to Henderson, where they gave a concert to-night. The members of the band are very desirous of locating, as a band, in Raleigh, when their tour is completed. The committee appointed by the

Board of Directors of the Penitentiary for the purpose of formulating rules and regulations for the institution. met here to-day and performed that duty.

[Special Star Telegram.]

Board of Internal Improvements. The State Board of Internal Im-

provements met this afternoon at o'clock. The following directors of the Atlantic & North Carolina railroad were elected for the second time: W. M. Webb, Morehead City; J. A. Meadows, Newbern; Jas. A. Bryan, Newbern; L. Harvey, Kinston; Samuel C. Suggs, Snow Hill; T. C. Whitaker, Trenton; Jas. Westbrook, Mount Olive; L. G. Daniels, Bayboro; and as State proxy, Harrold Dortch, of Goldsboro. Their term of office begins at the next general annual meeting of stockholders (September 28).

The session was merely for the purpose of doing over again what has already been done, but is rendered necessary by the recent decision of the Supreme Court in the Atlantic and North Carolina railroad suit. This decision held that if the board had met after March 10th their action would have held good in electing the directors of this road. However, the Legislature in the act expressly provided that they meet February 24th, and this caused the board to elect the new directors before the term of the old directors expired. No attempt will be made to remove President Patrick until his time is out-in September. State Land Surveyor Ramsey was, however, removed, and Gen. W. G. Lewis, of Goldsboro, elected in his

EXPLORING THE AMAZON.

Remarkable Voyage of the United States Gunboat Wilmington-Captain Todd's Report.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, May 17.-The Navy Department has just received from Commander Todd, of the Wilmington, an interesting account of the remarkable voyage of exploration up the Amazon river made by that vessel in April last. The Wilmington was instructed by the Navy Department to push on up the great river and ascertain how far it was navigable. Captain Todd reports that he ascended to Yquitos, in Peru, which is about 2,100 miles up the river. This voyage was made, as he says, against adverse currents averaging three knots for the

entire distance. Manaos, at the junction of the Rio Negros with the Amazon, has heretofore been regarded as the head of navigation for steam vessels, and from that fact has grown to be a prosperous city of 40,000 inhabitants. Consequently, the intention of Captain Todd to ascend the river above that point caused consternation, and, in the end, as revealed by subsequent reports, led to some adverse demonstration against the American consul and against the native pilots who assisted the Wilmington's commander

to make the voyage. Captain Todd succeeded, notwithstanding these obstacles, in accending the Amazon for 1,000 miles above Manaos, and had it not been for lack of fuel he could have steamed about 300 miles further, he believes. As it was, the Wilmington, which entered the Amazon from the Atlantic ocean, was within about four hundred miles of the Pacific and well into Peru before she turned backward down the

The possibilities of the successful navigation of the vast and hitherto unknown interior of South America revealed by Captain Todd's voyage, will, it is believed, be of the greatest importance, and the Navy Department probably will take steps to see they are made known to the maritime

Unfortunately, Captain Todd shows he great Amazon, like the Mississippi, is so changeable in its channels as not to permit of successful charting, so that expert pilots will always be re-

HIGH JOINT COMMISSION.

Will Probably be Reassembled to Adjust Issues Between the United States and Canada This Summer.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star. WASHINGTON, May 17.-As a result of a conference held at the Foreign Office in London between Lord Salis bury, Sir Julian Pauncefote and Ambassador Choate, the latter, acting under direct instructions from Secretary Hay, it can now be predicted that the high joint commission to adjust issues between the United States and Canada will be reassembled during the coming Summer or early Fall, The negotiations have taken a new turn by the suggestion that the Alaskan boundary question be submitted to arbitration, independent of the other issues involved, thus leaving the commission free to resume its work on the many other pending questions. The boundary question is said to be the main obstacle to an agreement, so much so that the commission took its last adjournment because of manifest inability to come together on this point. Since then the two governments have tried to settle the question, and some progress has been made. A final agreement does not yet appear to be in sight, and a temporary adjustment by a modus vivendi is still open.

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LAWTON'S TROOPS TAKE SAN ISADRO.

Driving the Filipino Forces From the Town and Into the Mountains.

AMERICAN LOSS WAS SLIGHT. A PLOT TO SEIZE THE FORT

Rebels Still Threaten San Fernando-Attack on Outpost Repulsed-Large Numbers of Natives Returning to Their Homes.

By Cable to the Morning Star. WASHINGTON, May 17.-The followng dispatch has been received at the War Department from Gen. Otis:

"The situation is as follows: Gen.

awton, with tact and ability, has covered the Bulacan province with his column and driven the insurgents northward into San Isadro, the second insurgent capital, which he captured this morning. He is now driving the enemy northward into the mountains. He has constant fighting, inflicting heavy losses and suffering; few casualties; the appearance of the enemy behind entrenchments thrown up at every strategic point and town is very demoralizing to the insurgents, and has given them no opportunity to reconcentrate scattered troops. Kobbs column, with gunboats, is proceeding up the Rio Grande.'

Portions of the dispatch which have not been made public relate to future movements of the troops.

Capture of San Isadro.

MANILA, May 17-General Lawton's advance guard under Colonel Summers, of the Oregon troops, took San Isadro, the insurgent capital, at 9:30 o'clock this morning. The expedition under Major Kobb, of the Third artillery, consisting of the Seventeenth infantry, a battalion of the Ninth and one battery of the First artillery, left Calumpit at daybreak to-day, marching up the Rio Grande to join General awton's division at Arayat. A lotilla of cascoes, loaded with supplies. lso proceeded up the river. Both orces were convoyed by the guaboat under Captain Grant. Aguinaldo's ex-secretary, Oscamito

who was arrested here on February 23rd, is now employed as an official interpreter by the authorities. Colonel Summers' command, con isting of the Twenty-second infantry on the left, the Minnesota regiment in the centre and the Oregon and North Dakota regiments on the right, pre ceded by scouts and accompanied by Scott's battery of artillery, advanced from Baluarte at daylight. The troops first encountered the enemy two miles from San Isedro, the rebels retiring when our artillery opened fire. Just outside the town a rebel force, estimated to number two thousand men, was entrenched. It made a slight resistance, but evacuated its position

when our troops turned its right flank. The enemy's loss was fifteen men killed and twenty wounded. Our troops also captured three prisoners and many rifles. On the American side, one soldier of the Oregon regiment and one of the Minnesota regi ment were slightly wounded. After capturing the town Captain Summers troops continued their advance, pursuing the retreating rebels for several

miles. Natives Returning to Their Homes.

Although the rebels still threaten San Fernando in considerable force, large number of natives, a majority of them being families, with their household goods, are returning daily to the towns inside the American lines, at Apalite especially.

Many of the richer Filipinos are coming to Manila and farmers are reuming work in the rice fields. The latter show their respect for American sovereignty by removing their hats to

the passing trains. Owing to the bad condition of the wagon roads, the work of repairing the railroad is being actively pushed. All the broken bridges have been trestled and only a few excavations remain to be filled up. Trains will undoubtedly be running through to San Fernando in a few days. only natives there are some Filipinos from Macabebe, who are trading with our soldiers.

At daylight to-day. Lieutenant Hill, with twenty-five men of the Fourth infantry, was concealed in the trench. es near Pasig, was attacked by a force of rebels, who evidently imagined they could capture one of our outposts; but a few volleys put the enemy to flight, the rebels losing five men killed and a number of wounded.

The army gunboat Napingdan has returned here from the lake, having been disabled by a cannon shot from a rebel position, near Santa Cruz, which broke her rudder post.

Insurgents Demoralized.

WASHINGTON, May 17 .- That the inurgents are disintegrated and demoralized is perfectly manifest from the press dispatches and the cable received from General Otis to-day.

General Lawton, who was pushing

the line of the rebel retreat along the Rio Grande. has flung his advance, which, at last advices, was resting at San Miguel, northward about twelve miles, has taken San Isadro, the second insurgent capital, and when Otis' dispatch was sent was still pressing the enemy northward. The fact that he is sustaining few losses in his forward movement, although in almost continual contact with the enemy, is another proof of their utter demoralization. According to General Otis' cable they still continue to throw up intrenchments, but General Lawton's strategy outflanks each position in turn, keeping them in full retreat and giving them no opportunity to reconstruct their scattered forces. It will soon be the mountains or the seas for the insurgents. As our troops could be transported by the sea to the mouth of the Agno and a new base of operations established there, it would be folly for them to take that course. Scattered, demoralized and disheartened, it is almost certain that the rebels, in desperation, will retreat into the fastness of the mountains, where they would be safe from pursuit, and where they could keep up a guerilla warfare indefinitely or until their

leaders came to their senses. Although all the past efforts of our troops to get into the rear of the insurgents have failed up to this time, by sheer force of the battering ram the enemy has been driven back step bystep into the pocket, where nothing will be left for them but to surrender or go into the monntains. Over fiftyfive miles, as the crow flies, the rebels have been forced back.

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SEVEN ALLEGED REVOLUTIONISTS.

Arraigned in Court at Pretoria Charged With High Treason.

One of the Prisoners Says He Was Acting Under Instructions of the British War Department-Believed to be a Trumped Up Affair.

By Cable to the Morning Star. PRETORIA, TRANSVAAL, May 17 .-The seven alleged revolutionists, who presented the appearance of ordinary loafers, were arraigned in court to-day charged with the capital offence of high treason. They were remanded

for a fortnight. Sworn affidavits allege that two thousand men have been enrolled for military service, and that it was intended to arm them in Natal, to return them to the Rand, and at a signal to seize and hold the fort of Johannesburg for twenty-four hours, pending the arrival of British troops. The Press says the government re

gards the matter as "an unfortunate local incident which will not effect the general political situation." The government also confirms the

report that the arrangements between President Kruger and the Governor of Cape Colony and High Commissioner of South Africa, Sir Alfred Milner, for a meeting at Bloemfoutain, capital of the Orange Free State, are nearly completed. The residents' proposed reforms will be presented to the Volksraad prior to the meeting. LONDON, May 17.-The consul of the Transvaal here has received the

following telegram from his government, dated Pretoria, May 16: "Richard Nicholls, describing himself as a colonel; George Patterson; a captain; Edward J. Tromlett, Charles Ellis and John A. Mitchell, lieutenants, and Fries and Hooper, were aryesterday morning on the rested sworn declaration of three Englishmen, on the charge of high treason in connection with the alleged object of the enrollment of troops to create a revolution, seize Johannesburg fort and hold possession of the town until

the British troops from Natal could come to their assistance. "One of the prisoners alleges that he was acting under instructions from the

British War Department." A representative of the Associated Press to-day saw a number of prominent South Africans connected with the leading concerns of Johannesburg. They all declared they had not received a word from their own in Cape Colony, the absence of advices indicating that the affair was "trumped up by the Boer police," and that in any case the men arrested were irresponsible nobodies with fictitious military titles [affixed by the Boers with the object of discrediting the British in the eyes of the continental powers. It is now believed that Tremlett (not Tromlett) was formerly a captain of volunteers in Cape Colony and that he is now a mining agent.

NEGROES IN GEORGIA.

Petition the Governor That the Law be Permitted to Take Its Course in the Case of a Condemned Murderer.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

CAMILLA, GA., May 17.-At the April term of the Superior Court for Mitchell county, Jim Rimberly, col., was convicted of the murder of his aunt and sentenced to hang on May 16. Yesterday, shortly before the hour for the execution, the sheriff received notification from the Governor that Rimberly had been respited for thirty days upon the petition of leading white citizens of the county. The petitioners alleged grave doubts of the moral responsibility of the condemned man, and asked for an inquiry into his mental condition. Two members of the jury who convicted the man signed the petition. To-day leaders of the colored population drew up and circulated a petition to the Governor, praying that the law be permitted to take its course in the case of Rimberly, and deploring that he was not promptly hanged on the date named by the trial court. The colored petitioners direct attention to the allegation recently advanced by the Governor himself and frequently made by others, that the delays of the law are largely responsible for lynchings, and call upon the Governor to see to it, in the interest of law and order, that justice is speedily meted out to this murderer.

IDAHO MINE TROUBLE.

General Merriam Telegraphs the War De partment for Two Troops of Cavalry.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star. WASHINGTON, May 17.-Secretary Alger has received the following tele gram from General Merriam, in explanation of the situation in the Coeur

D' Alene: "WARDNER, IDAHO, May 16.—Adjutant General, Washington—The Governor of Idaho has carefully reviewed the situation here and deems t necessary to place troops at Burke and Mullen to avoid further disorder. I request two troops of cavalry. Referring to the press criticisms, I have made no order. My action is limited strictly to the support of the State authorities. There are 395 prisoners still in custody, under investigation. "MERRIAM, Brigadier Gen."

ST. MARY'S SCHOOL.

Rev. T. D. Bratton, of Spartanburg, S. C., Elected to the Rectorship.

By Telegraph to the Merning Star. RALEIGH, N. C., May 17.-A special to the News and Observer from Tarboro, N. C., says:

The trustees of St. Mary's School to-day unanimously elected to the rectorship of that school the Rev. T. D. Bratton, of Spartanburg, S. C. Mr. Bratton is rector of the Episcopal church at Spartanburg and holds the chair of history in Converse College, for women. He is the son of the late General John Bratton, and both by birth and culture, as well as personal character, is thought to be pre-eminently fitted for this exalted

WHEN NATURE

Needs assistance it may be best to render it promptly, but one should remember to use even the most perfect remedies only when needed. The best and most simple and gentle remedy is the Syrup of Figs, manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co.

POLICE OFFICERS AND A NEGRO DESPERADO.

One Officer Killed and Another Wounded. Negro Suspected of the Rosestein Murder.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star. WASHINGTON, May 17.—Humphrey Taylor, a negro suspected of the Rosenstein murder, at Slidell, Md., to day shot and killed Police Sergeant Fritz Passau, wounded Policeman Gow. and k pt a posse of a half dozen offi-cers at bay from the loft of a house for nearly two hours. Dozens of shots were exchanged between the officers and the fugitive who only surrendered when preparations were made to burn the premises.

Last Saturday morning Louis Rosenstein and his wife, who kept a small store at Slidell, were found insensible and horribly wounded in their storeroom. Rosenstein soon died from his injuries and the woman is believed to be near death. Suspicion fell upon a negro named Humphrey Taylor, alias Brown, who had disappeared.

A negro aswering the description of aylor was seen last Saturday evening and information received by the police led them to believe their man was living in a small house about a quarter of a mile of Georgetown. Early this morning Taylor was seen to enter the place, and word was immediately sent to the nearest precinct station, and a osse of officers hurried to the place. The men were posted about the house. Passau, Gow and another officer atempted to gain entrance through the ront door.

Taylor Opened Fire.

Finally the door was forced. The wo small rooms on the first floor were empty, and the officers ascended to the second story. The front room was also untenanted, and as the men passed into the rear apartment, Taylor open fire from the trap door of a cockloft in which he had taken refuge. Sergeant Passau sank to the floor dead, with two bullets through his chest. Policeman Gow opened fire

through the trap but failed to hit the fugitive. Gow received a bullet in his right hand, badly shattering it and another struck his metal badge and glanced downward the entire length of his coat. The reserves of two precincts were called out, and the house surrounded. The shooting, meanwhile, had attracted several thousand persons. Occasionally the negro would fire a shot at the officers and immediately a volley would answer it,

but no one was hurt. With revolvers in hand watched every window and tried several ruses to draw Taylor's fire. He seemed to have an unlimited supply of ammunition. Finally, con cluding that he would not surrender, District Commissioner Wright directed the police to fire the premises. A mattress was secured, saturated with oil and the officers began to remove the furniture.

The Negro Surrendered. Seeing his game was hopeless, Taylor surrendered. Surrounded by officers with drawn revolvers he was hustled out of the house to the patrol wagon, when the crowd surged forward with shouts of "lynch him," "burn him," and made a rush for the prisoner. A rope was secured and the mob made a desperate effort to place it around the wretch's neck. The coolness of the officers, however, saved Taylor, though he was rather badly disfigured by blows from the

nearest of the crowd. Upon searching the premises the police found \$192 and a gold watch and chain where he had secreted them. He had a diamond ring and a smal sum of money on his person.

It is believed he is the man the Maryland authorities are looking for. It is probable, however, that he will be detained by the District authorities and tried for the murder of Sergeant

ALABAMA LEGISLATURE.

Adjourned After Repealing the Call for a Constitutional Convention.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star. MONTGOMERY, ALA., May 17 .-After being in session fourteen days the Legislature adjourned this evening. The body was convened in extra ession by the Governor to repeal the call for a constitutional convention, and to propose amendments to the constitution to be voted on at the next general election and to pass primary election laws. Their only act passed during the fourteen days was to repeal the call for the convention, and appropriate money to pay their salaries and mileage. A number of amendments were offered but none of them could command enough votes to make them

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EXPORTS FOR THE WEEK.

COASTWISE. NEW YORK-Schr Chas D Hall-375,000 feet lumber, Cape Fear Lumber Co, vessel by Geo Harriss, Son

& Co. FOREIGN. LIVERPOOL-Nor barque Argus-,231 bbls tar, 1,458 bbls rosin, valued at \$9,000, cargo by Alexander Sprunt & Son, vessel by Heide & Co. BRISTOL-Swed barque Norden-

2,607 bbls rosin, 1,000 casks tar, valued at \$6,445, cargo by Paterson, Downing & Co, vessel by Heide & Co. ABTORIA. Chart Helitchers

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COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET.

STAR OFFICE, May 11. SPIRITS TURPENTINE-Market quiet at 38 cents per gallon for machine-made casks and 371/2 cents per gallon for country casks. ROSIN-Market firm at 95 cents per bbl for Strained and \$1.00 for Good Strained. TAR-Market firm at \$1.20 per bbl of 280 lbs. CRUDE TURPENTINE .- Market steady at \$1.35 per barrel for Hard, \$2.40 for Dip and \$2.50 for Virgin. Quotations same day last year Spirits turpentine firm at 27@26%c

pentine.

year, 188.

\$1.80@1.90.

pentine.

Ordinary...... 3

821/2 to 85c.

\$1.10; crude turpentine firm at \$1.25, \$1.80@1.90. RECEIPTS. Spirits Turpentine.... Rosin Tar..... Crude Turpentine.... Receipts same day last year. -38 casks spirits turpentine, 995 bbls rosin, 223 bbls tar, 36 bbls crude turpentine.

rosin steady at 95c@\$1.00; tar firm

Market quiet on a basis of 5%c pe oound for middling. Quotations: Ordinary 3 7-16 cts. # 1 Good Ordinary 4 13-16 " ow Middling..... 5 7-16 " " Middling ... 578
Good Middling ... 6 3-16 Same day last year middling 6c. Receipts-19 bales; same day last ear 168. COUNTRY PRODUCE. PEANUTS - North Carolina for Good Strained.

Extra prime, 75 to 80c per bushe of 28 pounds; fancy, 80 to 84c. Vir ginia-Extra prime, 55 to 60c; fancy 60c; Spanish, 821/2 to 85c. CORN-Firm, 50 to 521/2 cents per bushel. ROUGH RICE-Lowland (tide water) 90c@\$1.10; upland, 65@80c.

Quotations on a basis of 45 pounds to the bushel N. C. BACON-Steady; hams 10 to 11c per pound; shoulders, 7 to 8c SHINGLES-Per thousand, five inch hearts and saps, \$2.25 to 3.25; sixinch, \$4.00 to \$5.00, seven-inch, \$5.50

TIMBER-Market steady at \$2.50 to

5.50 per M.

STAR OFFICE, May 12. SPIRITS TURPENTINE.-Market uiet at 371/2 cents per gallon for machine-made casks and 37 cents per gallon for country casks. ROSIN-Market firm at 95 cents per bbl for strained and \$1.00 for good strained. TAR-Market firm at \$1.25 per bbl of 280 lbs.

CRUDE TURPENTINE.-Market steady at \$1.35 per barrel for hard, \$2.40 for Dip and \$2.50 for Virgin. Quotations same day last year. Spirits turpentine firm at 271/2@27c rosin dull at 95c@\$1.00; tar firm, \$1.10; crude turpentine firm at \$1.25, \$1.80 RECEIPTS

Spirits Turpentine.... Rosin.... 298 Crude Turpentine.... Receipts same day last year.-108 casks spirits turpentine, 135 bbls rosin, 169 bbls tar, 29 bbls crude turpentine. Market quiet on a basis of 5% cts per ound for middling. Quotations: Ordinary..... 3 7-16 cts # 1b Good Ordinary 4 13-16 "

Low Middling..... 5 7-16 " " Middling..... 5 1/8 Good Middling..... 6 Same day last year middling 6c. Receipts—24 bales; same day last year, 358. COUNTRY PRODUCE PEANUTS - North Carolina Extra prime, 75 to 80c per bushel of 28 pounds; fancy, 80 to 85c. Virginia-Extra prime, 55 to 60c; fancy, 60c;

Spanish, 82 1/2 to 85c.

6.50 per M

CORN-Firm: 50 to 521/2 cents per ROUGH RICE-Lowland water) 90c@\$1.10; upland, 65@80c. Quotations on a basis of 45 pounds to the bushel. N. C. BACON-Steady; hams 10 to 11c per pound; shoulders, 7 to 8c; sides, 7 to 8c. SHINGLES—Per thousand, five-

inch hearts and saps, \$2.25 to 3.25;

six-inch. \$4.00 to 5.00; seven-inch,

STAR OFFICE, May 13. SPIRITS TURPENTINE.—Nothing ROSIN-Market, firm at 95 cents per barrel for Strained and \$1.00 for Good Strained. TAR.—Market firm at \$1.25 bbl of 280 lbs.
CRUDE TURPENTINE.—Market steady at \$1.35 per barrel for Hard,

Quotations same day last year.-Spirits turpentine firm at 271/2@27c; rosin, dull at 95c@\$1.00; tar firm at \$1.10; crude turpentine firm at \$1.25, \$1.80@1.90. Spirits Turpentine.... Crude Turpentine....

\$2.40 for Dip, and \$2.50 for Virgin.

Receipts same day last year.—75 casks spirits turpentine, 487 bbls rosin, 127 bbls tar, 83 bbls crude tur-Market quiet on a basis of 5% cts per pound for middling. Quotations: Ordinary..... 3 7-16 cts. # 1b Good Ordinary 4 13-16" Low Middling..... 5 7-16 " " Middling 5% " "Good Middling 614 " "

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6.50 per M.

\$1.80@1.90.

ROUGH RICE-Lowland (tidewater) 90c@\$1.10; upland, 65@80c. Quotations on a basis of 45 pounds to the bushel. N. C. BACON-Steady; hams 10 to 11c per pound; shoulders, 7 to 8c; TIMBER-Market steady at \$2.50 to

SPIRITS TURPENTINE.—Market steady at 38 cents per gallon for machine-made casks and 37½ cents per gallon for country casks. ROSIN-Market firm at 95 cents per barrel for Strained and \$1.00 for Good Strained. TAR-Market firm at \$1.25 per bbl CRUDE TURPENTINE.-Market steady at \$1.35 per barrel for Hard, \$2.40 for Dip, and \$2.50 for Virgin. Quotations same day last year.— Spirits turpentine steady at 27@261/2c; rosin, dull at 95c@\$1.00; tar firm at

STAR OFFICE, May 15.

RECEIPTS. 6.09c; April 6.11c. Spirits turpentine..... Rosin 162 vance; middling uplands 61/c; mid-

Receipts same day last year.-108 PRODUCE MARKETS. casks spirits turpentine, 325 bbls rosin, 115 bbls tar, 39 bbls crude tur-

By Telegraph to the Morning Star. New York, May 17.—Flour was steadier on spring patents and rather more active; Minnesota patents \$3 80@ 4 00. Wheat—Spot firm; No. 2 red 82%c; options opened firm on English cable advices, and later developed positive strength on bullish crop news. In addition to further reports of chinch-bug, the Modern Miller was quoted as estimating this year's wheat crop at 100,000,000 bushels less than last; shorts covered freely and the market closed strong at %@%c net advance; No. 2 red May closed 79%c; July closed 76%c; September closed 75%c. Corn—Spot firm; No. 2 41@ 41 kc; options opened easy and de-clined later because of liberal Chicago liquidation, light clearances and poor support; closed unsettled with May 1/4c higher on strike news and other months 1/60 1/3c net advance; the sales included; May closed 397/3c; July closed 38%c; September closed 38%c. Oats—Spot steady; No. 3 white —c; options quiet. Lard easy; Western steam \$5 25; refined dull. Pork quiet. Butter steady; Western creamery 15@ 19c; State dairy 13%@17%c; State creamery 15@19c. Cheese-Old firm; large white 11%c. Cotton seed oil quiet and easy as to undertone, reflecting depression in lard products; prime snmmer yellow 25@25 1/2 c; prime summer yellow 25@25%c;prime white 29@30c. Rice firm. Potatoes-Market steady; New York \$1 25@1 50; Jersey sweets \$1 00@2 00. Cabbage quiet at \$1 50@1 75 per tarrel crate. Coffee—

CHICAGO, May 17.—Claims of crop damage from insects caused an advance of &@#c in wheat to-day. Corn declined &@ic and oats closed a shade higher. Pork lost 15@171c and

CHICAGO, May 17.—Cash quotations: Flour quiet and unchanged. Wheat-No. 2 spring 701/071c; No. 3 do. 66@ 70c; No. 2 red 72 % @75c. Corn-No. 2 33 4c. Oats-No. 2, 27 4c; No. 2 white, free on board, 30c; No. 3 white 29¼@29¼c. Pork, per bbl, \$8 10@8 15. Lard, per 100 fbs, \$4 97½@5 00. Short rib sides, loose, \$4 45@4 75. Dry salted shoulders, \$4 25@4 50. Short clear sides, boxed, \$4 95@5 00. Whiskey-Distillers' finished goods, per gallon, \$1 26.

Good Ordinary.... 4 13-16 " Low Middling..... 5 7-16 " " Middling 57/8 Good Middling 614 Same day last year middling 6c. Receipts-0 bales; same day last

rear, 106. COUNTRY PRODUCE. PEANUTS-North Carolina-Extra prime,75@80c per,bushel of 28 pounds; ancy, 80 to 85c. Virginia—Extra prime, 55 to 60c; fancy, 60c; Spanish, 8216 to 85c. CORN-Firm; 50 to 521/2 cents per RICE-Lowland

RECEIPTS.

Spirits Turpentine.....

Rosin.....

Crude Turpentine.....

N. C. BACON-steady; hams 10 to 11c per pound; shoulders, 6 to 7c; sides, 7 SHINGLES-Per thousand, inch, hearts and saps, \$2.25 to \$3.25; six inch, \$4.00 to 5.00; seven inch, \$5.50 to 6.50

STAR OFFICE, May 17. SPIRITS TURPENTINE.-Market teady at 38 cents for machine-made ROSIN-Market firm at 95 cents TAR.-Market firm at \$1.30 per CRUDE TURPENTINE.-Market

steady at \$1.35 per barrel for hard, \$2.30 for dip and \$2.40 for virgin. Quotations same day last year. Spirits turpentine, steady at 26 1/2 @ 26c; rosin dull at 95c@\$1.00; tar steady at \$1.10; crude turpentine steady at \$1.25, \$1.80@1.90. RECEIPTS. Spirits turpentine..... Rosin..... 215 Tar....

casks spirits turpentine, 129 bbls rosin, 62 bbls tar, 8 bbls crude turpentine. COTTON. Market quiet on a basis of 5%c per pound for middling. Quotations: Food Ordinary..... 3 7-16 cts 🏶 Good Ordinary 4 13-16 " Low Middling, 5 7-16 " Middling..... 57/8 Good Middling..... 614 "
Same day last year middling 6c. Receipts-0 bales; same day last

Receipts same day last year.-91

PEANUTS - North Carolina -Extra prime, 75 to 80c per bushel of Extra prime, 55 to 60c; fancy, 60c; ROUGH RICE-Lowland (tide

SHINGLES-Per thousand, five \$5.50 to 6.50. TIMBER-Market steady at \$2.50 to 6.50 per M.

COTTON MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star. NEW YORK, May 17.-From opening to close the shorts were kept in an uneasy frame of mind and at times covered freely, as a result of bullish information from the cotton belt, abroad, and, in fact, from nearly all directions. The market made a quiet and firm start, with prices one to three points higher, and steadily improved as the session progressed, reaching at the best figures a gain of six to seven points. The better feeling at the opening was due in a meas-ure to unmistakable evidences of firmness in the future department and a renewal of heavy demand for spot cot-SHINGLES—Per thousand five-inch hearts and saps, \$2,25 to 3.25; to at Liverpool. Private cables attested that the European cotton six-inch, \$4.00 to 5.00: seven-inch, trade had regarded the weekly weather bulletin as of bullish purport. To-day's information from the South led to the impression that rains were badly needed in a number of sections, that the crop was not making good stands, except possibly in Texas, and that insects were beginning to ravage cotton over large areas. The official weather re-port indicated high temperature and almost a total absence of rains over the entire region, and the forecast was for generally fair weather for the next day or two. Encouraging reports were received from Southern spot markets. The closing was steady at four to five points net higher. NEW YORK, May 17.-Cotton

steady; middling uplands 6 4c. Cotton futures market closed steady; May 5.86c, June 5.88c, July 5.92c, August 5.93c, September 5.90c, October 5.93c, November 5.94c, December 5.98c, \$1.10; crude turpentine firm at \$1.25, January 6.02c, February 6.05c, March Spot cotton closed, firm at 1-16c ad

HINGLES, 7-inch, per M..... TIMBER, r M feet—Shipping... Mill, Pair.... Inferior to ordinary.... BHINGLES, N.C. Cypress sawed " Sap..... 5x24 Heart..... 6x24 Heart.... TALLOW, 9 B. 5 00 WHISKEY, 9 gallon, Northern 1100 Whorth Carolina. 1100 Whosh of the Carolina washed. 110 Whosh of the Carolina washed. WOOL per B-Unwashed.....

MND IS A SYSTEM BUILDER, GIVES APPETITE & CORRECTS THE LIVER. ROBERTS' CHILL TONIC is sold Strictly on its Merits, It is the best Chill Tonic at the smallest price.

Market quiet on a basis of 5% cts per pound for middling. Quotations: 7-16 cts # 1 Good Ordinary 4 13-16 " Low Middling 5 7-16 " " Middling ... 5% "Good Middling ... 6½ "Same day last year middling 6c. Receipts-5 bales; same day last COUNTRY PRODUCE. PEANUTS - North Carolina Extra prime, 75 to 80c per bushel of 28 pounds; fancy, 80 to 85c. Virginia -Extra prime 55 to 60c; fancy, 60c; CORN-Firm; 50 to 521/2 cents per ROUGH RICE-Lowland water) 90c@\$1.10; upland, 65@80c. Quotations on a basis of 45 pounds to the bushel. N. C. BACON—Steady; hams 10 to 11c per pound; shoulders, 6 to 7c;

SHINGLES-Per thousand, inch hearts and saps, \$2.25 to 3.25; six-inch, \$4.00 to 5.00; seven-inch \$5.50 to 6.50 TIMBER-Market steady at \$2.50 to 3.50 per M. STAR OFFICE, May 16. SPIRITS TURPENTINE.-Market dull at 38 cents per gallon for ma-chine-made casks and 37½ cents per gallon for country casks, with no

sales. Sales at 371/2@37 cents. Spot Rio dull but steady; mild quiet. ROSIN-Market firm at 95 cents Sugar-Raw firm; refined firm. per barrel for Strained and \$1.00 TAR-Market firm at \$1.30 per bbl CRUDE TURPENTINE .- Market steady at \$1.35 per barrel for Hard, \$2.30 for Dip and \$2.40 for Virgin. lard and ribs 21@5c each. Quotations same day last year.— Spirits turpentine steady at 27@26 %c rosin, dull at 95c@\$1.00; tar firm at

\$1.10; crude turpentine firm at \$1.25, Receipts same day last year. -84 casks spirits turpentine, 262 bbls rosin, 145 bbls tar, 48 bbls crude tur-

WHOLESALE PRICES CURRENT.

Wholesale Prices generally. In making up small orders higher prices have to be charged. 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. 2 b Jute..... Standard..... ZESTERN SMOKED-

Northern Factory..... Dairy Cream.....

Laguyra.....

Mullets, p pork barrel..... N. C. Roe Herring, p keg..

Corn, from store, bgs-White

Car-load, in bgs-White...

North River..... HOOP IRON, \$ D......

Barbadoes, in hegshead....
Barbadoes, in barrels.....
Porto Rico, in barrels....
Sugar House, in hogsheads...
Sugar House, in barrels...

Syrup, in barrels... NAILS, \$ keg, Cut, 60d basis... PORK, \$ barrel— City Mess....

Rump.....

American On 125 9 Backs.....

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FLOUR-W D-

No. 2 % barrel... No. 2 % half-bbl.. No. 3, % barrel...

Shoulders & b.
Shoulders & b.
DRY SALTED—
Sides & b.
Shoulders & b.
BARRELS—Spirits Turpentine—
Second-hand, each. New New York, each..... water) 90c@\$1.10; upland 65@80c. Quotations on a basis of 45 pounds to RICKS— Wilmington W M..... North Carolina & b...... Northern
CORN MEAL—
Per bushel, in sacks
Virginia Meal.
COTTON TIES—
CANDLES—
D—
CANDLES—
D—

TIMBER-Market steady at \$2.50 to \$6.50 per M. DOMESTICScasks and 371/2 cents per gallon for country casks. per bbl for strained and \$1.00 for good strained bbl of 280 lbs.

TIMBER-Market steady at \$2.50 to

COUNTRY PRODUCE. 28 pounds; fancy, 80 to 85c. Virginia Spanish, 82½ to 85c. CORN—Firm; 50 to 52½ cents per water) 90c@\$1.10; upland 65@80c. Quotations on a basis of 45 pounds to

N. C. BACON-Steady; hams 10 to 11c per pound; shoulders, 6 to 7c; inch hearts and saps, \$2.25 to 3.25; six-inch, \$4.00 to 5.00; seven-inch,

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