

HOUSE PASSED PORTO RICO BILL. Gen. Roberts Reports Continued Fighting, Enemy Attack- ing Wepener.

Concurred in All Senate Amendments After a Long and Bitter Struggle. THE PACIFIC CABLE BILL Adopted by the Senate—Three Million Dollars Appropriated for Construction of the Line from San Francisco to Honolulu.

LONDON, April 12, 5 A. M.—There is little fresh intelligence from the seat of war in South Africa. It looks as though Lord Roberts may be preparing to take a strong force to clear the Boers from behind him. A Cape Town dispatch says he will not move for another week, owing to the necessity of gathering stores and supplies.

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Gen. Gatacre Removed. General Gatacre's return to England is accepted as being in the nature of a recall, though no reason is given for his removal.

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CRAWFORD-PEARSON CASE. Democratic Members of the North Carolina Delegation Voted Solidly Against the Porto Rican Tariff Bill. [Special Star Telegram.] WASHINGTON, D. C., April 11.—Representative Roberts, of Massachusetts, who has in charge the majority report in the Pearson-Crawford case, to-day said that he did not think he would call the matter up before at least two weeks, as he does not wish to antagonize appropriations and other important measures.

Fighting at Elandslaagte. LADYSMITH, April 10.—The Boers opened fire this morning early, sending shells into the British camp at Elandslaagte from three positions widely separated. The shells did no damage. The troops moved out to reconnoitre and found the Boers in strong force and well fortified. A naval 4 inch gun replied to the Boers, which were again placed a long Tom in position.

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THE CASSIE BOONE MURDER. COTTON MARKETS.

Case Gone to the Jury—Attorneys for Defense Expect Acquittal. BY TELEGRAPH TO THE MORNING STAR. CHARLESTON, S. C., April 11.—The Cassie Boone murder case on trial at Chesterfield, this State, has gone to the jury and a verdict is expected to-night. The attorneys for the defense were not satisfied with the testimony of the testimonial given by one of the four accused men who turned State's evidence that they put up no witness.

Editor's Awful Fight. F. M. Higgins, Editor Seneca, (Ill.) News, was afflicted for years with Piles that no doctor or remedy helped. He tried Bucklen's Arnica Salve. He writes two boxes wholly cured him. It's the surest pile cure on earth and it will be the verification of the fact that the woman was drunk, fell in the fire and thus caused her own death.

Department of Havana Will Be Placed Under His Command May 1st. WASHINGTON, April 11.—The President to-day issued an order merging the departments of Havana and Pinar del Rio, Cuba, under the command of General Fitzhugh Lee, with headquarters at Quetzalcoatl. The change will take effect May 1st. At present General Ludlow is in command of the department of Havana which is to be amalgamated with Pinar del Rio.

Robbed the Grave. A startling incident, of which Mr. John Oliver, of Philadelphia, was the subject, is narrated by him as follows: "I was in a most dreadful condition. My skin was almost yellow, eyes sunken, tongue coated, pain continually in my back and sides, no appetite, continually growing weaker day by day. Three physicians had given me up. Fortunately, a friend advised trying 'Electric Bitters' and to my great joy and surprise, the first bottle made a decided improvement. I continued their use for three weeks and am now a well man. I know they saved my life, and robbed the grave of another victim." No one should fail to try them. Only 50 cents; guaranteed at R. R. BELLAMY'S drug store.

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COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET. STAR OFFICE, April 5. SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market steady at 55 1/2 cents per gallon for machine made casks and 53 cents per gallon for country casks.

COUNTRY PRODUCE. PEANUTS—North Carolina—Prime, 70c. Extra prime, 75c. per bushel of 28 pounds; fancy, 77 1/2@80c. Virginia—Prime, 50c; extra prime, 55c; fancy, 60c.

STAR OFFICE, April 6. SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Nothing steady at 55 1/2 cents per gallon for machine made casks and 53 cents per gallon for country casks.

STAR OFFICE, April 7. SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market steady at 55 1/2 cents per gallon for machine made casks and 53 cents per gallon for country casks.

STAR OFFICE, April 11. Cotton steady; middling uplands 9 13/16. Cotton futures closed steady; April 9 1/4, May 8 3/4, June 8 1/2, July 8 1/8, August 7 5/8, September 7 1/2, October 7 1/8, November 7 1/8, December 7 1/8.

STAR OFFICE, April 12. Cotton steady; middling uplands 9 13/16. Cotton futures closed steady; April 9 1/4, May 8 3/4, June 8 1/2, July 8 1/8, August 7 5/8, September 7 1/2, October 7 1/8, November 7 1/8, December 7 1/8.

STAR OFFICE, April 13. Cotton steady; middling uplands 9 13/16. Cotton futures closed steady; April 9 1/4, May 8 3/4, June 8 1/2, July 8 1/8, August 7 5/8, September 7 1/2, October 7 1/8, November 7 1/8, December 7 1/8.

STAR OFFICE, April 14. Cotton steady; middling uplands 9 13/16. Cotton futures closed steady; April 9 1/4, May 8 3/4, June 8 1/2, July 8 1/8, August 7 5/8, September 7 1/2, October 7 1/8, November 7 1/8, December 7 1/8.

STAR OFFICE, April 15. Cotton steady; middling uplands 9 13/16. Cotton futures closed steady; April 9 1/4, May 8 3/4, June 8 1/2, July 8 1/8, August 7 5/8, September 7 1/2, October 7 1/8, November 7 1/8, December 7 1/8.

NAVAL STORES MARKETS.

New York, April 11.—Rosin was steady. Spirits turpentine quiet at 54 1/2@57c. CHARLESTON, April 11.—Spirits turpentine was firm at 51 1/4; sales 10 casks. Rosin firm; sales—barrels. Prices unchanged.

STAR OFFICE, April 12. SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market firm at 53 1/2 cents per gallon for machine made casks and 53 cents per gallon for country casks.

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STAR OFFICE, April 15. SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market firm at 53 1/2 cents per gallon for machine made casks and 53 cents per gallon for country casks.

STAR OFFICE, April 16. SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market firm at 53 1/2 cents per gallon for machine made casks and 53 cents per gallon for country casks.

STAR OFFICE, April 17. SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market firm at 53 1/2 cents per gallon for machine made casks and 53 cents per gallon for country casks.

STAR OFFICE, April 18. SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market firm at 53 1/2 cents per gallon for machine made casks and 53 cents per gallon for country casks.

STAR OFFICE, April 19. SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market firm at 53 1/2 cents per gallon for machine made casks and 53 cents per gallon for country casks.

Wholesale Prices Current. Baggings, Standard, etc. Major's Cement. To Repair Broken Articles.