# Entertainment at Portsmouth.

By Cable to the Morning Star. LONDON, July 8.-Rear Admiral Cotton, Captain Hemphill of the United States flagship Kearsarge, and the other American officers who are to attend to-night's state ball at Buckingham palace, arrived in London to-day, accompanied by Rear Admiral Milne, the representative of King Edward, and took up quarters at various hotels as guests of the nation. Subsequently, in full uniform they paid a round of official visits.

The fifteen hundred American of-

ficers and men remaining at Ports-mouth are being entertained in various ways, including a luncheon at the Volunteer Rifle hall, at which the mayor presided. In toasting King Edward the mayor said he believed his Majesty's efforts to promote friendship and good will between Great Britain and other countries were fully appreciated by the United States. Toasting President Roosevelt, the

mayor said: "He is held here in the highest esteem and regard. The President labors most assiduously to promote the welfare of the United States and further is actuated by a sincere desire to strengthen the bonds of friendship and concord uniting the two coun-

The final toast was to the United States navy, in which the mayor cor-dially welcomed the United States European squadron to Portsmouth as being further proof of the friendly feeling of President Roosevelt.

LONDON, July 8.-King Edward signally honored the officers of the American squadron to-night at the state ball given at Buckingham Palace -the climax of the visit of President Loubet. His majesty formally re-ceived Admiral Cotton, the captains of the American ships and twenty-five of the junior American officers, and Queen Alexandra later gave them the same distinction. The ball—the first since the accession of King Edward was ta brilliant function, 2,200 guests being present, including President Loubet and his suite, practically all of the ambassadors and ministers in London, the majority of the members of the royal family, prominent repre-sentatives of the nobility and of the officers of the American and French squadrons now in British waters.

To Rear Admiral Cotton, the King expressed his gratification at the visit of the squadron, and inquired if all arrangements had been made for the comfort of the American officers and sailors. Admiral Cotton replied that he had fallen among friends and every care nad been taken of himsel and others. His majesty had a pleasant word to say to each of the officers presented. The admiral, his captain and Staff Lieutenant Hussey were then presented to Queen Alexandra.

EVANSVILLE RACE TROUBLE

Sheriff Sent to Jeffersonville to Bring Back the Negro Murderer of Police Officer Massey for Trial.

By Telegraph to the Morning Scar EVANSVILLE, IND., July 8.-Acting under orders of Judge Rasch, Sheriff Kraiz left secretly this evening for the Indiana reformatory, at Jeffersonville, to bring back Lee Brown, the wounded negro who killed Patrolman Massey last Friday. It was this kill-ing and the desire of the mob to lynch Brown that precipitated the rioting here. Brown was secretly removed to Vincennes early Sunday morning and from Vincennes to the State prison at Jeffersonville for safe keeping. How Sheriff Kratz will bring the negro here and what hour he will arrive will be kept secret if possible.

The sheriff took with him one deputy and Dr. Gilbert, who will try to prevent the negro dying from the bullet in his lung. If the negro shall be succesfully placed in the jail here, his trial for the killing of Patrolman Massey will be rushed through, and unless a change of venue shall be taken, the troops will be held here until after the

A venire of fifty names was drawn sccretly this afternoon, from which an effort will be made to secure a jury. The court will appoint an attorney to defend Brown. The court house and jail are still guarded night and day by the Martinaville and Evansvile companies, the latter company being stationed inside the building.

Five arrests were made to-day on grand jury presentments for the rioting Sunday night. Those under arrest are Richard Grosbeck, Who was socialist candidate for city clerk; A. P. Cardwell, a furniture merchant; J. Zeigler, William Trimble and Jas. Steel. All were released under bond The coron r heard evidence to-day on the shooting Monday night. He has no more deaths to-day.

## THE JEWISH PETITION.

Presentation to the Czar of Russia Expected Within a Week.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star. WASHINGTON, July 8. -Secretary Hay returned to Washington to day after his conference with President Roosevelt at Oyster Bay on foreign affairs. It may be stated that the President and his Secretary of State are in absolute accord upon everything that has been done in connection with the Jewish petition, the Manchurian issues and other important pending and open questions. There has been no change of plan respecting the Jewish petition so far as the general features are concerned. Between now and the date of the presentation of the petition, which is expected to be within a week, the State Department' will outline a plan which probably will look either to the dispatch of the original petition to the United States embassy at St Petersburg for Mr. Riddle's treatment, or an inquiry may be made direct from Washington by cable and without at first dispatching the petition, as to whether it will be received.

## GENERAL LONGSTREET

Dangerously III at His Home in Gainesville, Georgia.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star. MACON, GA., July 8 .- A Gaineaville dispatch to the Telegraph says that General James Longstreet is dangerously ill and that physicians will perform an operation to-morrow for the removal of his left eye, destroyed by a cancer. On account of his age, 81, he may not be able to withstand the shock, though he has assented to the opera-

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# The Meekin Star POPE'S CONDITION STILL CRITICAL.

His Life May Be Prolonged, But Hope of His Recovery is Very Slight.

GRADUALLY GROWS WEAKER.

His Doctors Criticised-Some of the Cardinals Ask That Other Physicians be Called in for Consultation. They Garry Their Point.

By Cable to the Morning Star. Rome, July 8.—The physicians in attendance upon Pope Leo at a quarter to ten o'clock this morning posted

the following bulletin. "The night passed tranquilly enough, although the Pontiff had no restorative sleep; the pulse was frequent but regular; breathing was as free as last night. However, the general condition of the patient is not tranquilizing, because of the state of depression which at intervals in-

As can be seen by the bulletin the Pope's condition to day is not so favorable as it was last night, due to the fact that the improvement after the operation of yesterday has not assumed the proportions the doc-tors wished. While the in-flammation of the lungs is decreasing the patient's general condition does not improve, and there is a tendency towards a radical change for the worse. The Pontiff is extremely weak and even chloral seems to have lost its power to give the sufferer the relief of tranquil rest. Besides, what depresses the Pope is the difficulty he is experiencing in breathing. At times he appears to be upon the point of stran-gulation and then his breathing grad-ually becomes weaker until his heart apparently stops.

Another great pre-occupation of the doctors is the derangement of the patient's kidneys, as a result of which blood poisoning is feared. The outlook now is that the Pope's life may perhaps be prolonged more than could have been expected thirty-six hours ago, but the hopes of his recovery are still very small.

Doctors Criticised.

This evening Dr. Mazzoni was suddenly called out of the sick chamber by Cardinal Rampolla and a hurried whispered conversation ensued. This gave rise to all kinds of rumors, but it was soon explained that Cardinal Rampolla had taken upon himself the duty of acting as mouth-piece for some of the intimate friends and relatives of the Pope, who suggested the advisability of calling certain other doctors

Dr. Mazzoni replied that he had not the least objection to such a consultation, but that the symptoms and course of the disease were so clear and well defined as to leave no doubt as to the diagnosis. He, therefore, was unable to see the necessity for the step pro-posed. No decision has yet been reached about the matter. It became known later in the day

that the motive for Dr. Mazzoni's sud den call by Cardinal Rampolla originated in what Vatican circles have already baptized as "the rebellion of the cardinals" against Dr. Lapponi. It appears that some of the cardinals complained of the doctor's treatment of the patient, thinking that Dr. Lapponi had not since the beginning detected that the Pope was suffering from an affection of the pleura, and thus, they said, allowing the disease to assume a gravity which otherwise might perhaps have been avoided. Dr. Lapponi, who is supported by Dr. Mazzoni, indignantly repudiated the idea. However, the criticising cardinals not only maintained their view, but succeeded in reaching the ear of Cardinal Rampolla. Besides this, the Pope's relatives proposed that a con-sultation: be held with the most illustrious physicians, naming Dr. Antonio Cardarella and Dr. Guido But apart from the Raccelli, question of hurting Dr. Lapponi's feelings, further difficulty thereupon arose, owing to the existing relations between Church and State, Dr. Cardarelli, being an Italian senstor, thus making him obnoxious to the Papal party. Dr. Racelli's position is even more difficult. In addition to having been a member of the Chamber of Deputies for thirty years, he is minister of commerce, industry and

agriculture. In spite of these objections, the wishes of the Pecci family were respected and it was announced that Doctors Lapponi and Mazzoni would consult with Dr. Cardarelli to-morrow

Dr. Mazzoni and the Pope.

The following particulars were obtained of the doctor's visit this morning to the Pope: "How feels his holiness?" asked Dr.

"I do not feel as well; I am weaker," replied the pontiff. "Perhaps you did not sleep suffi-ciently?" "No, no," answered the Pontiff. "I was better last night. I am sorry, because to day should be a

day of great work." "Surely," Dr. Mazzoni replied, "his holiness does not intend to work?" "Certainly," answered the Pope. "I have so many things to do, but I am

afraid I have not the strength." Both of the doctors then proceeded to convince the Pope of the necessity for rest, urging him not to place obstacles in the way of his recovery.
"I shall do as you wish," said the

Pope, in conclusion, with a sigh of resignation. Afterwards his boliness expressed desire to rise, saying he would be more comfortable in his arm-chair. The Pope's attendant, Rlo Centra, then proceeded to help him to arise, but the Pope refused his assistance, saying he could still move by himself. In fact, without any help ex-cept that afforded by his cane, the Pontiff walked a few steps to his armchair, repeating now and then:

am weaker, I am weaker." Part of the work referred to by the Pope was to repeat a novena to the Madonna of the Carmelites, whose feast begins to-day. The Pope is a very devout- venerator of this Madonna, always carrying her image about his neck.

The Conclave.

PARIS, July 8.—It has been stated here in dispatches from Rome that Cardinal Mathieu would in the event of the death of the Pope claim for

The Formula tells the story:

The Best General Tonic.

France the ancient rite to exercise "high patronage" (the right to contro") at the conclave. The correspondent of the Associated Press made an inquiry on the subject at the foreign office here and learned that the report was untrue. No such instruc-tions have been sent to Cardinal Ma-thleu or to any other cardinal. The presence of Cardinal Mathieu at the Vatican is due to the fact that he is a member of the papal government which necessitates his attendance under the circumstances. His action is quite independent of any influence

Condition More Encouraging.

Except for the brief time he passed in the arm-chair, the Pope lay in bed throughout the day, shifting his position frequently without assistance, and occasionally taking a draught of diluted wine with the yolks of eggs. The only solid food he has taken is calve's brains and most broth.

calve's brains and meat broth.

The later official bulletin, following a consultation between Doctors Lapponi and Mazzoni, completely contra-dicted the alarmist reports, and gave a most favorable statement. This was disclosed in the improved pulse, better respiration and ameliorated general condition. Dr. Marzoni said in a conversation following the issuance of the 8:15 P, M. bulletin, that while the Pope's condition still continued desperate, recovery was not entirely im-

ROME, July 9.-5:25 A.M.-The Pope s asleep. The condition of his lungs s not worse. There is as yet no suspicion of serum gathering again in the pleura, but the disorder of his kidneys is disquieting.

During the early part of the night His Holiness was somewhat

restlesss. The occasional brief periods of sleep were disturbed by difficulty in breathing. Dr. Lap-pani and Pope Leo's valet, Pio Cen-tra, did their best to nourish the patient at brief intervals. The Pontiff spoke little and seemed much depressed. Chloral and caffeine were administered with good effect. About sunrise the Pontiff fell into a more restorative sleep than he had had all

A Mysterious Disappearance. The disappearance of Benjamin Bathurst, a kinsman of Lord Bathurst, has never been explained. Bathurst was sent on a secret mission to Vienna at the time that England, before opening the peninsula campaign, sought to persuade Austria to declare by way of distraction war against France. Austria soon after crossed the French frontier, and Bathurst received hints of threatened personal doom. Hoping to avoid examination, he took a northerly route in returning to England, and on reach ing Perleberg, in Brandenburg, he visited in his agitation the commandant of cuirassiers, requesting that sentries might mount guard at the inn where he stopped. These were supplied, and Bathurst spent the day in writing and destroying letters.

Shortly before his the door in the dusk of a November evening he told some troopers who escorted him that they might withdraw. While all the household was on the alert to see him off he walked beyond the circle of the lantern glare and was lost to sight at the head of the horses. This occurred on Nov. 25, 1809, and Bathurst was never seen or heard of more, notwithstanding that England offered £2,000 reward and Prussia 100 Friedrichs d'or for the discovery even of his remains.

A gentleman calling on an M. P. one day while waiting in the reception room was attracted by the manner of the small attendant and started a random conversation.

"And how much do you earn a week, my boy," he inquired. "Ten pounds," said the youngster with avidity. Being shown into the member's private office just then, the visitor's sur-

prise found vent in words. "Mighty bright youth you have there to be getting £10 a week," he remarked. "Why," said the M. P., "he only gets 22 shillings." "But he told me just now you were

giving him £10 a week," persisted the gentleman. "Nonsense," said the M. P., and he touched the bell. "Billy," he said, "did you tell this gentleman I was paying

you £10 a week?" "No, sir." "You didn't? Well, what did you вау ?" "I said I earned it," was the prompt

and stout rejoinder.

Dainty Chairs. A firm of upholsterers became so busy that they could no longer keep pace with the work they had to do, so they called on a little jobbing cabinet maker and asked him if he would make

half a dozen chairs for them by a certain date. The man took the order and lost but little time in executing it and still less time in obtaining the money for them. The work, however, turned out to be a failure, and the firm sent for the man and exposed to his view quite a heap

of the various limbs that go to make a The practical joiner gave a look of surprise and proceeded to pick up the pieces and place them together without saying a word.

Presently he laid the pieces back again in a heap and, looking at them, exclaimed in a most emphatic manner, "Why, those chairs must have been sat on!"-Kansas City Independent.

No Pity Shown.

"For years fate was after me con tinuously," writes F. A. Gulledge, of Verbena, Ala. "I had a terrible case of Piles, causing twenty-four tumors.
When all failed Bucklen's Arnica
Salve cured me." Equally as good for
Burns and all Aches and Paines. Only 25 cents at R. R. BELLAMY's drug store.

- Five cars on extra freight train No. 650 were derailed at the Manly siding Monday night, three of them embankment. They were loaded with lumber and were considerably wrecked, one lying entirely bottom upward.

- For the year ending June, 1903, the white yeople of Wake county paid into the general school fund \$28,378.68, and the negroes paid \$2,321.76. The above includes I "Yes; and can't keep still in any the tax from property and polls.

# WAR CLOUD IN THE FAR EAST.

An Important Conference of Russian Officials Held at Port Arthur.

WAR OUESTION CONSIDERED

Russian Policy Believed to Be to Ho Present Positions in Manchuria and to Take No Steps to Avert Hostility With Japan.

By Cable to the Morning Star. KIN-CHAU, Opposite New Chwang, Manchuria, July 8 .- All the prominent Russian officials in China, Manchuria and Korea are attending the conference at Port Arthur. Among them are Minister of War Kuropatkin; Admiral Alexieff; the Russian ministers at Pekin and Seoul; the political agents in China and Korea, including M. Pokotiloff, recently Russian financial representative at Pekin: General Desino, the military agent in China; the civil and military officers at Mukden, Harbin and Kirin and the

administrator of New Chwang.

The proceedings at the conference are enveloped in profound secrecy. It is popularly supposed that the Russian officials are considering war questions. tions. The foreign commercial offi-cials at New Chwang and Port Arthur believe that the possibility of war is increasing steadily. The Russian pol-icy is believed to be to hold the pres-ent positions in Manchuris, including New Chwang, and to take no steps to avert hostility with Japan if it is assured that Japan will fight unsided.
The war feeling among the Japanese
in North China is intensifying.
The Russian civil administrator,

with the governor general of New Chwang, has commenced the erection of government buildings designed to hold all Russian offices, including the telegraph and telephone departments. in the centre of the foreign settlement, partly on land ceded by the Chinese, according to the Russian explanation, and partly on the public square, about which the foreign consulates are congregated. The residents of other nationalities are preparing to protes against this encroachment on the pub ic square.

purchase of the river steam tug busi ness heretofore controlled by a British company. This is regarded as an important step towards Russian control of the harbor. SHANGHAI, July 8.—The American treaty negotiations are deadlocked, owing to the failure of the Chinese authorities at Pekin to reply to the

demand for the opening of Manchu-

A Russian company completed the

#### WARM WIRELETS.

Two deaths occurred in Memphis yesterday as a direct result of the severe heat, a maximum temperature of 94 degrees being reached.

A Baltimore dispatch says: Cardinal Gibbons left for New York over the Pennsylvania railroad at 1:18 P. M., yesterday, on his way to Rome. The Georgia House of Representatives, by a vote of 89 to 75, killed the child labor bill, which prevented the employing of children in cotton mills

under a certain age limit. General Cassius M.; Clay, of Kentucky, has been pronounced by a jury to be of unsound mind. He will be sent to an asylum, this action being taken to protect his property.

Six deaths and a score of prostrations bore witness to the advent of a hot wave in Chicago yesterday. The temperature during the afternoon reached 92 at the weather bureau.

J. C. Adams, his wife and son, Jefferson, have been arrested at Bonanza, Ark., on charges of making and passing counterfeit money. A counterfeiter's outfit and a can containing \$300 worth of spurious coin was found in the Adams barn.

The Huntington estate in California has been equally divided between the two heirs of the late C. P. Huntington. They are Arabella Huntington, his widow, and H. E. Huntington, a nephew of the deceased millionaire. This is the first division of the \$60,-000,000 estate and a distribution of the

Eastern properties will soon follow. The Shoe and Leather Mercantile Agency, of Boston, has announced the assignment of the large boot and shoe manufacturing firm of Ara Cushman & Company, of Boston and Auburn, Maine. The firm did a business of \$1,250,000 per annum and has liabilities estimated at between \$40,-000 and \$500,000.

At Pensacola, Fls., while a number of boys were fishing for shark, one of them, Carl Johnson, tied his line about his waist and threw the hook in the water. In a few moments a big fish took the bait and finding itself caught lunged for the bottom, drag-ging the little fellow from the wharf. He disappeared beneath the surface and was never seen again.

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## IT FLASHED FOR THROCMORTON

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"Gentlemen, have you agreed upon a verdict?" asked the clerk of twelve solemn faced men in the jury box.
"We have," responded the foreman,
handing a folded paper to the clerk, who read aloud the indorsement on the back: "We, the jury, find the prisoner

guilty of murder in the first degree, as charged in the indictment." "William Throcmorton," said Judge Smithson, with judicial sternness, "after a fair trial, defended by able counsel, you stand convicted of the cruel and deliberate murder of Olive

"It has been shown that the young

woman had promised to become your wife. Her parents, confiding in your honorable intentions, had recognized you as her accepted lever and the door of their home was open to you. "While the motive in your crime is not apparent, the facts which fasten upon you are linked into a chain of

circumstances strong and incontrovertible. "You stood with Olive Graham or the porch of her home; an instant later her cry for mercy was heard by her parents above the storm then raging. Hastening to her assistance, they found her murdered body on the slope

"You were taken soon after, as it were, red handed, the bloody knife with which the deed was done having been found upon your person. "You have pleaded 'not guilty,' but have not disproved a single fact the

of the hill a rod from the door.

state alleged against you. "The penalty of your crime as by statute fixed is death. Have you anything to say why the sentence should not be pronounced?"

Throcmorton was a pink of physical manhood, well knit, erect, with a character as straight as his form. He held a medal from "the management" and was the wearer of a watch, the gift of grateful passengers when he was taken from the wreck of his engine. "Throc," as they called him, was more than liked; he was loved by the grimy roadmen. When the last word fell from Judge Smithson, the character of the man

and the stubborn facts of the case stood in solemn contrast. In such a contest character must lose. The eyes of Throcmorton shone straight into the eyes of the judge. There was nothing of bravado in his

manner, neither tremor nor sign of weakening. "If it please your honor," responded the prisoner, rising as he spoke, "it will shock you and all present when I say I mourn for Olive Graham and am innocent. But what is it worth to say it in the face of the evidence? Had I sat with the jury I must have-come to their verdict. I am ready, your honor, for the sentence."

Moved by some sudden impulse, the judge turned to the sheriff and said in a faltering voice: "Remove the prisoner and return him for sentence to the bar of this court. The day and hour the court will later indicate." . . . . . . .

Old Graham was a pensioned track inspector, who loved the thunder of trains and scream of whistles. He had built his house thirty feet from the roadbed. Just back of it and extending down to the track was an abrupt twenty foot cliff of shale, the perpendicular face of which was smooth. It was in front of it that they

found the body of Olive. No. 49 just ran out of the round house, had backed up and coupled to the St. Louis express. It was Tom Doyle's pet engine. Doyle was looking from the cab window for the signal to start. As an engineer he was a good second to Throc-

morton. He was Throc's next friend and was to have been best man at his wedding. He believed Throcmorton was inno cent because he couldn't believe otherwise. But there were the facts, and

when he thought of them there was s lump in his throat. Ted Elzie, Doyle's fireman, had just raked the grate when a squad of the boys came by.

"What's the news?" asked Ted. "Throc's guilty an' got to swing," came back from the crowd. "Fifty juries couldn't make me be

lieve Throc killed Ollie Grah'm," said Doyle, emphasizing with his fist on the window sill. The day had been sweltering, clouds had gathered and the night was black. It was down grade, and Tom Doyle, with hand on throttle valve and eve on the rails, was ready to slack at

the curve. The storm had burst, and just as the engine struck the curve a flash of lightning and the focus of the headlight met full on the face of the cliff. The sight Tom Doyle saw made him reel and grip the lever. . . . . .

"A letter for Mr. Absalom Conway!" called out Goggin, the worthy proprietor of a San Francisco gambling den, putting emphasis on "Mr. Absalom." "That's you, Ab, I reckon," he added, tossing him the letter. Mr. Conway eyed the letter full a

minute and, looking nervously over his shoulder, tore the envelope. W---o, Aug. 4, 1899. Friend Ab-They say my nerves is broke an' I mus' run half time or throw up. I'll divvy my runs with you, an' if

my nerves don't mend yours is the job fer good. Right away you must come. An' it's yours I am, TOM DOYLE. . . . . . . In the cab of No. 49 sat Absalom Conway to tivide the run with Doyle,

Ted Elzie was fireman. There was distant thunder; big drops began to patter and the wind raised. A storm was "Jump into the cab, Ted, just 'fore

we strike the curve," said Doyle below. his breath as he put foot on the engine Forked fire tore the sky, shattered telegraph poles and played in blue flames around the engine wheels as

A flash of tremendous voltage, and the cliff glowed white within the headlight's circle. Conway's hand dropped from the lever, and he stood dazed and trem-

they sped onward.

"Me and Ted saw it, Ab," said Doyle. "In mercy's name, what made you do it?" Before he could catch himself Conway exclaimed, "She jilted me, and I swore she'd never marry Throcmor-

"And how did Throc come by the bloody knife?" asked Doyle. "I dropped it into his coat pocket as dashed by him half way back to town," replied Conway and, becoming dogged, quit answering.

on the smooth face of the rock marked the place where the headlight focused as the engine struck the curve. A frame supporting apparatus had been set opposite by Professor White of the State university. It was connected by wires with the town power

Judge Smithson, members of the bar and representatives of the press were present. Old Graham and his wife stood by, Throcmorton supporting them, and Tom Doyle, with Ted, was

much in evidence. At a signal from Professor White an intense light from the apparatus was

thrown upon the spot. There was a suppressed exclamation as a picture appeared within the cir-

It was more than life size and be came plainer as the light intensified. There upon the face of the rock stood the grim counterpart of Absalom Conway. His right arm encircled Olive Graham's waist, his left hand clutching the identical knife in half iescended stroke.

"Lightning photography," said the prefessor, "is classed as a freak among natural phenomena. The picture can only be seen under light approaching in brightness the flash that fixed it."

"Please, sir." said the tattered beg gar, "give me a few coins. I haven't a cent, haven't eaten a thing today and have no place to sleep." The well dressed man stopped sharp ly, regarded the beggar a moment and

The Poor Man and the Beggar.

then said: "My man, my luncheon today cos another fellow \$4.85, and now I'm walking from here to Seventy-second street because I haven't a nickel. My rent bill of \$780 is due tomorrow. I'm \$1,000 overdrawn at the bank. A man that owes me \$20,000 killed himself yesterday. My yacht, auto, diamonds and paintings are all mortgaged, and my wife is suing for divorce. Now, sir, which is the worse off?" The beggar took a nickel from hi clothes and handed it sliently to the

The well dressed man looked aston ished. Then he threw a five dollar bill at the tattered mendicant and walked away .- New York Press.

Brutally Tortured.

A case came to light that for persistent and unmerciful torture has perhaps never been equalled. Joe Golo-bick, of Colusa, Cal., writes: "For fifteen years I endured insufferable pain from Rheumatism and nothing relieved me, though I tried everything known. I came across Electric Bitters, and it's the greatest medicine on earth for that trouble. A few botiles of it completely relieved and cured me." Just as good for Liver and Kidney troubles and general debility. Only 50 cents. Satisfaction guaranteed by R. R. BELLAMY, drug-

## NAVAL STORES MARKETS

By Telegraph to the Morning Star. NEW YORK, July 8.-Rosin steady. Strained, common to good, \$2 006 2 021/2. Spirits turpentine firm at 51@ 51%c.

CHARLESTON, July 8-Spirits tur Rosin steady; sales — barrels; A, B,C, \$1 55; D, \$1 60, E \$1 65; F, \$1 70; G \$1 75; H, \$2 20; I, \$2 55; K, \$2 70; M, \$2 80; N, \$2 90; W G, \$3 00; W W

BAVARHAH, July 8 .- Spirits turpentine steady at 47%c; receipts 867 casks; sales 704 casks; exports 1,337 casks. Rosin—Market firm; receipts 2,147 barrels; sales 1,579 barrels; exports 1,008 barrels: A, B, C, \$1 60; D, \$1 65; E, 1 70; F, \$1 75, G, \$1 80; H, \$2 25; I, \$2 65; K \$2 80; M, \$2 90; N, \$3 00; W G, \$3 10; W W, \$3 30.

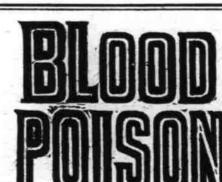
#### COTTON MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star NEW YORK, July 8.-Cotton quiet at 11.60; net receipts 122 bales; gross eccipts 129 bales; stock 163,230 bales. Futures closed firm as follows July 11.45, August 11.38, Septembe 10.44, October 9.79, November 9.64. December 9.62, January 9.58, February .55, March 9.55.

Spot cotton closed quiet; middling uplands 11.60; middling gulf 11.85c sales 901 bales. Total to-day, at all seaports-Net re ceipts 3,552 bales; exports to Great Britain 201 bales; exports to France - bales; exports to the Continent

759 bales; stock 250,179 bales. Consolidated, at all seaports-Net eccipts 12,909 bales; exports to Great Britain 854 bales; exports to France 5,000 bales; exports to the Continent 372 bales; exports to Japan - bales. Total since September 1st, at all seaports—Net receipts 7,676,454 bales; exports to Great Britain 2,758,371 bales; exports to France 769,324 bales; ex ports to the Continent 2,791,295 bales; exports to Japan 130,733 bales.

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#### COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET Quoted officially at the closing by the Chambe STAR OFFICE, July 2.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE-Market

steady at 46%c per gallon. ROSIN—Nothing doing. TAR-Market firm at \$1.65 per bar el of 280 lbs. CRUDE TURPENTINE - Market firm at \$1.75 per barrel for hard, \$3.00 for dip, \$3.25 for virgin. Quotations same day last year— Spirits turpentine nothing doing; rosin steady at \$1.10@1.15; tar firm at \$1.50; crude turpentine firm at \$1.40,

2.50@2.60. RECEIPTS. Tar. 49
Crude turpentine. 168
Receipts same day last year—97 casks spirits turpentine, 244 barrels rosin, 99 barrels tar, 164 barrels crude Market nominal.

Same day last year, market firm at e for middling. Receipts- - bales: same day last

[Corrected Regularly by Wilmington Product Commission Merchants, prices representing those paid for produce consigned to Commission Merchants.]

COUNTRY PRODUCE. PEANUTS-North Carolina, firm. Prime, 65c; extra prime, 70c; fancy, 75c, per bushel of twenty-eight pounds. Virginia—Prime, 60c; extra prime, 65c; fancy, 70c. Spanish 75c. CORN—Firm, 65@67%c per bushel for white.
N. C. BACON—Steady; hams 14@
15c per pound; shoulders, 10@121/c;

sides, 12%c.
EGGS—Dull at 14@15c per dozen.
CHICKENS—Firm. Grown, 20@ 5c ; springs, 15@25c. TURKEYS—Firm at 13@13%c for BEESWAX-Firm at 25c. TALLOW-Firm at 5%@6%c per

pound.

SWEET POTATOES-Firm at 600 BEEF CATTLE-Firm at 2@5c per [Quoted officially at the closing by the Chamber of Commerce.] STAR OFFICE, July 3.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE-Market

firm at 46%c per gallon. ROSIN—Nothing doing TAR-Market firm at \$1.65 per bar rel of 280 pounds. CRUDE TURPENTINE - Market firm at \$1.75 per barrel for hard, \$3.00 for dip, \$8.25 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—
Spirits turpentine nothing doing; rosin steady at \$1.10@1.15; tar firm at \$1.50; crude turpentine firm at \$1.40,

2.50@2.60. Tar. Receipts same day last year—181 casks spirits turpentine, 251 barrels rosin, 213 barrels tar, 198 barrels crude turpentine.

Market nominal. Same day last year, market firm at e for middling. Receipts -- bales: same day last year, 1. Corrected Regularly by Wilmington Produce Commission Merchants, prices representing those paid for produce consigned to Commis-

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EGGS—Dull at 14@15c per dozen.
Grown, 20@

CHICKENS-Firm. Grown, 20@ 35c; springs, 15@25c. TURKEYS—Firm at 13@13%c for BEESWAX—Firm at 25c.
TALLOW—Firm at 51/261/c per pound. SWEET POTATOES-Firm at 60c per bushel

BEEF CATTLE-Firm at 2@5c per pound. [Quoted officially at the closing of the Chamb STAR OFFICE, July 6. SPIRITS TURPENTINE-Nothing oing. ROSIN—Nothing doing. TAR-Market firm at \$1.65 per bar-

rel of 280 lbs. CRUDE TURPENTINE - Market firm at \$1.75 per barrel for hard, \$3.00 for dip, \$3.25 for virgin. Quotations same day last year-Spirits turpentine quiet at 44c; rosin steady at \$1.10@1.15; tar firm at \$1.50; crude turpentine firm at \$1.40,

2.50@2.60. Crude turpentine.....

Receipts -- bales; same day last vear, 15. Corrected Regularly by Wilmington Produce Commission Merchants, prices representing those paid for produce consigned to Commis-sion Merchants. COUNTRY PRODUCE.

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EGGS—Dull at 14@15c per dozen. CHICKENS-Firm. Grown, 20@ 5c; springs, 15@25c. TURKEYS—Firm at 18@18%c for

BEESWAX-Firm at 25c. TALLOW-Firm at 5%@6%c pa SWEET POTATOES-Firm at 60c BEEF CATTLE-Firm at 2@5c per pound.

(Quoted officially at the closing by the Chamber

STAR OFFICE, July 7.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE-Market firm at 47c per gallon.

ROSIN—Nothing doing.

TAR—Market firm at \$1.65 per bar-TAR—Market firm at \$1.65 per barrel of 280 pounds.

CRUDE TURPENTINE — Market
firm at \$1.75 per barrel for hard, \$3.00
for dip, \$3.25 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—
Spirits turpentine quiet at 44c;
rosin steady at \$1.10@1.15; tar firm at
\$1.50; crude turpentine firm at \$1.40,

2.50@2.60. Crude turpentine. 94
Receipts same day last year—40
casks spirits turpentine, 15 barrels
rosin, 24 barrels tar, 88 barrels crude turpentine.

Market nominal.

Same day last year, market firm at se for middling.

Corrected Regularly by Wilmington Production Commission Merchants, prices representing those paid for produce consigned to Commission Merchants.

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PEANUTS—North Carolina, firm.

Prime, 65c; extra prime, 70c; fancy,
75c, per bushel of twenty-eight
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per bushel. BEEF CATTLE—Firm at 3@5c per Quoted officially at the closing by the Chamber of Commerce. STAR OFFICE, July 8. SPIRITS TURPENTINE-Market

firm at 47c per gallon.

ROSIN—Nothing doing.

TAR—Market firm at \$1.65 per barrel of 280 pounds.

ORUDE TURPENTINE — Market firm at \$1.75 per barrel for hard, \$8.00 for dip, \$8.25 for virgin. · Quotations same day last year-Spirits turpentine steady at 47c; rosin duli at \$1.10@1.15; tar firm at

\$1.45; crude turpentine firm at \$1.40. 2.50@2.60. Tar .... Orude turpentine...... 126

Receipts same day last year—92 casks spirits turpentine, 146 barrels rosin, 33 barrels far, 64 barrels crude turpentine. Market nominal.

o for middling. Receipts- - bales; same day last Corrected Regularly by Wilmington Produce Commission Merchants, prices representing those paid for produce consigned to Commis-sion Merchants.

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TURKEYS—Firm at 18@13%c for BEESWAX-Firm at 25c.

TALLOW-Firm at 5%@6%c per

SWEET POTATOES-Firm at 60c

BEEF CATTLE-Firm at 205c per pound.

PRODUCE MARKETS. By Telegraph to the Morning Star. NEW YORK, July 8.—Flour was active but well held at old prices. Rye flour firm. Wheat-Spot dull; No. 2 red 84%c. Options closed %c net lower: July closed 84%c; September closed 81 %c: December closed 81 %c. Corn—Spot easy; No. 2 58c. Options closed 1/2 1/2 closed 1/2 1/2 closed 58c; September closed 58c; December closed 57%c. Oats—Spot steady; No.2, 48c. Options declined with corn and closed easy. Tallow steady. Butter steady; extra creamery 20%c; State dairy 16%@20c. Cheese steady; State full cream fancy, small colored, 10 ½c; do. white 10 ½c. Cabbages firm; Baltimore, per barrel, \$1 50@2 00; Long Island, per 100, \$4 00@6 00. Peanuts steady; fancy hand-picked 41/2 @41/2c; other domestic 3@41/2c. Potatoes steadler; Southern \$1 50@2 75; Jersey sweets \$1 00@1 25. Molasses firm. Eggs irregular; State and Pennsylvania firsts to extras 17@18½c. Coffee—Spot quiet.Sugar—raw steady. Lard dull; refined quiet; Pork easy; family \$18 00@18 25; short clear \$16 70 @18 00; mess \$17 25@17 75. Rice firm. Cotton seed oil was steadier for prompt delivery and more active. The quotadelivery and more active. The quotations closed: Prime crude f. o. b. mills 81@32c, new crop; prime summer yellow 43@48½; off summer yellow 37½ @38c; prime white 47@47%c; prime

winter yellow 47c; prime meal \$27 00 @ 27 50, nominal. CHICAGO, July 8.—The sentiment in the wheat pit was again bullish and higher prices ruled the greater part of the day, but late in the session came a reaction, September closing 1/6/40 lower. September corn was down \*@%c, oats were off %@%c and provisions closed from 5c lower to 17%c

OHIOAGO, July 8.—Cash prices: Flour—Market steady. Wheat—No.

44 2 78@79c; No. 8 spring 75@78c; No. 2 210 red 70%@79c. Corn—No. 2 51@52c; —41 No. 2 yellow 51%@52c. Oats—No. 2 Receipts same day last year—41 casks spirits turpentine, 102 barrels rosin, 25 barrels tar, 19 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON.

Market nominal.

Same day last year, market firm at 9c for middling.

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Same day last year, market firm at 9c for middling. Whiskey-Basis of high wines, \$1 80. The leading futures ranged as follows—opening, highest, lowest and closing: Wheat—No. 3 July, old, 79, closing: Wheat—No. 3 July, old, 79, 79½, 78½, 78½; 78½c; July, new 78½, 79½, 78½, 78½; Beptember, old, 77½@77¾, 78½, 77½, 77½@77½, 78½, 76½, 77½c; Beptember, new, 76½@77½, 78½, 51½, 50½, 50½; Beptember 52½@53½, 52½, 51½, 51½; December, 51½@51½, 51½, 50½, 50½. Oats—No. 2, July 41, 41½, 40½, 41c; Beptember 85@85½, 85½@85½, 84½ PEANUTS-North Carolina, firm, September 35@85%, 35%@35%, 84%, 34%c; December 35%, 35%, 34%, 35c. Mess pork, per bbl—July \$15 10, 15 15, September \$15 45, 15 62%, 15 37%, 15 45. Lard, per 100 lbs—July \$7 90, 7 97%, 7 87% 7 92%; September \$8 05, 8 17%, 8 05, 8 12%; October \$7 95, 8 00, 7 92%, 7 97%. Short ribs, per 100 lbs—July \$8 55, 8 65, 8 50, 8 60; September \$8 50, 8 70, 8 50, 8 70; October

## FOREIGN MARKET.

\$8 32%, 8 37%, 8 27%, 8 30.

By Cable to the Morning Star LIVERPOOL, July 8.—Cotton: Spot moderate business done; prices eight 6.56d; good middling 6.40d; middling 6.22d; low middling 5.96d; good ordinary 5.66d; ordinary 5.46d. The sales of the day were 6,000 bales, of which oints lower: American middii 500 bales were for speculation and export and included 5,400 bales American. Receipts 9,100 bales, all Amer-

Futures opened steady and closed unsettled; American middling (g o c): July 6.04d; July and August 6.04d; August and September 6.02@6.08d; September and October 5.64@5.66d; October and November 5.30@5.31d; November and December 5.30d; December and January 5.15d; January and February 5.14d; February and March 5.13d; March and April 5.13d.

- Tosstmaster (to chairman of public dinner)-Would you like to propose your toast now, my lord, or should we let 'em enjoy themselves a bit longer?-Punch.

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