Mrs. Edward and the Negro Greason Given a Respite.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star HARRISBURG, Pa., Feb. 15 .- Oa recommendation of the board of pardons today Governor Pennypacker withdrew the death warrants in the cases of Mrs. Bdwards, the white woman, and Samuel Greason, the negro, who were sentenced to hang together in the Berks county jail at Reading tomorrow morning for the murder of Mrs. Edwards' husband in 1901. The case of Greason will now be again taken to the Pennsylvania Supreme Court and if that body decides to reopen the case the attorneys for Mrs. Edwards and Gleason will have to appear before the board of pardons next

The reasons for the board's action was road by the attorney general. It

is as follows:
"In view of the dissention on the part of three justices of the Supreme Court from the opinion of the court in refusing the petition of Samuel Greason for an order authorizing a new trial in the court of Oyer and Termi ner of Berks county, and in view of the statement of counsel for Greason that they have four witnesses never examined before, whose depositions they deire to take and present to the Supreme Court for consideration, the application for a continuance in the Eiwards case is granted and the application for a rehearing in the Great son case is granted."

The lawy rs for Greason will not apply to the Supreme Court for an order opening his case in order to hear the four new witnesses found by his attorneys. If the Supreme Court grants the order the case will go back to Berks county for retrial. In the meantime Mre. Edwards' case will b continued. But if the Supreme Court refuses the order then the board of perdons will have to decide the case at its next meeting, which will be the third Wednesday in March. The reapite is for ten days following that

After the Governor was officially informed of the set on of the pardon board a messenger was sent to the sher ff of Berts county withdrawing READING, Pa., Feb. 15.-When the

news of the rehearing in the Gresson case and a continuance for Mrs. Ed-wards was sent to the jell Mrs. Edwards was lying on her cot, moaning and sobbing and giving full away to her feelings. It was explained to her that she had at least been granted a new lease on life. It was hard to make her understand and her replies were incoherent. It was a long time before she could be made to realize that she would not have to hang to-morrow. After she had become more composed Mrs. Edwards said: "Thank God! You could not have brought me better news. I know that I've done a great wrong, but I'm not ashamed at heart.',

Charged With Pushing a Man Out of the Window and Causing His Death.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star. PROVIDENCE, R.I., Feb. 15 .- A man identified as C.J. McGibben, of Derby, Conn., was pushed or jumped from a room occupied by John Courad, of Danville, Va., in the Hotel Perrin, on Washington street, this city, at an ear y bour this morning, and sustained injuries from which he died almost instantly. Courad met McGibben in a and brought him to his room to the night. They had a

when a night clerk whom summoned appeared in the room ... window was broken and Mc Ginten was laying on the ground Courad was taken into custody pending an investigation. The police are looking for a woman who is alleged to have said that she saw a man push McGibben out of the window.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Feb. 15 -After an investigation Medical Examiner Perkins announced to-night that in his opinion the death of C. O. McKib bio, who fell from a window on the foruth flor of the Hotel Perrin dur ing last of bt, was accidental. John Courad, of Danville, Va., the companton of McKiboin who had been under arrest, was released. According to Conrad's story, which was corroborated by the night clerk of the ho et, McKiboto, who had been sharing Courad's room, became violeut. Conrad left the room to summon the night cerk to ejet McKibbio. When he returned with the clera the room was emply and a broken window showed how McKib-

made his exit. Medical Ex tins reported that he bcobin attempted to escape tom the room by means of the winuse to another building, lost bis belance and fell to the ground, break leg his neck. McKiobin's home was la Detroit, Mich., and recently he had been employed by a typewriter company in Derby, Conn.

STATE UNNED OIL REFINERY.

General Assembly of Kansas Appropriates \$410,000 for the Enterprige.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

TOPEKA, KANBAS, Feb. 15 .- A bill providing for the establishment of an oil refinery was passed to-day by the Kansas House of Representatives by a vote of 91 to 80. The bill previously passed the Senate. Gov. Hoch will sign the bill at once. Under its prohibitions an oil refinery will be erected in Peru, Kansas. Another penitentiary will be built there to provide conrict labor for the refinery. An appropriation of \$410,000 is made for building and maintaining the refinery and penitentiary. The bill fixing the maximum freight rates for oil was recommended to the House and later passed just as it came from the Senate, put the enemies of the anti-discrimination measure succeeded, after a hard fight, in referring the bill to the

TO PROSECUTE TRUST. WASHINGTON, Feb 15 .- The House to-day adopted a resolution offered by Representative Campbell, of Kansas, requesting the Secretary of the De partment of Commerce and Labor to investigate the cause or causes of the low price of crude oil or petroleum in the United States, especially in the Kansas field, and also the unusually gride oil or petroleum and the seiling ducts, whether these prices have been controlled by any corporation in restrainst of trade, and whether any corporation by means of blacklists or boythe oil field, with a view to legislation or legal proceedings.

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IN CONGRESS.

The House Yesterday Discussed Appropriations for Two Big Battleshins.

WARNED TO WATCH JAPAN

Butler, of Penusylvanie, Declares They Are Only Pive Days from Philippines and Thirty-five Days from the United States.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON. Feb. 15 .- The quesion of what the policy of the government should be with respect to the upbuilding of the navy was again thresh. ed out in the House to-day, during the consideration on the Naval appropriation bill, the time developing much opposition to the proposed addition of two battleships to the naval establishment. As on yesterday the defence of the Philippines played an mportant part in the discussion. while the events of the war in the Far East from a naval point of view were given prominence by the advocates of an increased navy. The House met or treaty must be approved by the an hour earlier than usual and with United States and the Dominican Conthe exception of a brief period the en-tire time was consumed with the naval

Mr. Beall, of Texas, in opposing large appropriations for the army and navy, charged that the United States had gone mad over the spirit of militariam which was sapping the sub-stance of the people. The government was paying as much attention to 'ceremonies, pompand power" as any government on earth and he said i was the most extravagant government to the world.

A plea for economy in the appro-priation was made by Mr. Sparkman, of Fiorida, who prophesied that not in the next generation and possibly in the next century would this country become involved in a war with any of

Entertaining a similar sentiment, Mr. Perkins, of New York, ventured the assertion that no gun on any ship now in commission or on the two battirships proposed by the bill, if they were authorized, would ever fire a nostile shot. He provoked a sharp discussion by declaring the warships Mr. Brick, of Indiana, took lasue with him and cited the Texas, while Mr. Rixey, of Virginia, maintained the correctness of Mr. Perkins' posts tion by stating that high naval officers had declared numbers of the warships now in commission to be obsolete and of no account. The statement was flatly controverted by Mr. Dayton, of West Virginia, who declared that there was not a single naval officer who would say the ships n the American navy were antiquated

The principal of upholding the Monoe doctrine through battleships was leclared by Mr. Thayer, of Massachusetts, to be unnecessary, "since," he said, "we are protecting it by the dictum of the gentleman at the other end of the avenue, who don't require any battleships or law whatever to back

Mr. Butler, of Pennsylvania, turning to the subject of the Philippines. elicited Democratic applause when he aid he hoped there would be found some honorable way to get rid of them. He advised this government to keep watch on Japan. He said that while we were "now friendly and loving each other and agreetug," the war with Russia would be over some day and then it would be discovered that the fighting man of the earth lives in the island of Japan, five days from the Philippines and thirty-five days from the United States."

Mr. Cockran, of New York, opposed he idea of a large standing army or a olg navy. Referring to the Venezueran declared that the greatest triumph ever won in the history of the United States was "when Secretary Oiney wrote a dispatch affecting the greatest power in the world" when the navy

was about one fifth its present size. The House voted down an amendment offered by Mr. Rixey, of Vircinia, striking out the proposed inrease of three thousand men for the avy, although on a point of order by aim the provision permitting their immediate enitatment was stricken out. The House, without completing the bill, adjourned until to-morrow.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—The Senate today continued, but did not conclude consideration of the bill making appropriations for the support of the covernment of the District of Colum-While the bill was before the Senate, Mr. Elkins took exception to an item for the construction of a local oridge as in the interest of speculators and made a good plea for econemy in the matter of appropriations.

The Swayne impeachment trial held the attention of the Senate for two nours. Everard Mead Wilson, Martin D. Merritt and Henry F. Webb, conductors on the Louisville and Nashville railroad, testified that Judge Swayne is in the habit of riding on that road upon passes but Mr. Wilson said that when the Congressional committee was in Florida investigating the Bwayne case and Judge Swayne was traveling with them he

E T. Davis again related the circumstances connected with the contempt proceedings against himself, Paquet and Belden; J. J. Hooten, a real estate man, told how near he came selling to Judge Swayne, the land in controversy ov r which the contempt case arose, and Don Mc-Oleman, of Pensacols, a newspaper rethe contempt proceedings. The last witness said that be had submitted his manuscript to Judge Swayne and that the judge had consored it liberally. Asked why he submitted it, the wite ness replied: "I had an ides that if I got it wrong the judge would call me The reply created general

KILLED WOMAN IN SELF-DEFENSE.

Coroner's Jury Returned a Verdict of Justi-

flable flomicide in Peculiar Case.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

JACKSONVILLE, FLA., Feb. 15. Owen Loadholiz was ordered released from jail by the coroner's inquest which conducted an inquest over the body of Miss May Brown to-day. The young woman was killed and her mother seriously and probably fatally wounded by Loadholiz in a shooting affray in a justice court Monday. Loadholtz had been brought into court upon criminal charges by Miss Brown. She was accompanied by her mother and when the court announced a postponement of the case mother

NEW MONROE DOSTRINE IDEA.

the Protocol of Agreement Between the United States and San Domisgo.

By Telegraph to Morning Star. WASHINGTON, Feb. 15 .- The President's niessage transmitting to the Senate the new San Domingan protocol was read at an executive session to-day following the passage of a mass of unobjected pension bills. Not more than six or seven Senators were present. The leading features of the message was that in order to main-tain the Monroe doctrine it was neces-eary for the United States to see that just claims, contracted by South and Central American republics and those of the West Indies should be paid and that, therefore, it was in the interest of peace for this government to take over the control of the revenues in San Domingo. In protecting these republics and guaranteeing their territorial integrity, it is said in the message to be necessary also to see that just debte and obligations contracted y these republics are paid so that foreign intervention in the affairs of such republics may be avoided. · The protocol was not read at the executive session, but was at once reerred to the Committee on Foreign

Relations. The protocal reached Washington torday. It provides that the United States shall collect the customs revenues of San Domingo and turn over to the government a specified per centage necessary to meet the expense of administration and disburse remainder among foreign claimants. The United States undertakes to respect the integ.

Senator Bacon's resolution asking hat the Senate committee on foreign elations in cestigate and report to the Senate whether the protocol of an agreement under which the United States aathorities undertook to adminlater certain of the customs offices of the Dominican government in order to satisfy a claim of the San Domingo Improvement company is vold, having been made without the consent of the Senate, today was ordered referred to a sub committee to be appointed by Chair man Cuilon. The motion to refer the resolution was made by Senator Bacon, who stated that there were many questions of law involved and that it was his desire that a nonpartisan report be made.

PRETTY MILITARY WEDDING

Gen. Pitzbugh Lee's Daughter Married a Norfolk Last Evening.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star. NOBFOLK, VA., Feb. 15 .- Historic St. Paul's Protestant Episcopal church was this evening the scene of one of the prettiest weddings that has ever taken place in that ancient edifice, when Miss Anne Fitzhugh, daughter of General and Mrs. Fitzhugh Lee, and Lieutenant Lewis Brown, of the Seventh Cavalry, U. S. A., at present stationed at Oglethorpe, Ga., were united

The wedding was a military cerem ny, the color of that branch of the ser vice to which the groom is attached ellow, being especially prominent in he decorations, as well as in the costumes of the attendants. The ceremony was performed by Right Rev. A. M Randolph, and Rev. B. D. Tucker. l'ae best man was Lieutenant Robert Fay, of the Fourth cavalry, and Miss Virginia Lee, the bride's sister, was maid of honor. The brides maids were Miss Cornelia Knox, of Washington, D. C.: Miss Betty Cooke and Miss Marguerite Rosser, of Charottesville, Va.; Miss Edmenia Lee, o Fredericksburg, and Misses Emily Addison and Bettle Christian, of Rich-

The groom, his best man and the ushers were attired in the full dress uniform of their rank. The ushers were Lieutenants John Montgomery James Shannon, Archibald Commis key, Thomas Jennings and Wynne Blair, of the Seventh Cavalry, and Robert McNally, of the Fourth Cav-

Among the wedding gifts to the bride and groom, many of which were costly and beautiful, was a box of flowers sent by President Roosevelt. The box contained a number of American Besuty roses, McKinley carna-

INVESTED WITH THE PALLIUM.

Full Powers of Archbishop Conferred Upon Rev. Henry Moeller at Cincionati.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star. CINCINNATI, Feb. 15. - With the imple and impressive service of the Roman Catholic church, the full powers of an archbishop were to-day conferred on the Rev. Henry Moeller, s native of Cincipuzti, who for over ten years was coadjutor for this archdiotese. Cardinal Gibbons, Archbishop Glennan, of St. Louis, and a number of bishops were in attendance, several participating in the ceremony which took place in the cathedral. Service opened with the mass, the sermon being preached by Cardinal Gibbons af-

ter the reading of the gospel. At the conclusion of mass the cardinal took his place at the high altar and Archbishop Moetler, attired in the full robes of his office excepting mitre and glover, advanced, and kneeling before the cardinal, made his profes sion of faith and vow of loyalty to the Supreme Pontiff. In the name of the Pope, the cardinal then placed the pallium on the shoulders of the archbishop, who, after the prayer, faced the congregation and bestowed the pontifical benediction.

(WINKLINUS

- A fool and his honey are soon

married.—New York Press. - It should be understood that the national blacksliding upon which ex President Cleveland discoursed was of a moral nature, and in no sense applicable to political beliefs. -Detroit Free Press.

- The Soubrette: So you consider her a great actress, do you? The Comedian: Sure. She has tried a dozen obesity remedies, but they don't seem to have had any effect on her -Chicago News.

- "How," asked the Sunday. school teacher, "was a small man like David able to overcome a giant like Goliath?" "Cause he understood jiu jitsu," promptly answered up-to-date little Jimmie Jones,-Louisville Courier Journal. - Mr. Staylate: I was reading

the other day about Emperor William's hunting expeditions. I suppose Germany's the only place where they have wild boars. Miss Patience Gonne (yawning): Uh, I don't know. Haven't you ever been so mad as to be positively wild, Mr. Staylate?—Philadelphia Press. - "Henry, wake up!" exclaimed

Mrs. Peck. "I'm positive I hear burglars downstairs. Get up and see if you can locate them." "My dear," replied Henry, as he buried his head under the pillow, "I'm very particular about my associates, and I draw the line at vulgar burglars."-Chicago Journal.

BATTLES DAILY

IN MANCHURIA.

Russian Troops Forcing the Fighting and Using Large Bodies of Cavalry.

INCESSANTLY SHELLING JAPS.

Russians Making Spirited Attacks and Report Success .- Taere Was Bitter Discord Among the Russian Officers at Port Arthur.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

ST. PETERSBURG. Feb. 15.-Lleut. Gen. Sakaharoff, i.Gen. Kuropatkin's chief of staff, telegraphs that the Russian artillery on February 13th destroyed the buildings and walls of Nangazi, from which the Japanese had been bombarding the Russian trenches. The Japanese were driven out. In regard to the attack on the bridge between Guaplin and Fantziatun, February 18th, Gen. Sakaharoff says the Japanese force comprised one hundred cavalry and two hundred Obinese bandits Russian frontier guards drove off the attackers, who subsequently destroyed a few rails, blew up a telegraph pole southward of the bridge and then fled. The Russians were reinforced and pursued

the Japanese 25 miles. RUSSIANS FORGING FIGHTING. Tokio, Feb. 15, 8 P. M .- Russians have orgun an extensive cavalry move-ment against Field Marshal Oyama's extreme left. Last night they were attempting to cross the Hun river west of Liao Yang with 9,000 horsemen. The operation began west of Chitalizu. One force of cavalry stole into La-Onunebl and simultaneously another force of cavalry approached Tachs, which is situated 13 miles southwest of Chitaitzu and 27 miles west of Liao Yang. Nine thousand cavalry with artiliery approached the river a mile below Tacha and attempted to cross at o'clock in the evening, advancing on Heikoutal (Pekowtai). The shelling of Oyama's center continues.

BLOCKADE BUNNERS CAPTURED. Tokio, Feb. 15 .- The British steamers Apollo and Scotsman, bound for Viadivostok were captured off Hakkaido yesterday. The Apollo was from Cardiff with coal and the Scotsman had a cargo of provisions on board, which, according to her papers, was consigned to Yokosuks.

DIVIDED HOUSE WILL FALL. Paris, Feb. 15,-French special cor respondents sent to Mt. Thefnich aboard the steamer Australien, having on board General Stoessel and others of the survivors of Port Arthur, have forwarded detailed accounts of discord among the Russian officers. The army officers are particularly hostile to the fleet, calling it the "frightened" fleet. Admiral Lockinsky, who is commandthe torpedo defences at Port Ar Matin quotes Leckinsky as characterizing Vice Admiral Stark and Rear Admiral Withoeft as "Bedchamber admirals not acquainted with their duties and seasick whenever affoat.

The admiral added that Vice Ad miral Skrydioff prudently established himself ashore at Viadivostok notwithstanding his opportunity to break the ineffective blockade of Port Arthur. Lockinsky cited many instances of the unpreparedness of the land and naval defenses, frequent conflicis of authority and the demoralization during critical engagements.

Substantially the same account is given by four French newspapers who describe General Stoessel and Admiral Lockinsky as refusing to speak to or salute each other. The papers say the discord among the officers foreshadows grave scenes before the court martial.

Bulgarian Wedding Customs. A curious wedding custom which exists in Bulgaria is the shaving of the bridegroom on the wedding day. While the barber is engaged upon his face a dancing crowd of boys and girls surround the bridegroom. When his

hair has been cut, the pieces are carefully collected by some of the girls, to be preserved in one of the bride's After the barber has finished his

work he receives a small white linen cloth as a present, and each person gives him a trifling sum of money. Then the bridegroom kisses the hand of each girl, washes his face and dons his wedding dress, which must be first accurately weighed three times by a lad. These strange customs are said to date back to pre-Christian days, but they are still strictly observed, especially in country districts.

The Bible publications of the Oxford University Press have been issued for 300 years and can be published in 150 languages and dialects. Orders for 100,000 Bibles are quite common. An order for half a million copies can, according to the Caxton Magazine, be readily filled. On an average from thirty to forty Bibles are furnished every minute. There are 110 different editions of the Oxford Bildes in English. varying from the magni...cent follo edition for pulpit use to the "brilliant" Bible, the smallest edition of the Scriptures in the world. The largest folio Bible printed in Oxford measures 19 by 12 inches, and no erratum has as yet been found in it. The "Brilliant Text Bible" measures 3% by 2% inches and is three-fourths of an inch thick.

Stockings.

How many readers are familiar with the history and origin of the most common articles they daily use? We eat, drink, wear without thinking whence or wherefore. Stockings were known among the Romans more than 1,800 years ago, as is proved by paintings found in the ruins of Pompell. They were considered more ornamental than useful. In the colder climate of northern Europe they became a necessity, and the manufacture of them became a recognized employment in the twelfth century, when they were fashioned chiefly of cloth. In the reign of Edward II. they assumed a resemblance to those now worn. At the courts of silk and were made enormously large.

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WARM WIRELETS.

At Washington the House passed i bill authorizing the Secretary of the Treasury to appoint a deputy collector of customs at Manteo, N. C.

From Port Said yesterday General Stoessel and 537 officers and men from Port Arthur sailed for Odessa on board the steamer St. Nicholas. The Standard Oil Company, of New Jersey, has declared a dividend of \$15 per share for the first quarter of 1905, payable March 15. For the same period last year the company paid a \$16 dividend.

Gen. Lew Wallace, author, former minister to Turkey and veteran of the Mexican and Civil wars, died last night at his home in Crawfordsville. Ind., aged 78 years.

Schooner W. H. Dix, San Andrethur, is lengthly quoted as making a bitter criticism of General Stoessel, in the Chesapeake Bay. Tug Jo-Admiral Alexieff and others. The seph E. Clark has gone to her assistance.

> William Cullen Bryant, publisher of the Brooklyn Times and secretary of the American News Publication Scciety, died yesterday at a sanitarium in Plainfield, N. J. He had a stroke of apoplexy yesterday morning. The Navy Department is informed hat Midshipman Milton W. Arrow wood, of North Carolina, who recently disappeared from the battleship Cearsarge, on which he was serving

his final course, has been arrested in New York. He will probably be tried by court martial for desertion. The period of depositing stock of the Seaboard Air Line railway under the Blair-Ryan plan of reorganization, expired yesterday in New York and it was officially stated that a majority of the stock should be deposited and also that no extension of time would be

The plans for the President's trip to Texas to attend the reunion of the Rough Riders now being perfected, contemplate that he will lease Washington for San Antonio Texas, about March 25, stopping enroute at Louisville, Dallas, Austin, and Fort Worth.

The steamer Kanawha, which sailed from Boston February 12th for Norfolk, was towed into New York yesterday by the lank steamer New York. The Kanawha had lost her propeller and was at anchor with signals of distress flying wen the New York sighted ber Tuesday 75 miles east of Sandy

The situation at Lodz, Russis, i becoming more serious. Fewer men were working yesterday and there is much suffering in families of the strikers. The director of the thread mills at his own expense is daily giving dinner to the workmen's children, of whom 250 were present today.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Mobile and Onio railroad was held yesterday and the following directors were elected: W. Butler Duncan, Samuel Spencer, C. C. Buyler, Adrian Islelin, Jr, Thomas E. Taylor, Henry Hall, W. Emlen Roosevelt, E. L. Russell, C-Sidney Shepard, A. H. Stevens, Samuel Woolverton, R. D. Lankford and A. W. Mackintosh.

At New York yesterday pitcher ck Taylor, of the St. Louis National League baseball club, was exonerated by the board of ofrectors of the association of a charge of "throwing" the game between St Louis and Pittsburg in the latter city July 80th last. On the second charge upon which he was tried, however, that of violating the constitution and his contract with the St Louis club, he was found guilty and was flued \$300. He was ordered not to play baseball until the fine had

Grave Trouble Forescon. It peeds but little foresight to tell that when your stomach and liver are badly affected grave trouble is ahead, unless you take the proper medicine for your disease, as Mrs. John A. Young, of Clay, N. Y., did. She says: "I had neuralgia of the liver and stomach, my heart was weakened and I could not eat. I was very bad for a long time, but in Electric Bitters Spain and Italy they were fashioned of | found just what I needed, for they quickly relieved and cured me." Its the best medicine for weak women. LAMY, druggist, at 50c a bottle.

NAVAL STORES MARKETS

Sy Telegraph to the Morning Star risw York, Feb. 15 .-- Rosin quiet, Strained, common to good, \$3 85. Sepirits surpentine quiet. CHARLESTON, Feb. 15.—Spirits turpentine and rosin—nothing doing.

SAVARRAH, Feb. 15.—Spirits turpen tine was steady 52c; receipts 82 casks; sales 68 casks; shipments 100 casks. Rosin firm; receipts 568 barrels; sales - barrels; shipments 180 barrels: A, B, C.\$3 62½; D, \$3 67½; E, \$2 78½; F, \$3 77½; G \$2 87½; H \$3 3; I,\$8 50;

An Evening Dress. Notable features of the white mous-



GOWN OF WRITE MOUSSELINE. lined with jet and steel beads and the large ring paillettes of black velve

The frills are of white lace, and the waistband is of pale green satin. First Consus Ways.

The original schedules of the first census are now contained in twentysix bound volumes, preserved in the interior department. For the most part the headings of the schedules were written in by hand. Indeed, up to and including 1820 the assistant marshals generally used such paper as they happened to have, ruling it, writing in the headings and binding the sheets together themselves. In some used, and now and then the schedules were bound inside of a newspaper .-

W. R. Merriam in Century. Use Your Opportunities. Today is the time to pursue fortune The hour at hand is the one to make use of and the chances within our grasp-those we should seize. "Tomorrow" is never here, and putting off the good we may have for a question able future is not the best wisdom. Therefore, use today. Do the kindness before you, the duty nearest you, and

Turning Rust to Good Advantage. A Hessian lieutenant of the name of Ludwig von Siegen noticed the effect of the dew upon his gun barrel, which had become rusted from the dampness. Some time after he experimented upon the discovery and obtained what is now known as mezzotinto. In the year 1643 he engraved a portrait of Princess Amelia of Hesse by its application.

Then the Chase Began. "Please let me pass," said the tramp, "so that I may speak to your mistress. I'm hungry, my trousers are beginning to fray, and I'm eager to get a little

"And I," interrupted the bulldog, getting into action, "am hungry and eager for the fray."-Philadelphia Press.

Loud Profespions. Uncle Reuben says: "I want to grow old widout growin' cynical, but I nebber hear a man begin to talk 'bout his conscience an' his duty widout lookin' to see how much cotton he has mixed wid de wool."-Detroit Free Press.

COTTON MARKETS By Telegraph to the Morning Star

NEW YORK, Feb. 15,-Cotton wa steady at 7.75; not receipts — bales; gross receipts 147 bales; stock 79,447

Spot cotton closed steady and t points higher: aiddilug uplands 7.75c; middling gul! 8.00c sales 1,610 bales. Butures opened strong: February -, March 7.47, april 7.48, May 7.47, June -, July 7.50, August 7.55 offered, September 7 58 offered, October 7.55, No vember 7.60 bid, December 7,68@7.70. 7.84, June 7.86, July 7.89, August 7.48, September 7.45, October 7.49, November 7.58, December 7.56.

Red Springs Citizen: Some men are born legislators, some are made so by study and experience, and K, \$4.05 M, \$4.50; N, \$4.75; W G, \$5.00; some are made so by newspaper cor-W W \$5.15.

PRODUCE MARKETS. By Telegraph to the Morning Star

NEW YORK, Feb. 15 .- Flour was quiet. Rye flour steady. Wheat-Spot firmer; No. 3 red \$1 34% f. o.b. afloat. Options market showed %@%c net advance: May closed \$1 17%; July closed \$1 06; September closed 97c. Oorn-Spot firm; No. 2 55%c at elevator. Options %c net higher: May closed 52%; July closed 52%c. Oats—Spot firm; mixed, 28@32 lbs., 37@37%. Pork steady. Butter was strong; creamery, common, to extra 25@33c; Creamery, common, to extra 25@33c; Cheese firm and unchanged: State, small colored and white 9%@18c. Eggs firm; nearby selected 87@38c; Southerns 29@38c. Peanuts firm; fancy hand-picked 5%@5%c; other domestic grades 3%@5%. Potatoes steady; Long Island, in bulk, per 180 lbs, \$1 50@3 00; State and Western \$1 25@1 40; Jarrey sweets \$2 00@4 50. Cab: Jersey sweets \$2 00@4 50. Cab; bages steady; flat Dutch, per 100, \$2 00 @3 00. Freights to Liverpool—Cotton, 12@14. Sugar-Raw steady. Molasses firm. Lard steady; refined quiet. Cotton seed oil easy bu active: Prime crude, f. o. b. mills 19c; prime summer yellow 25%@ 25%c; off summer yellow nominal prime white 29c; prime winter yel

CHICAGO, Feb. 15 .- Wheat for May delivery today sold at 119 78c per bushel, new high record for this season. Thecause was active covering by shorts congestion in the market. Final quotations were at the highest point of the day, May being up 1 3 4c to 1 7 8c at 119 3 4c to 7 8c. July wheat is up 5 8c to 3 4c. Oats show a gain of 3 8c. corn and provisions are practically unchanged

Wheat-No. 2 spring \$1 16 @1 19; No.8 do. \$1 08@\$1 18; No. 2 red \$1 20@1 22 \ . Oorn-No. 2 44 \ c; No 3 yellow 45c. Oats-No. 2 83 xc; No 3 white, 33%; No. 8 white 83c. Rye -No. 3 75c. Mess pork, per bbl, \$13 70@12 75. Lard, per 100 lbs, \$6 77 6 6 80. Short rib sides, loose, \$5 6214@6 75. Dry salted shoulders,

boxed, no report. Short clear sides, boxed, \$6 75@6 87%. Whiskey-Basis of high wines, \$1 23. The leading futures ranged as fol lows—opening, highest, lowest and closing: Wheat—No. 3 May \$ 1 18@ 1 18%, 1 19%, 1 18, 1 19% @1 19%; July \$1 01%@1 02, 1 02%@1 02%, 1 01% 02%; Beptember 93%@93%, 94%, 98 94%. Corn—February 44%, 44%, 44%, 44%. 44%; May 46% 946%, 47% 947%, 46% sheets together themselves. In some @46%, 47%; July 47% 047%, 48@48%, cases merchants' account paper was 47% 047%, 47% 048c. Oats—February -, -, -, 80%c; May 81%@81% 81%, 81, 81%@81%c; July 81%, 81% 80%, 81%@81%c. Mess pork, pe bbi-February-, -, -, \$1272%; May \$1287, 1292, 1287, 1292; July \$1300, 18 02, 18 97, 18 02. Lard, per 100 lbs—February —, —, \$6 80; May \$6 95, 7 00, 6 95, 7 00; July, \$7 05, 7 12, 7 05, 7 12. Short ribs, per 100 ibs-February -,-, -, \$6 70; May \$6 87, 6 90, 6 87, 6 90; July \$7 00, 7 02, 7 00, 702.

NEW YORK COFFEE FUTURES.

NEW YORK, Feb. 15.-Coffee-Spo Rio quiet; No. 7 invoice 8@8%c; mild quiet; Cordova 10@18c. Futures closed steady and 10 points lower.

FOREIGN MARKETS.

Hy Cable to the Morning Star. LIVERPOOL, Feb. 15.-Cotton: Spot in fair demand, with prices nine points higher; American middling fair 4.59d; good middling 4.29d; middling 4.17d; low middling 4.05d; good ordinary 3.91d; ordinary 3.75d. The sales of the day were 12,000 bales, of which 1,000 bales were for speculation and export and included 11,300 bales American. Receipts 11,000 bales, including 9,500 bales American.

Futures opened steady and close steady; American middling (g o c): February 4.01d; February and March 4.01d; March and April 4.03d; April and May 4.05d; May and June 4.06d; June and July 4.08d; July and August 4.09d; August and September 4.09d; September and October 4.10d; ber and December 4.11d.

--- Now the egg trust is getting in ts work. Packers in Chicago have 45,000,000 in storage, it is said, yet there is said to be an egg famine in that city. The trust will deal out their supply at big profits, and consumers will have to dance to the music. There is a fine field in South Carolina for poultry raising, yet it is being largely neglected, and we have to pay tribute to the egg trust just as any other people. A state whose main industry is agriculture ought not to be subject to any such condition. There ought to be big money in the poultry business in view of Futures market closed steady: Feb in the poultry business in view of ruary 7.39, March 7.81, April 7.88, May the facts stated, and if farmers would pay more attention to it their income would be largely increased and the people would be more or less independent of the trust .- Columbia Y. State Apples, Floride Oranges and Record.

> - Oh, for one good, hot blistering August day in that good old Summer time.—Columbia Record.

COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET.

Quoted officially at the closing by the Chamber STAR OFFICE, February 15.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Nothing ROSIN—Market firm at \$2.50 per barrel for good strained. TAR—Market firm at \$1.60 per barrel of 280 pounds.
CRUDE TURPENTINE — Market firm at \$2.30 per barrel for bard, \$3.70

for dip.

Quotations same day last year—
Spirits turpentine nothing doing;
rosin nothing doing; tar firm at \$1.40;
crude turpentine firm at \$3.25@4.00.

RECKIPTS. Tar.... casks spirits turpentine, 821 barrels rosin, 247 barrels tar, 90 barrels crude

Market steady at 7%c for middling. Same day last year, market duil at 18c for middling. Receipts-199 bales; same day last

(Corrected Regularly by Wilmington Produce Commission Merchants, prices representing those paid for produce consigned to Commis-sion Merchants !

COUNTRY PRODUCE PEANUTS-North Carolina, firm. Prime, 95c; extra prime, \$1.00; fancy, \$1.10, per bushel of twenty-eight pounds. Virginia-Prime, 85c; extra orime, 90c; fancy, 95c. Spanish, 85@

N. C. BACON-Steady; hams 146 15c per pound; shoulders, 11c; sides, dull, 10@11c. EGGS-Dull at 20@22c per dozen. CHICKENS-Firm. Grown, 15@ 35c; springs, 12%@15c.
TURKEYS—Dull at 12%c for live;

CORN-Firm; 60@65c per bushe

16% c for dressed. BEESWAX—Firm at 25@27c.
TALLOW—Firm at 5%@6c per pound. PORK-Firm at 7@8c net. PEAS-White, \$1.75@1.85; clay,

\$1.20@1.85. SWEET POTATOES-Firm at 60@ 75c per bushel.
BEEF CATTLE—Dull at 2@8%c per pound.

MARINE.

Clyde steamer Carib, Chichester, Georgetown, S.C., H.G. Smallbones. Schr Annie Ainslie, 250 tons, Strout, Perth Amboy, to master. Steamer Duplin, Oreel, Chinquepin D Love.
Stmr Tar Heel, Bradshaw, Fayette

ville, S M King.
Stmr A J Johnson, Black, Clear
Run, W J Meredith.
Clyde steamer Navahoe, Bunnell,
New York, H G Smallbones. CLEARED. Norwegian barque Guldass, Hasland, Olyde steamer Carib, Chichester, New York, H G Smallbones. Norwegian stesmer Kingswood, Ol-

sen, Brunswick, Ga, Heide & Co. Stmr Tar Heel, Bradshaw, Fayetteville, 8 M King. Stmr A J Johnson, Black, Clear Run, W J Meredith. Schr Harry W Haynes, Goodwin, Port-au-Prince, Hayti, C D Maffitt. Clyde steamer Navahoe, Bunnell,

Georgetown, S.C., H.G. Smallbones. EXPORTS.

FOREIGN. STETTIN-Norwegian barque Guldass, 6,283 barrels rosin, valued at \$16,660; cargo by Patterson, Downing & Co.; vessel by Helde & Co. PORT-AU-PRINCE-Schr Harry W Haynes, 226,218 feet lumber, valued at \$4,104; cargo by S & W H Northrop; vessel by O D Maffitt.

-- A dispatch from Elizabeth City, Feb. 14, says: A report reached here this afternoon that Kenneth, the 7-year old son of Senator S. M. Beasley, of Poplar Branch, in Currituck county, has mysteriously disappeared. Every effort is being made to find him, but up to the time this report reached here, has been unsuccessful. Bloodhounds have been wired for and Senator Beasley has been notified. It is thought that the child has been kidnapped. The little fellow attended school yesterday morning and at noon left for dinner. He has not been seen since. He had to go some distance, and it is thought he was made a prisoner by some parties to be held for ransom. Great excitement prevails in Currituck and the bloodhounds are anxiously awaited.

- Some visitors to the Mecklenburg chain gang report: "We saw something out of the ordinary at the Sardis camp this afternoon. A convict, who had been on the chain gang thirty-seven times and has been a Baptist preacher twentynine years, held services. He preached with great earnestness and looked as pieus as a saint. Heurged

his fellows to do better.

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