

AN EXCITING DAY

A Vacillating and Uncertain Market.

COTTON DOWN AND UP.

The Bureau Report Places the Crop at 65.1, the Lowest Condition on Record.

New York, Oct. 10.—Liverpool opened about 2 to 4-64 up, but eased off and closed barely steady 1-64 below yesterday.

There is a rumor that Neill will reduce his estimate to 5,500,000 and should this prove true the European spinners will buy largely, as they believe in Neill more than in anybody else.

Today's receipts 35,000, against 30,000 last year.

Options closed as follows:

Chicago Grain Market.

Raleigh Cotton Market.

The Farmer's National Congress.

Atlanta, Ga., Oct. 10.—The Farmer's National Congress opened its sessions here today in the House of Representatives.

Mrs. Amelia Rives Chandler Gets a Divorce.

Spinning Mill Collapses.

The Massacre is Confirmed.

Clergyman "Sees" the Howery.

A SENSATIONAL FIRE.

Salvation Army's Quarters Burned—But they Prayed Night On.

New York, Oct. 10.—There was a sensational fire early this morning on First avenue.

HOTSPRINGS DECIDED ON.

The Governor Cannot Prevent the Fight—Ministers up in Arms.

DALLAS, TEXAS, Oct. 10.—All members of the Florida athletic club are making arrangements to start at once for Hot Springs where it is now settled, unless some unforeseen event prevents, to have the Corbett-Fitzsimmons fight take place October the thirty first.

LITTLE ROCK, Oct. 10.—Governor Clark says he does not see how he can prevent the fight at Hot Springs.

HOTSPRINGS, Oct. 10.—The Methodist ministers passed resolutions protesting against the fight.

And This a Man!

GRIFFIN, Ga., Oct. 10.—News was received of a tragedy near Miller, Pike county, Monday.

Steamers Overdue.

NEW YORK, Oct. 10.—The Majestic arrived today this morning.

The Convicted Priest Out on Bail.

QUARANTINE, S. I., Oct. 10.—The ward liner, Washington, from Mexico to Havana arrived this morning.

Sunk in Collision.

LIVERPOOL, Oct. 10.—The British steamer, Livonia, was sunk in collision with English steamer, Natter, off the island of Aaland.

A Million-Dollar One.

GOOL GRABER, Australia, Oct. 10.—Fire in the business district yesterday destroyed a million dollars worth of property.

The Union Veterans Legion.

RUFFALO, N. Y., Oct. 10.—The National Union Veterans' Legion, commenced its annual encampment here today with 5,000 members of the organization present.

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A QUEER CASE IS THIS.

Daniels, Administrator, vs. the Petersburg Railroad

TO BE HEARD TOMORROW.

Station Agent Killed His Brother-in-Law—Hairs Recovered \$12,000 in Lower Court.

It seems that Pea went to the station agent at Garysburg to get his trunk.

After his acquittal suit was brought by the administrator against the railroad.

On first sight, the question seems to be a ridiculous one, but lawyers, judges and jury evidently thought that the administrator had good legal grounds, as the verdict shows.

PATOHEN WINS AGAIN.

Gentry Second and Robert J. Third. Gentry's Record Stands.

Joe Patchen defeated Gentry and Robert J. in Lexington yesterday.

Summary: Free for all pace:

Hundred Thousand Loss.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Oct. 10.—Yesterdays fire at the Penitentiary caused a loss of a hundred and fifty thousand.

France Confers Honors.

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WINDERS MAY CONTROL.

A Possible Turn-over in the Seaboard Air Line.

A POINTED RUMOR

To the Effect that the Winders will Again Control the S. A. L. System.

There was a rumor current today which, so far as we had investigated up to the hour of going to press, seemed to be of good authority that the Robbison interest in the Seaboard Air Line has passed into the control of the Winders.

The rumor which gained so much currency a few days ago that Maj. John C. Winder would again assume the Vice Presidency of the Seaboard Air Line was based on more than idle speculation.

The stock of the Seaboard and its many branches and component parts is well circulated among private individuals.

Mr. St. John assumed the Vice Presidency with an extraordinary flourish of trumpets.

There will be a consolidation of the opposition forces to oust St. John; this much is quite certain.

As far as the outside world knows, Carson Hoffman, the President, and St. John are working in double harness.

A good many well informed railroad men, however, are of the opinion that a new deal will be made.

Regular Communication of Seaton GalusLodgeNo.64,I. O. O. F. at 7:15 o'clock p. m. sharp. Work in the 1st Degree. Candidates entitled to this degree will present themselves without fail at 10 minutes past 8 o'clock.

A Useful and Beautiful Souvenir.

The Blackwell Durham Bull Tobacco Company is nothing if not progressive in its methods of advertising.

Every member required to be on hand at 8 o'clock p. m. sharp.

Jack Perry led the Assembly Hall of 170 pupils at the Centennial School for the week ending October 4th.

HOUSTON'S DEADLY GUN

Temple Houston, Son of Late General, Does Murder.

HE KILLED TWO MEN

Fight Took Place in a Bar-Room—The Trouble Arose Over a Land Case.

By Telegraph to the Press-Visitor.

WOODWARD, Okla., Oct. 10.—There is great excitement here over the killing early this morning of Ed Jennings, attorney for the Santa Fe Railroad, and the mortal wounding of his brother, John, by Temple Houston, of Texas, a son of the late General Houston.

The trouble started yesterday afternoon during the trial of a trivial law case concerning a stolen keg of beer.

Early this morning the three men met in a bar room. Words passed and all drew guns and commenced firing.

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The next fight has a shade of mystery about it. It seems that a man named Cheek struck a negro boy on the show grounds. He was followed by a colored man, who threatened him.

About 10:30 last night W. H. Alford, who was very, very drunk, went into Wishart's saloon, and according to the latter ordered drinks, for which he refused to pay.

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WILSON FAMILY IN TROUBLE.

Husband and Wife in Limbo—She Escaped to Visit Him.

On the commitment of a White Oak Justice, Jack Wilson and Nancy Ann Alston were put in jail here this morning.

FACTS AND GOSSIP

Condensed and Put in a Readable Form.

Interestedly Told as Picked up on the Streets and Various Points About Town.

Quite a party of University, Wake Forest and Trinity students were here yesterday.

Subscribers to the telephone will please add to their list John U. Smith's bar room, No. 181.

The Princeton football team defeated the University of Virginia eleven in Baltimore yesterday by a score of 35 to nothing.

Secretary Nichols is humping himself these days. He has been taking advantage of the presence of the large crowds in the city by judicious advertising.

The 116th North Carolina Report is now out and is now on sale at Alfred Williams & Co's., the young and enterprising book firm.

Messrs. Royall and Borden are doing a rushing business.

The Bell Telephone property in Durham is to be taxed.

As a reward for his saving the wreck of the vestibule train last week by informing the agent of a misplaced switch, says the Salisbury World, the Southern has given Rev. W. H. Bryant the reward in the form of five years. The reward is merited, for had the discovery not been made the consequences would have been disastrous.

A gentleman in this state has received a letter from Dr. W. W. Wyatt, who is now a physician in the New York City Insane Asylum, stating that he had made arrangements to send Mr. Jabaz Myers, who lost his mind last week, to the hospital at Morganton but Mr. Myers refused to come, saying that he considered New York as much his home as North Carolina. He is still confined in the hospital at that place. Mr. Myers is well known Raleigh.

The new rock crusher for the city which was ordered some time ago, has arrived, and will soon be put in active operation.

Sells' Great Circus.

Sells Brothers' magnificent and stupendous shows will exhibit in this city Tuesday, Oct. 29.

The grand, gorgeous street parade absolutely eclipsing any present ever seen, takes place at 10 a. m. on the day of the exhibition; two performances daily, afternoon and evening. Special excursion rates on all railroads.

Buffalo Bill and the Wild West got off to Greensboro last night.

N. C. Republicans Take Notice.

Ex-Secretary of the Treasury Chas. Foster says Southern Republicans ought not to be allowed to vote in the National Convention, as they are Populists and not in accord with the Republican party on the finances.

He says McKinley could be nominated if it was not for Platt, Quay and Clarkson.