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RALEIGH, N. C., THURSDAY EVENING, OCTOBER 10, 1895.

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A Vacillating and Uncertain Market.

COTTON DOWN AND UP.

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

By Telegraph to the Press-Visitor.

New York, October 10.—Liverpoor opened about 8 to 4-64 up, but eased off and closed barely steady 1-64 below yesterday. Spot business was very good; sales 12,000 bales;

middling 4 27-32. New York opened 3 to 4 points be low last night, improved, but lost the advance, and after the announcement of the bureau report a decline of 20 to 23 points took place. The markettowards the end eased off again, closing steady 17 points below yesterday. The sales reached the enormous figure of 433,400 bales.

The bureau report gives the condition of the cotton crop with 65.1 per cent against 70 8 per cent last month, and 82.7 in 1894. It is the lowest condition on record; in 1881 the condition was 66 per cent, and in 1883 68 per

There is a rumor that Neill will reduce his estimate to 6,500,000 and should this prove true the European spinners will buy largely, as they believe in Neill more than in anybody else. A good demand from Europe will cause a brisk advance, heavy receipts, however, may neutralize such an advance to a certain extent. It is a general belief that present prices are safe.

Today's receipte 35,000, against 39,000 last year.

Options closed as follows: October, 8 77 to 8.78; November, 8 80 to 8.82; December, 8.88 to 8.89; January, 8.96 to 8 97; February, 9.01 to 9 02; March, 9.07 to 9 08; April, 9 19 to 9 18; May, 9 17 to 9 18; June, 9 99 to 9.94.

Chicago Grain Market. CHICAGO, Oct. 10 .- Grain quotations closed to-day as follows: Wheat-October, 58 7-8; December,

59 7-8 to 60; May, 64 Corn - October, 28 1-2; December, 27 1-8; May, 28 7-8 Oates-October, 17 5-8; December, 17 8-4; May, 20 1-4.

Raleigh Cotton Market.

Thursday, October 10th. Middling fair, 9. Strict good middling, 8 3-4. Good middling, 85-8 Strict middling, 8 3-8. Middling, 81-4. Market steady.

The Farmer's National Congress. By Telegraph to the Press-Visitor.

ATLANTA, Ga., Oct. 10 .- The Farmers' National Congress opened its ions here today in the House of entatives. The Congress will conclude its labors on the 16th.

Among the notable speakers who will address the delegates are Judge William Lawrence of Ohio, Hon. Geo. D. Thomas of Montana, Gen. Roy Stone Smith, Department of Agriculture, Capt. A. E. Shepard, Texas, David Lubin, California, and

Mrs Amelia Rives Chaudler Gets a

By Telegraph to the Press-Visitor.

New York, Oct. 10.—It is learned from Mr. M. G. Maxwell, of the law firm of Chandler, Maxwell & Philips, 190 Broadway, that a dieres of divorce on the ground of incompatibility has on granted Mrs. Amelia Rives Chandler.

re was no opposition to the dethe proceedings reflected on either of removed.

Clergyman "Sees" the Bowery.

NEW YORK, Oct. 10 .- A man, giving the name of August D. Pre scious on the stree id that he was an Episc an, of Charleston. S. C. Christian Endeavor ConA BENSATIONAL FIRE.

alvation Army's Quarters Burn-But they Prayed Right On. y Telegraph to the Press Visitor.

NEW YORK, Oct. 10.—There was a

ensational fire early this morning on First avenue. Fortunately there were no fa'alities. Handreds of tenement dwellers were driven out of their bads by fire and emoke. The Salvation Army barracks were burned out. A falling wall ersahed through the roof of the twenty-second street station house, a moment after the prisoners were removed. The salvationists saved some property and then held an impromtu prayer meeting in the street. HOTSPRINGS DECIDED ON.

The Governor Cannot Prevent the Fight-Ministers up in Arms. Telegraph to the Press-Visitor.

Dalas, Texas, Oct. 10,—All mem-bers 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. He seems to rely on local authorities. Hor Springs, Oct. 10.-The Meth-

odist ministers passed resolutions protesting against the fight. The Arena will be constructed in Whittington Park. The Attorney general says it will be an outrage to allow the fight.

And This a Man!

By Telegraph to the Press-Visitor GRIFFIN, Ca., Oct. 10.-News was received of a tragedy near Milner, Pike county, Monday. From best information Tom Speer, prompted by jesiousy, during the absence of his wife, gave their nine children rough on rats. The flend is behind the bars.

Steamers Overdue,

ly Telegraph to the Press-Visitor NEW YORK, Oct. 10.—The Majestic arrived late this morning. She had a very rough trip and was delayed on the banks by fog, high winds and seas Other steamers report bad weather. There are several overdue. The Convicted Priest Out on Bail

By Telegraph to the Press-Visitor. GENESEO, N. Y., Oct. 10 .- Priest Flaherty, who was yesterday convicted and sentenced to seven years imprisonment for criminal assault, was released on ten thousand bail

pending an appeal for a new trial, Yellow Jack in Washington.

By Telegraph to the PassaVisitor. QUARASTINE, S. I., Oct. 10 -The ward liner, Washington, from Mexioo to Havana arrived this morning Assistant engineer Redmond died of yellow fever and was buried at sea. The ship will be held for dis

infection. Sunk in Collision.

By Cable to the Press-Visitor.

OPENHAGEN, Oct. 10.—The British steamer, Livenia, was sunk in collission with English steamer, Natier, off the island of Asland. Fourteen of the crew were drowned and ten saved.

A Million-Dollar One.

By Telegraph to the Press-Visitor.

Cool Graden, Australia, Oct. 10 -Fire in the business district yesterday destroyed a million dollars worth of property.

The Union Veterans Legion.

By Telegraph to the Pagas-Visivon. Burrano, N. Y., Oct. 10.—The National Union Veterans' Legion, commenced its annual encampm here today with 5,000 members of the organization present.

Spinning Mill Collapses.

By Cable to the Press-Visitor Beauty, Oct. 10 .- A spinning mill at Bocholt Westphalis, collapsed today. Twenty workmen were buried cree. Nothing in the pleadings of in the rains. Seven dead have been

The Massacre is Confirmed

CONSTANTINOPLE, Oct. 10,-It beosme known late today that the Turkish government had finally pre nted to the envors of the six powers a reply in a collective note, on the are a reply in a collective note, on the subject of the recent disturbance here. The reply was not satisfactory and not accepted. The covoys held a secret meeting. The Porte agrees to restore order but charges that the Armenians are causing all

the Petersbug Railroad

TO BE HEARD TOMORROW

Station Agent Killed His Brotherin-Law-Heirs Recovered \$12,-900 in Lower Court.

R. O. Burton, Bsq., and MacRac and Day will be pitted against each other, comorrow perhaps, before the Supreme Court in a case that, to the mind of a common, every-day citizen, appears Petersburg Railroad. Mr. Burton represents the plaintiff, MacRae and Day the defendant.

The plaintiff seeks to recover twelve housand dollars damages from the railroad on account of the killing sev eral years ago of the man named Pea, by his brother-in-law, Lifsey, who was at the time the company's station agent at Garysburg.

The case was heard in a lower court, and under the Judge's charge a verdict of twelve thousand dollars damages was returned in favor of the plaintiff. An appeal was taken, and argument will be heard at this term. What makes the case of interest is the fact that the railroad should have been held responsible for the acts of its agent, brought on by personal matters.

It seems that Pea went to the station agent at Garyeburg to get his trunks. Some charges were due, and he and his brother-in-law got into a heated discussion, which culminated in the shooting of Pea. Lifsey was tried for murder and acquitted, it being shown that Pea was the aggressor.

After his acquital suit was brought by the administrator against the railroad. The case was beard in Halifax court, and a verdict for the plaintiff soured. The case hinges, it seems, on the question as to whether or not the quarrel and the subsequent killing resulted from the agent's performance of railroad business.

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

The case will be watched with much interest.

PATCHEN WINS AGAIN.

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

Joe Patchen defeated Gentry and Robert J. in Lexington yesterday. It took five heats to decide the race. The best time, 2:05 1-2 was made by Gentry. A large crowd witnessed the race. The track was fast, the day being clear and cold The record of 2:08 3-4 made by John R. Gentry stamps him as the fastest horse of the year and the king of stallions.

Summary: Free for all pace: Joe Patchen, - - - 1 2 2 1 1 Robert J., - - - 8 8 1 8 4 Coleridge,

Hundred Thomsand Loss

By Telegaph to the Pauss-Visiron. JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Oct. 10.-

caused a loss of a hundred and fifty France Confers Honors.

ly cable to the Press-Visitor. Pans, Oct. 10,-The President has appointed General Duchesne a grand officer of the Legion of Honor and ordered the Madegascar medal for troops participating in the Hova

The Capture of Hova Confirmed.

By Cable to the Press-Visitor.

Paris, Oct., 10.—The War office has received confirmation of the capture of Hove, the capital. It is said that the queen made peace. General Metzinger has been nominated for governor of Antananariyo.

GEN, SCHOFIELD REBUKED.

His Action Declared Tyrannical and Capricious by Judge Bradley.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 10,-Judge Bradley of the district Suprem Court, today ordered the discharge from oustoday of Capt. Armes Schofield's action in causing his ar rest was declared unlawful, tyran-

WINDERS MAY CONTROL. HOUSTON'S DEADLY GUN

Daniels, Administrator, vs. A Possible Turn-over in the Temple Houston, Son of Oak Justice, Jack Wilson and Seaboard Air Line.

A POINTED RUMOR

To the Effect that the Winders will Fight Took Place in a Bar-Ro Again Control the S. A. L.

There was a rumor current today which, so far as we had investigated up to the hour of going to press, seemed to be from good authority that the Robinson interest in the Seaboard to be one of the very strangest on Air Line has passed into the control of record—Daniels, administrator, vs. the the Winders. If this be the case it looks like the Winders are taking steps toward acquiring control of the arstem. It seems to be an accepted fact that there is a fight between the Winder and St. John influences for the supremacy, and the result will be

> watched with fateress. The rumor which gained so much currency a few days ago that Maj. John C. Winder wou'd again assume the Vice Presidency of the Seaboard Air Line was based on more than idle supposition. While the idea is erroneous that Major Winder will accept the Presidency-for his friends say he would not think of accepting it-yet there is likely to develop a big surprise at the stockholders' meeting in Portsmouth on the 15th, which may place the management of the Seaboard in other bands than Mr. St. John's.

The stock of the Seaboard and its many branches and ecoponent parts s well circulated among private individuals. A great many of these stockholders are not pleased with the ideas and manners of the present administastion.

Mr. St. John assumed the Vice Presi dency with an extraordinary flourish of trumpets. Great things were promised when he took hold, but some MIGHTY SMALL THINGS have resulted This fact is evident among many of the directors.

There will be a colsolidation of the oppusition forces to oust St. John; this much is quite certain. Just what strength the opposition has developed is not kno and is mostly conjectural. While the opposition is known as the Winder interest, such is not the case. Major Winder does not desire to resume the responsibilities of offered their strength voluntarily to court.

It is said that a good part of the stock held by the estate of the late the Presidency of the Seaboard for so long, will be thrown with the opposiis, there is a big chance that the opposition will win.

As far as the outside world knows, Curson Hoffman, the President, and St. John are working in double harness. Curson is likely to keep his John R. Gentry, - - 4 1 3 2 9 job through the influence of his relative, Louis McLane. It would be a - - - 2 4 4 4 8 difficult matter to separate this pair. Time, 20:8, 2:05 1-3, 2:06 1-4, 2:09 1-4 That is what throws a damper on the prospect of removing the present regime.

A good many well infromed railroad men, however, are of the opinion that a new deal will be made. Certain it is the Seaboard Air Line, which has been one of the most popular southern routes has recently lost some of its prestage. The relations between some of the officials is, at present, quite strained.

Something is likely to drop soon. A new deal may meen that Mr. John H. Winder, the present general manager, will be the vice president of the S. A. L system.

I. O. O. F.

Regular Communication of Seaton GalesLodgeNo.64,I. O. O. F. at 71-2 o'clock p. m., sharp. Work in the 1st Degree. Candidates entitled to this degree will present themselves without fall at 10 minutes past 8 o'clock. nbers earnestly requested to atportance will have to be attended to -a cordial invitation to all Odd Fel-

FRANK E. EMORY, N. G. ATTENTION DEGREE STAFF!

Every member required to be on nand at 8 3'clook p. m. sharp. By rder of T. R. PURNELL, Captain.

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

Late General, Does Murder.

HE KILLED TWO MEN

The Trouble Arose Over

a Land Case.

By Telegraph to the Passe-Visiton. WOODWARD, Okla., Oct. 10 .- Ther is great excitement here over the kill ing 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 aftersoon during the trial of a trivial law case concerning a stolen keg of beer. Words passed between Rd Jennings and Houston and finally the lie was passed. Friends prevented a personal ncounter in the court room.

Early this morning the three mer met in a bar room. Words passed and all drew guns and commenced firing. When the shooting was over, Ed Jennings was dead and his brother John seriou ly wounded. He died today. Houston and Ex-Sheriff Love, who was with him, were uninjured and have surrendered to the police.

CIRCUS DAY FIGHTS.

There Were Three that Bordered o the Serious Yesterday.

The coming of Buffalo Bill and his Sioux and Coseacks and Currasieurs and what-not, seems to have inspired the crowde that turned out to see him with bellicose feeling At any rate there were three scraps yesterday that were of a rather serious nature The first was a bloody knock-down and dragout affair between two negroes in the rear of the Y. M. C. A. lot. Their names were Henry Moore and "Col." Backerville. The latter lives on the lot. It was about four o'clock in the afternoon when they became engaged in the alteration, which ended in blows. The fight was a most bloody one, and ended a draw, with Baskerville game and ready Moore used only nature's weapons, but it is said that Baskerville did i't "tote fair," he bringing a stick of lightwood into play. Both parties to the light were his old position, which he honored so badly used up. The case was this well. Agreat many stockholders have morning continued in the mayor's The next fight has a shade of my

about it. It seems that a man named Cheek struck a negro boy on the show Moneure Robinson, the man who held grounds. He was followed by a colored man, who threatened him. "Stand up to him, I'm with you," said tion. If any considerable part of it Cheek's companion. The latter "stood up" and received a crack on the head from a stick in the hands of the negro. His companion ran away. Then Mr. Cheek went into the side show, and it is reported got into another difficulty with a negro, who cut him slightly on the arm. Neither of Cheek's assailints have been captured, and neither are known.

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. Wiehart then jumped his man in true Wild West style He knocked him down and then, say bystanders, danced a tattoo on his head When bartender Wishart had finished, sad was the plight of Alford.

The latter was carried to the station house and a doctor summoned. He was badly hurt, his head very badly bruised and cut. This morning, however, be managed to go on his

Wishart was locked up and went straightway to sleep. The case was postponed in the mayor's court today until Alford is well enough to testify.

A Useful and Beautiful Souvenir. The Blackwell Durham Bull Tobaco Company is nothing if not progressive in its methods of advertising. We saw yesterday the handsomest thing of the kind which we have yet come neross. It was sent with the compliments of Col. J. S Carr to a gentlemen in this city, and was a beautiful morocco-bound pocket and memorandum back, gilt-edged and with silver clasps and a pretty affer-mounted pencil. Inside is the name of the Blackwell Durham Tobasco Company in gilt letters. It is the handsomest thing of the kind we have ever seen and shows Col. Carr to be a man of taste and progressive ideas.

WILSON FAMILY IN TROUBLE.

Husband and Wife in Limbo-Sh Escaped to Visit Him.

On the committment of a White Nancy Ann Alston were put in jail here this morning. Wilson is charged with largeny and the woman with disorderly conduct.

In connection with Wilson's arrest, there is an interesting little story. It seems that he and his wife, Nancy, formerly lived in Durham county. While there, the wife was arrested on a charge of larceny and put in the Durham work house. Her hus and moved to White Oak Township, in this county.

Nancy, in the workhouse, was well contented until she heard rumors of her husband and the Alston woman. Jealous of her lord's affections, she broke jail and came to Wake county to see how the laud lay. The state of affairs didn't suit the jealous wife in the least, so she went to work, had the Alston woman arrested and then her husband, who is now in jail, safe from female

J. W Richardson, a Deputy, left for Du:ham county today with the escaped wife. She will finish her term in the work house there. Holders of Scap Tickets Ditched.

That the railroads are in earnest about their war on the scalp tickets, was made evident a day or so ago, when an entire company of show people, twenty in all, were ditched by the conductor of a passenger train on the Southern. The company was en route from Atlanta to New York and had bought cheap tickets from a scalper. The condu for refused to receive the tickets, and hough the holders made a great r w, he put them off They went back to Atlanta and the scalper who sold th m the tickets laughed at their p ight. He said he did not guarantee tost the railroad would accept them, and refused to refund a cent.

S. A. L. WAREHOUSES BURNED.

A \$250,000 Conflagration Last Night

A fire in Portsmouth last night did over 1,000,000 feet of lumber, one thousand bales of cotton, and one hundred thousand staves, besides sarehouses of the Seaboard Air Line and Old Dominion Line of steamers. Captain John Ashley and twenty colored men who were at work on the docks had to jump overboard to save their lives. They were picked up by steamer Yorktown. It is reported that two of the men were drowned, but this statement can neither be verfied nor

The fire originated from a defective

Sells Brothers' magnificent and

stupendous shows will exhibit in

electric wire. Engines were sent across the ferry from Norfolk. Sells' Great Circus.

this city Tuesday, Oct. 29. Their enlarged and varied confederation for 1895 in clude the Grand Regal Roman Hippodrome Races, Three Ring Circus, Elevated Theatre Stages, Performing Animals of all descriptions, Tropical Aquarium, Australian Aviary, Fifty Cage Menagerie, Arabian Caravan and The Gala-day Street l'arade. Among the many rare and attractive features exclusively presented by them will be found the only pair of living giant Hippopotami; the remarkable Educated Seals and Sea Lions, Rooster Orchestra, Trilby the Riding Peacock, Giant Kangaroos, a whole flock of Ostriches and hundreds of novel features. There are also scores of the most eminent charioteers, male and female jookeyes, bare-back riders, and ærial and other performers, and a program not only stupendous, but most exciting, select and refined in char-

sented in Raleigh Tuesday, Oct. 29. The grand, gorgeous street parade absolutely eclipsing any pageant ever seen, takes place at 10 a. m. on the day of the exhibition; two performanoes daily, afternoon and evening. Special excursion rates on all

acter, all of which will be fully pre-

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 Repub licans ought not to be allowed to vote in the National Convention, as they ere 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 Carkson.

NEWS GATHERED IN A DAY

Condensed and Put in a Readable Form.

FACTS AND GOSSIP

nterestingly 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 tel-phone 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 36 o 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 adver-The 116th North Carolina Report is now out and is now on sale at Alfred Williams & do's., the young and enterprising book firm. Messrs Williams

and Company always keep up trade in the book line. Mesers. Boyall and Borden are doing a rushing business. Mr. Miles Goodwin, the manager, and his entire force are bustlers and they have the latest attractions in the furniture line at the best figures.

The Bell Telephone property in Durham is to be taxed. The Board of County Commissioners decided this yesterday. Mr. G. H. Glass the efficient manager of the system in this city appeared for the Bell Telephone Company before the board.

As a reward for his saving the wreck of the vestibule train last week by informing the agent of a misplaced witch, says the Salisbury World, the Southern has given Rev. W. H. Bryant damage exceeding \$250,000, destroying a pass over its system for five years. Che reward is merited, for had the discovery not been made the consequences would have been disastrous.

> A gentleman in this state has reseived 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 dr. Jabez Myers, who lost his mind ast week, to the hospital at Morganton but Mr. Myers refused to come, saying that he considered New York 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. It is now at the depot. It is one of the best made, having all the improvements The street committee and Commissioner Blake spent some time in making the selection, but they secured a bargain. Crushers costing several thousand dolars were recommended. This one cost about \$600.

Billy Van's minstrels this season give one of the master performances of the year. Mr. Van. who himself is very capable and popular, has surrounded himself with a large array of artists, chosen from the ranks of the best procurable talent. In addition to this he believes thertre-goers admire gazing upon exquisite costumes, beautiful scenery, made dazzling by electrical and calcium effects, and consequently has arranged to introduce these elaborate devices throughout the performance, which is to b. found in minstrelsy alone, to be seen at the Academy next Tuesday night, the 15th.

Mr. J. J. McCarthy is the man who you saw in the center of the arena at the Buffalo Bill show yesterday, calling out the various features of the programme. It is not every man who can do what Mr. McCarthy does. He tells us that he has made a study of the business and has been at it many years. It is very difficult in an open ar-na to make the voice reach a large number of people at a considerable distance as was the case. Mr. McCarthy says it is necessary to give each sylable its full value and to make a slight pauss between sylables that the words may be distinctly heard It is a science which can only be acquired by practies. Mr. McCarthy held the same position with the Wild West show when in Chicago.