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## COTTON AGAIN ADVANCES

Goes Up Nine Points Today in New York.

## WHEAT ALSO STRONG

Better Cotton Trade in Manchester and Spot Sales are Liberal.

By Telegram to the Press-Visitor.  
New York, Dec. 6.—Liverpool opened 9 1/4-64 down, but improved, closing very steady 33.2-64 above last night.

Spot sales 12,000 bales, of which 11,000 were American; 10,000 bales for export and speculation.  
New York opened 5 points up, gaining 5 more points. Afterwards the market lost the improvement. Towards the close the market rallied, closing finally 9 points above last night, steady. There is a better feeling in the market. Liverpool news was more favorable than was expected. Manchester is doing a better trade, spot sales continue very liberal, and the absence of selling orders caused a better undertone. Shorts are covering.

Estimated receipts 45,000 bales, against 72,000 bales last year. The inferior receipts are very small, about half as compared with last year and smaller than in the small crop year.

Options closed as follows:  
December, — to —; January, 8.14 to 8.15; February, 8.19 to 8.20; March, 8.25 to —; April, 8.30 to 8.31; May, 8.34 to 8.35; June, 8.38 to 8.40; July, 8.40 to 8.41; August, 8.43 to 8.45.

Hubbard Bros. & Co.'s Cotton Letter. Special to the Press-Visitor.

New York, Dec. 6.  
An improvement in Liverpool surprised the trade this morning, as it had been thought the weakness in the American markets would cause an easier market abroad, and we promptly advanced some 10 points from the closing price of yesterday. The largest portion of this gain was lost on the posting of the receipts at the inferior towns, which showed an increase over last week, and another addition to the already large stocks of some \$5,000 bales. The unexpected rally in Liverpool under the demand from Manchester, has had the effect of changing to some extent, the temper of the local traders, work on the short side; faces of the active demand from Manchester, and the disposition of the South to hold cotton. There appears to be no active speculative demand, as outside interests seem more disposed to invest in cotton under existing conditions in Europe. Thus the market at the moment seems left to the trade, who having bought freely during the past week, are disposed to look for another improvement.

Hubbard Bros. & Co.

Chicago Grain Market.

Chicago, Dec. 6.—Grain quotations closed today as follows:  
Wheat—December, 68 1-8; May, 63 7-8.

Corn—December, 36 1-2; May, 39 1-8 to 39 1-4.

Operators Skipped.

By Telegram to the Press-Visitor.  
OHAMA, Neb., Dec. 6.—Fire broke out on the third floor of the National bank this morning. The operators of the Western Union Telegraph Company, on the top floor, were compelled to desert their posts. The fire was very threatening at first, but was soon under control.

Town Burned.

By Cable to the Press-Visitor.  
COPPELAND, Mass., Dec. 6.—The town of Mariestad was nearly wiped out by fire, which was uncontrollable for two days.

George Sals Dying.

By Cable to the Press-Visitor.  
LONDON, Dec. 6.—George Augustus Sals, the famous correspondent, is ill at Brighton. He has been sick for many weeks and is now unconscious. Death is only a question of a few hours.

Travelling Men in Boston.

By Telegram to the Press-Visitor.  
WORCESTER, Mass., Dec. 6.—The second annual meeting of the Worcester County Travelling Men's Association will be held at the Bay State House this evening. The annual election of officers will be followed with a banquet.

## WASHINGTON NEWS.

Items and Gossip From the National Capital.

Special to the Press-Visitor.  
WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—The Republicans in Congress will probably have an early opportunity to show how sincere their recent shouting for the Monroe doctrine has been. England's reply to the demand of this government for a specific answer as to whether its demands for the territory claimed by Venezuela would be submitted to arbitration is now on its way to Washington. Should it be a refusal to arbitrate, as it is said to be, President Cleveland will at once send a special message to Congress, and the Republicans will have a chance to show what they are willing to do for the maintenance of the Monroe doctrine.

It seems that at last President Cleveland has succeeded in nominating a man for a seat on the bench of the U. S. Supreme Court who is satisfactory to everybody and whose nomination will be unanimously confirmed by the Senate. The lucky man is Judge Rufus W. Peckham, now a member of the Appellate Court of New York, a lifelong democrat, and a brother of W. H. Peckham, whose nomination to be justice of the Supreme Court by President Cleveland was rejected by the Senate because of the opposition of Senators Hill and Murphy.

Cleveland Goes Hunting.

By Telegram to the Press-Visitor.  
NORFOLK, Va., Dec. 6.—President Cleveland is expected to arrive here today to take the lighthouse tender, 'Violet', for North Carolina ducking grounds. The party expects to reach Cape Hatteras Sunday. Blinds have been placed in the channel, where the President will spend three or four days shooting.

Ex-Senator Dead.

By Telegram to the Press-Visitor.  
DES MOINES, Ia., Dec. 6.—General Edward Wright, who formerly represented Iowa in the United States Senate, died this morning. He served with distinction during the war, and was a prominent figure in politics after the admission of his State into the Union.

Italy Sending Ships.

By Cable to the Press-Visitor.  
ROME, Dec. 6.—Trabana publishes information from Naples that a squadron of five Italian men-of-war is anchored at Gosta, under orders to be in readiness to proceed to Turkish waters.

Gladstone's Sharp Speech.

By Cable to the Press-Visitor.  
LONDON, Dec. 6.—Gladstone has written a letter to the Secretary of the Armentis relief association as follows: "I still hope in the indisposition of the peers to make themselves utterly ridiculous before the world."

Gold Going Agents.

By Telegram to the Press-Visitor.  
NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—Two and a half millions of gold was withdrawn within the first half-hour of business from the sub-treasury, for export.

Spain Sending Reinforcements.

By Telegram to the Press-Visitor.  
HAVANA, Cuba, Dec. 6.—The steamer Leon Tree has arrived at Guantanamo with the battalions of Principe de Toledo and Sarratekal, and the steamer Buenos Ayres has arrived at Cayo Frances, with the Cargosa Saboya and Paris Cataling battalions, numbering 6000 men. Campos has arrived here and reports a good impression of the condition of affairs in Santa Clara.

Board of Agriculture Kills A. and M. Football.

It is particularly hard on the students of the A. and M. College, who by several years of conscientious training and hard work had finally built up a successful football team, to have the results of their labor torn away in a minute's time by the resolution adopted by the Board of Agriculture. It does not look well for men who in their day risked maiming in the game of shinny, to thus laboer a game of which they know nothing, but which very many college alumni of recent years consider to be a science productive of great good in the development of both body and intellect.

The esteemed members of the Board of Agriculture may rest assured that the college youth will be sure to find both excitement and amusement; and they will discover that there are many so-called "amusements" more vicious than the game of the gridiron, which at least makes its devotees, physically, men.

## THE NAVAL RESERVES.

The Sailor Boys and Officers Stopped Over Last Evening.

The second division of specials from Portsmouth, carrying the Maryland militia to the Atlanta Exposition did not begin to arrive in the city until 5:30 yesterday afternoon. The first three sections carrying the Fourth and Fifth Regiments of Maryland troops came in quick succession and each stopped about ten minutes at Johnson street depot.

The fourth section, with Commander Emerson, the Naval Reserves, Adjutant General Stuart Brown and the Veterans Fireman's Association arrived about 7 p. m.

A large delegation, many of whom were ladies, were at the Union station to greet the sailor boys. Mayor Russ, John Y. MacRae and a few others had been invited by telegram from Mr. Emerson during the day to meet them at the depot. Mr. Emerson is a handsome soldier and it was a pleasure to his old friends to be with him.

The train had a stop of forty minutes here, and the Reserves were soon off the train and marching up Martin street to the beautiful and inspiring tune of "Maryland, my Maryland."

The Reserves numbering about 120, and a handsome set they were, dined in the main dining room of the Park. Proprietor Crawford arranged an attractive dining hall in the reading room, where the officers and guests, numbering about thirty, dined.

Mrs. Emerson, the accomplished wife of Commander Emerson, was in the party. Mrs. J. Newton Holder, sister of Mrs. Emerson, boarded the train for Atlanta on its departure.

The boys marched back to the train and left amid much hand-clapping and waving of handkerchiefs.

Proprietor Crawford served an elaborate bill of fare, which delighted his guests.

The Seaboard handled the large number of specials in an efficient manner. One of their representatives had charge of each section.

EIGHTY PER CENT. GUILTY.

This is the Record of Cases Tried in Federal Court—Sentences Given.

In the United States Court this morning Judge Seymour sentenced the following persons, each to pay a fine of \$10 and thirty days in jail in various counties: John L. Cox, J. P. Rosser, London Walker, J. W. Harris, Sam Davis, Silas Worth, in Chatham county jail; Rufus Weathers, in Durham county jail; Anthony Lyon, in Granville county jail. Judgment was suspended as to Dempsey Watson and Curtis Yates.

During the morning the grand jury returned seven true bills and three non true bills.

John Hopkins was called; the court was informed that he was sentenced to the work house and had escaped. His case was not pressed.

The law apparently seems rather severe on ignorant negroes who are employed at stills. A back woods dorker, who had neither counsel or money stated as soon as he was called that he was employed at a still. A verdict of guilty was recorded against the dorker who doubtless had no knowledge of violating the law.

The cases against the defendants are rather strong. A verdict of guilty has been returned in eight-tenths of the cases tried. This is a high percentage.

One old dorker was asked this morning by Attorney Aycock if a certain defendant did not have a reputation in his section for being a big distiller. "That's the recommendation they give him," replied the witness.

One of the interesting features of this court was the charge against Lellina Thomas, of Moore county, for distilling. She is 70 years old and a doctors statement was produced stating that she was unable to be present on account of old age and infirmity.

Almost Frozen.

Last evening a young countryman was found on South Fayetteville street lying flat on his face with outstretched hands in a ditch. The man was numb and stiff and could not move at all. This morning after waking sober and penitent, he gave his name as Page and stated that he was from this county.

The boy was drunk and had fallen in the ditch. Had some one not come across Page he would certainly have frozen, as the night was bitter and plashing cold.

Dr. C. H. Taylor and Prof. J. B. Carple left on the morning train for Greensboro to attend the Baptist State Convention.

## CLEVELAND CRITICIZED

Pressing State Matters at Capital, but Grover Busy

## DESTROYING DUCKS.

His Junket at This Time Elicits Much Criticism—House to Adjourn Till Monday.

By Telegram to the Press-Visitor.  
WASHINGTON, Nov. 6.—Much criticism about the President's duck shooting expedition in the waters about the Dismal Swamp of North Carolina when Salisbury's answer to Olney is expected today, while the chief executive is out of reach of mail and wire, is being indulged in. It is expected that the House will adjourn today until Monday, when both House and Senate will be ready to receive a message from the President.

Possible Complications.

By Cable to the Press-Visitor.  
LONDON, Dec. 6.—It is stated today that if it is true that Winston Leonard Churchill, son of the late Lord Randolph Churchill, has shared with the Spanish troops in Cuba in the fight against the rebels, it may lead to embarrassment, as he holds a commission in the British army. He obtained leave of absence in October and started to spend the holidays touring the West Indies.

Rebellion in China.

By Cable to the Press-Visitor.  
PARIS, Dec. 6.—A dispatch from St. Petersburg to Belar states that it is reported there that China has asked Russia whether the Russian government would be willing, if requested to do so, to send an army corps to help suppress the rebellion in North China. It is reported that the rebellion is spreading. The rebels have overrun the province of Kan Su and captured its capital, Lan-Chu Fa. He has taken two thousand prisoners, seizing thirty guns, together with a large quantity of provisions and ammunition.

Harmon Wants Law Changed.

By Telegram to the Press-Visitor.  
WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 6.—The first report of Attorney General Harmon was laid before Congress today. He treats at length the business of the Supreme Court of the United States, and recommends that, except in capital cases, appeals in criminal matters should not be taken to the Supreme Court. He recommends a change in the law.

Pyrotechnic Fire.

By Telegram to the Press-Visitor.  
NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—The immense bonded warehouse of Elliott F. Driggs, at South Jefferson and Water streets, was burned this morning. A large amount of fireworks, stored in the building, made the fire ugly. The loss is a hundred thousand. Several persons were slightly injured.

Mammoth Chicago Cathedral.

By Telegram to the Press-Visitor.  
CHICAGO, Dec. 6.—Bishop Nicholas has been instructed by the Holy Synod of St. Petersburg to build a great Cathedral at Chicago to cost half a million and cover a block. It will be the home head of the denomination of the Western world.

New Jersey Sanitary Association.

By Telegram to the Press-Visitor.  
ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Dec. 6.—The twenty-first annual meeting of the State Sanitary Association is being held at the Brighton Casino today.

Kansas Reform Press Association.

By Telegram to the Press-Visitor.  
LAWRENCE, Kan., Dec. 6.—The State Reform Press Association began its sessions here today with seventy-five editors present. They will be shown over the city by a local committee this afternoon and tomorrow.

The Stock of C. O. Ball Sold.

The stock of C. O. Ball was sold today, the horses and mules being sold at Mr. Frank Stronach's emporium and the stock of goods at the store on Hargett street. There was a good crowd, and Mr. Frank Stronach, the auctioneer, who thoroughly understands the business, made the bidding lively.

Iowa Teachers Meet.

By Telegram to the Press-Visitor.  
EARTHAM, Iowa, Dec. 6.—The second annual joint meeting of the teachers in the counties in this section of the State is being held here today.

## OUR VIRGINIA DEAD.

They Sleep in Stonewall Cemetery Without Headstones.

We gladly publish the following communication from Rev. Mr. Ainslie and cordially commend its contents and suggestions to the practical consideration of our readers:

Editor THE PRESS-VISITOR: I may be pardoned if I claim a place in your columns to express the great pleasure it gives me, as an old Confederate Soldier, to know the fact that at last steps are being taken to wipe away from the fair brow of our old mother, North Carolina, the semblance of disgrace which may attach to the neglect of her Confederate dead.

There are over four hundred North Carolina dead taken from the battlefields around Winchester, Va., and placed with loving hands in "Stonewall Cemetery." Just a little west of that town. These graves are simply marked by wooden head and foot boards. These noble men who left their homes at the call of their State to guard her honor and protect their homes ought not to have been forgotten so long. And every true North Carolinian will gladly welcome the hour close at hand now, when a delegation of North Carolinians will go on to the Shenandoah Valley and take part in unveiling a Southern cross, hewn out of granite from our own mountains, in the center of our State lot in this beautiful God's acre.

A large block of stone for this purpose has been given to Mrs. Armistead Jones of this city, President of the Woman's Memorial Association by whose wonderful energy and inherited devotion, assisted by a noble band of Carolinian daughters, the beautiful monument which stands in our Capitol grounds has been finished and consecrated to its high mission of perpetuating the fame of those men of our State, who carried the honor of the State in their hearts from Bethel to Appomattox. These 400 graves of the men, who are buried in the Stonewall Cemetery, are to be marked with enduring stone; head and foot. Your readers will be very glad to know that the women of Raleigh, speaking and acting for their sisters throughout the State, will at once designate a competent person to go to Winchester, Va., and ascertain definitely, the exact cost of the noble and patriotic enterprise and report in writing so that prompt action may be taken to complete the work. It has been thought by persons competent to judge, that the cost will not exceed \$8 per capita or grave. The Bishop of North Carolina has suggested an easy mode of raising the necessary amount will be for all individuals who love the fair fame of our State, seek to take a grave to mark and that he will only be too glad to mark one grave himself. The ingenuity of woman's love, which nothing has ever baffled or beaten, will devise the ways and means to perform this noble duty.

It is by just such acts of tender devotion to our noble dead that we certify to the world that we are not ashamed of, or forgetful of the civilization of the South, which produced such private as by their courage made the high fame of one, North Carolina General, Hoke, Branch, Pender, Daniel Pettigrew, Hill, Grimes, Rameur and others, upon whose honored shoulders were lifted up to the admiration of all Christendom our matchless Jackson and immortal Lee. In these days of dangerous dalliance with the pen, riant forces of Pantheism, materialism and ego philosophy—we are reminded of the duty and of compromising our claim to a lineage which North Carolina, famous in the sisterhood of the States in the prouder and purer days of the Republic, has given to each and every one of her true native born sons and daughters.

JAMES BATTLE AVIERTT, Chaplain in the late C. S. A.

St. Paul's Rectory, Louisville, N. C., Dec. 5, 1895.

Ms. T. S. Ingo is Appointed Master Mechanic.

Mr. T. S. Ingo, of this city, and for many years an employe of the Southern Railroad, has been promoted to the responsible position of master mechanic, with headquarters at Burlington, N. C. He will have jurisdiction over the lines from Greensboro to Goldsboro, Solma to Norfolk, Durham to Keyville, Oxford to Henderson, and University to Chapel Hill. This appointment went into effect on December 1st.

The Methodist Conference meets at Blisbeth City next Wednesday.

## TO INCORPORATE THE ASYLUM.

That was the Sense of the Grand Lodge, which met Last Evening.

The Grand Lodge of Masons met here in special session last evening for the purpose of taking such steps as would ensure to the Orphan Asylum, at Oxford, the bequest of \$20,000 left it in Minneapolis real estate by the late Mr. Bradley, of California. On the suggestion of the order's attorney, F. H. Busbee, Esq. of Raleigh, the Orphanage was ordered incorporated; the board of directors are to be nominated by the Masons and appointed by the Governor. This arrangement leaves the Masons practically in control, as before the incorporation.

Some of the members came here thinking that a provision in Mr. Bradley's will made the incorporation necessary; and that when incorporated, the institution would pass from Masonic control. The love for the Orphanage of the Masons of this State was well shown by the declaration of these men that they would vote against incorporation, if the bequest, under such conditions, was a hundred thousand dollars.

The will of Mr. Bradley is being fought by his heirs in California and Minneapolis, they claiming that he was not in sound mind when the will was made.

The matter will be decided within the next several months.

H. MAHLER SONS.

That Will be the Name of Raleigh's New Jewelry Firm.

Messrs. Louis and Fred Mahler are to succeed their late father, Mr. H. Mahler, in his jewelry business here and will conduct the business, with the name changed to H. Mahler Sons.

A reporter learns that the establishment under its new management is to be conducted with great enterprise. The store is to be completely remodelled and made one of the handsomest in the South. An expert is to arrive here in a few days to superintend the refitting of the store.

Raleigh people will be glad to learn that the business is to be continued and conducted on such progressive lines. Both the members of the firm are well known and popular young men. They have nothing before them but success.

The D'Ana-Thompson Case.

The case of Prof. D'Ana, of Kentucky, versus Mrs. Thompson, of Washington City, which was decided in favor of Prof. D'Ana and which was appealed from by Mrs. Thompson, was argued before the Supreme Court today. The child is at present in custody of Prof. D'Ana.

Counsel in the case for Prof. D'Ana is Mr. Thomas Hutman, of Hickory; for Mrs. Thompson, Messrs Irving and McCorkle & Son are attorneys. The story of Mrs. Thompson taking her child from the school in Hickory, where Prof. D'Ana placed him is fresh in the public mind.

Agricultural Board Adjourned.

The Board of Agriculture completed their work yesterday and adjourned. The Board passed a resolution to the effect that the students should not engage in games of football outside the college grounds. This is practically a death blow at the game at the college.

Resolutions were passed thanking the Executive Board and Lieutenant Henderson for services. Lieutenant Barnes, successor to Lieutenant Henderson received endorsement from the Board.

The work of Commissioner Patterson in conducting Farmers Institutes so successfully met with the approbation of the Board. So much pleased were they that provision was made to continue the work during January and February.

A special vote of thanks was tendered the Seaboard for valuable assistance, also for encouraging emigration.

Sunday Freight Trains Unlawful.

An Asheville man charged the Southern Railway with running a freight train on Sunday and several of its employes with working on the same day. The trainmaster and agent were had up in a magistrate's court and a decision was rendered against the company. A demurrer was filed but was overruled. The defendants were placed under \$1,000 bond. The defendants appealed.

Mr. H. S. Beard, accompanied the second section of the Fifth Maryland Regiment to Atlanta yesterday. Mr. Charles J. Voorhees was with the Fourth section which carried the Naval Reserves.

## NEWS GATHERED IN A DAY

Condensed and Put in a Readable Form.

## FACTS AND GOSSIP.

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

The sheriff of Wayne sent the Treasurer a \$5,000 check for payment on taxes.

Eight prisoners made an effort to break jail in Durham yesterday.

Sosa's Band on its return trip from Atlanta, will appear at Charlotte Tuesday night.

The Agricultural Department offices have been fitted up with the bright incandescents of the Raleigh electric company.

Red liquor and loaf sugar is too great a temptation for the average moonshiner. Hence the Mayor's court's enlarged records.

The North Carolina School Superintendents' Association meets here on the 20th of December. Mr. C. W. Tombs, of Durham, is President.

There is nothing nicer for a holiday present than a nice box of Tenney's candy, which you can find at John Y. MacRae's drug store. Watch his new ad tomorrow.

Fourteen young men stood the examination before the Pharmaceutical Board a few days ago. President Zoella carried the papers home with him. The boys will not know their fates for several days.

There was a serious wreck on the Southern Railway just below Charlotte, resulting from a head on collision yesterday morning. Engineers Link and Hammond were injured as was also a conductor and both firemen.

Thirty convicts left yesterday for the Penitentiary farm near Weidon. They will work on the canal. All the prisoners were recent arrivals. They wore new uniforms, had heavy blankets, but could not enjoy the luxury of an overcoat.

The contractor of the Seaboard Air Line to cut up the bridge over Morgan street was here today. His name is Gwaltney. He informed Chairman Drewry that the engineer had made his plans and work would be commenced tomorrow and pushed.

The directors of the asylum for the insane have adjourned after transacting the usual routine business. Superintendent George L. Kirby submitted his report. This excellent institution was found to be in splendid order.

Cards are out announcing the marriage of Dr. Charles T. Harper, of the Maryland University Hospital, of Baltimore, formerly of Wilmington, N. C., to Miss Jessie Gleason Zimmerman, of Baltimore on Wednesday, December 18th at 6:30 o'clock p. m. at Fulton Avenue Presbyterian Church.

One of the Baltimore delegation presented Mayor Russ last evening with a unique button of pretty design in old gold and black colors with the letters "B. C. E. '97." The letters stand for the Baltimore Centennial Exposition which will be held in '97 and which promises to be a greater show than any yet held.

Proprietor Brown received a telegram from the Fourth Maryland Regiment yesterday at 3 o'clock p. m. asking him if he could feed 400 men at 5 p. m. Mr. Brown replied promptly, "yes." The telegrams were delayed and so much time was lost that it was impossible to make the arrangements in so short a time.

Justice James K. Shepherd and Charles M. Busbee, Esq., have returned from Washington where they went to argue the famous case of Hattax vs. Tarka before the United States Supreme Court. The case did not come up, however, and has been postponed. The court gave as a reason the fact that the case was one involving grave constitutional points and should be argued before a full bench. Chief Justice Fuller was sick, one Justice was absent and there was one vacancy, making only six members out of the nine present. The case has been set for January 21st, when it will be called presumptively.