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## WHY PUNISHED.

Reason for Giving the Convicts the Lash.

Big Changes in State Guard, Grand Lodge Meeting, Second Freight Reduction, Big Cotton Mill, Strawberry Shipment, Record Broken.

RALEIGH, May 11.—The Federal convicts in the penitentiary were, until Capt. "Bill" Day took hold of the penitentiary, allowed to do pretty much as they pleased. They declared they could not be punished. They claimed, however, and they were on the point of demonstrating the State convict. Day came in and found that they could be punished. Thirty-five of them were ordered to the brickyard and six of them swore they would not go. The ringleaders were a white man and a negro preacher from Alabama. They were given sixteen lashes, the others three to six. Day says this worked like a charm and that the convicts acknowledged that they got what they deserved.

The adjutant-general has made a big change in the regiments of the State Guard. What was the First is made the Second. The First thus created embraced all the companies of the First Volunteer Regiment, which served in Cuba, except the trothshoro company, which is put in the new Second regiment. The Maxton and Lumber Bridge companies are put in the Second regiment. The Third regiment is not changed. Each regiment has twelve companies. Joseph F. Armistead will command the First and in July or August it will make a practice march. The Second and Third will go into camp. The companies of the First will retain their letters as they were in Cuba. There are 148 delegates attending the Grand Lodge of Odd-Fellows, now in session here. These represent 108 lodges in future instead of meeting at a different point annually, all the meetings of the Grand Lodge may be held here. This matter is being specially considered.

Only one new case of smallpox is discovered in this city, while sixteen patients are discharged from the pest house and twenty-four suspects from the detention camp. As yet no one has died at the pest house and the authorities say they do not expect to lose a case there.

The new hospital at the Confederate Soldiers' Home here is to accommodate forty patients. The building will be one story, with a continuous veranda.

Work will begin this month on a cottonseed oil mill here at the works of the Carolina Phosphate and Fertilizer Company. It will be a mill of medium size.

The Wilmington Tariff Association secures equal freight rates with Norfolk and Richmond to points in Central and Western North Carolina. The Atlantic Coast Line and Southern Railway agree to make this reduction.

The Ladies' Memorial Association in a very quiet way, decorated the graves of the Confederate dead. There was no parade and no address.

A report made by the Atlantic Coast Line Railway shows that it has broken all records in strawberry shipments between Wilmington and Ocala, Fla. There were about six hundred crates, making three trains, containing 25,000 crates.

It is learned the Duke family of Durham will build a \$500,000 cotton mill there. A \$100,000 mill will also be built at Durham in addition to the \$500,000 mill there, the stock in which was taken last week.

Robert Strange Kirkland, brother of Commodore Kirkland and General Kirkland, died in Brunswick county, N. C. He had spent much of his life in Tidewater, Virginia.

The Commissioner of the Currency has decided that Judge Ewart, of the western district of North Carolina, is entitled to the salary attached to the office from the date of his qualification under the recess appointment issued to him by the President on April 12, 1899. During the last session of Congress, Mr. Ewart served as district judge under a recess appointment issued July 13, 1898.

The Supreme Court adjourned to meet next September. For the first time in over 50 years not a single case was carried over to the succeeding term.

## THE SPECULATIVE MARKET.

Today's quotations furnished by Lewis A. May & Co., New York, Represented by A. G. Newberry, New York, May 11.

STOCKS.  
Open. High. Low. Close  
Sugar..... 10 1/2 10 1/4 10 1/4 10 1/4  
Red 1st P.M. .... 88 88 86 86  
C. R. & Q. .... 12 1/2 12 1/2 12 1/2 12 1/2  
B. R. T. .... 12 1/2 12 1/2 12 1/2 12 1/2  
M. O. P. .... 4 1/2 4 1/2 4 1/2 4 1/2  
Manhattan..... 11 1/2 11 1/2 11 1/2 11 1/2

## CHICAGO MARKETS.

Open. High. Low. Close  
Wheat..... 80 80 79 79  
July..... 7 1/2 7 1/2 7 1/2 7 1/2

## CANSTON.

Open. High. Low. Close  
July..... 7 1/2 7 1/2 7 1/2 7 1/2

## ROYAL BAKING POWDER

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## INSURGENTS ATTEMPT RECAPTURE.

Report of Great Deal of Death and Many Casualties, But Were Heavily Repulsed. Their Congress Was Frivolous.

MANILA, May 10.—The Filipino General Mascardo's army, inspired by wine taken from the storehouses of Bacolor and by the General's oratory on Monday evening, attacked San Fernando. There was tremendous yelling and a great expenditure of cartridges by the rebels, but very little result.

General Mascardo holds the outlook of front of his position, are the Kansas and Montana regiments, which occupy trenches that the Filipinos built in anticipation of an attack from the direction of the sea. During the afternoon of Monday, General Mascardo, with a large retinue of officers, rode along the lines, frequently stopping to harangue his warriors.

At dusk a detachment of insurgents rushed towards the outposts of the Montana Regiment, but were met by a hot fire from the Montana Regiment's line. The insurgents from trenches nearly three miles long responded. After an hour's firing, during which one private soldier of the Montana Regiment was wounded, the insurgents subsided, although they kept up a scattering fire throughout the night.

Prisoners who were brought into the American lines said that General Mascardo distributed barrels of wine among his soldiers, telling them that he expected them to capture the city of San Fernando.

The trenches undoubtedly saved the Americans from heavy losses, bullets falling thick about them during the engagement.

## SPEECH OF GEN. GORDON.

"A Pledge of the South's Eternal Loyalty to the Perpetuity of American Freedom."

CHARLESTON, S. C., May 10.—General John B. Gordon's opening address at the Confederate reunion today was as follows:

"My fellow-countrymen of South Carolina: The flood of emotions which stir the sensibilities of these veterans today is their loving answer to your gracious greeting. These emotions will speak to you in language far more impressive and eloquent than any words I could utter. The ringing shouts from these thousands of Confederate throats are veritable echoes of the inspiring resolutions of welcome unanimously adopted by your General Assembly.

"While those resolutions have cheered and thrilled every Southern soldier's heart, they were not needed to tell us of the reception that awaited us in South Carolina. Her whole history and that of her commercial capital were the promise and guarantee of this magnificent reality.

"What else could be expected of a people in whose veins are commingled the blood of the proud English cavaliers—the blood of those devoted and resolute men who protested against the immoralities and grinding exactions of the Stuart; the blood of the stalwart Disasters and of the heroic Highlanders of Scotland and of the sturdy democratic Presbyterians of Ireland; the blood of those defenders of freedom who came to your shores from the mountain battlements of Switzerland, and lastly, but no less pure and sacred, the blood of the high-souled Huguenots of France, whose Martyrs, by a glorious fidelity, even unto death, have made sweeter and richer the record of human devotion to conscience and liberty.

"No resolutions, I repeat, by which this great Commonwealth extends its loving welcome were needed to assure these remnants of the South's immortal armies that the freedom of the State was theirs, and that every heart within her borders was a soldier's shrine. We had but to remember that South Carolina was the nursery of heroes, as well as of statesmen and of patriots—that no one State, except that she be endowed with an almost boundless affluence of greatness, could in one century have given to the cause of liberty and the republic such a splendid galaxy as South Carolina presents in her Rutledge, her Sumter, her Moultrie, her Middleton, and her Marion; in her Butler, her Pickens, and her Pickens; in her McDuffie and her Calhoun; in her Hamilton, her Hayes, and her beloved Hampton.

"I feel empowered by your confidence to send to every patriot in every section and State the fraternal greetings of this convention and of the whole people to pledge to the cause of every Confederate and son and daughter of a Confederate the South's eternal loyalty to every cause for the uplifting of American manhood, the perpetuity of American freedom, the unity of the American people that by all these agencies we may accelerate the onward march of the republic to the realization of human mission to humanity.

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## A GREAT REUNION.

Charleston Hinge With Cheers and the Tramp of a Southern Host.

CHARLESTON, S. C., May 10.—Four events were crowded into the program for the opening of the Confederate reunion of 1899 in Charleston today.

The first was, of course, the formality of welcome extended in the name of South Carolina and the city of Charleston to the assembled hosts of veterans from all the Confederate States in the civil war. The welcome, however, was so hearty and was given and received with such enthusiasm that it should hardly be called formal. It was really not so in any sense, but a spontaneous outpouring of sentiment, such as could be inspired only by a homogeneous people.

The second was a tribute to the women of the South, which was heartily accorded by the assembled veterans. The third was a great marshaling of the hosts of the survivors of the civil war in a street parade. The fourth was a tribute to the dead who fell while sustaining the "lost principle."

## To Use Our Coal.

WASHINGTON, May 10.—The French government is making inquiries as to American coal with a view to adopting it for the use of the French navy. To this end the Minister of Marine in the French Cabinet has instructed Lieutenant De Farmon, the naval attaché of the French Embassy here, to examine the American coal now in use on American warships. Lieutenant De Farmon has completed his inquiries and is now preparing a favorable report to the French admiralty.

## The Raleigh Not Damaged.

WASHINGTON, May 10.—A dispatch to the Navy Department from Captain Coghlan states that an examination of the Raleigh after she was floated last night shows that she sustained practically no damage in grounding off Charleston.

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