CITY AFFAIRS.

MEETINGS THIS DAY.

Royal and Select Masters, at 4 P. M.
Knights of Pythias, at half-past 6 P. M.
German Fire Company, at 3 P. M.
Sumter Rifle Club, at 8 P. M.
Wagener Artillery Club, at half-past 7 P. M.
Sumter Social Club, at half-past 8 P. M.
National Zouaves, at half-past 7 P. M.
United Fire Company, at 7 P. M.

AUCTION SALES THIS DAY.

Laurey, Alexander & Co., will sell at 11 o'clock, in Kerr's wharf store, Eastern bay.

William McKay will sell at 10 o'clock, in his store, damaged goods, hats, &c.

THERMOMETRICAL.

The range of the thermometer yesterday, at Mr. Blackman's drug store, was as follows: 8 A. M., 54; 10 A. M., 58; 12 M., 65; 2 P. M., 67; 4 P. M., 64; 6 P. M., 58; 8 P. M., 58.

UNION PRAYER MEETINGS.

This (Wednesday) afternoon's services half-past four o'clock, at Zion Church, Glebe street, will be conducted by the Rev. C. S. Vedder. At night, at half-past seven o'clock, at the lecture room of the Circular Church, the Rev. G. R. Brackett will officiate. The public are earnestly invited.

EUROPEAN EXPORTS.

Messrs. W. C. Bee cleared yesterday the bark Sappho for Liverpool with 2114 bales upland cotton, weight 952,871 pounds; 103 bags sea island cotton, weight 31,826 pounds; 411 barrels rosin and 50 tons phosphate rock. Total value of cargo $189,000. Mr. W. P. Hall the Spanish brig Rosa for Vigo and a market with 220 bales upland cotton and 11,000 feet lumber.

LOCAL LACONICS.

—The Berger Family Swiss Bell Ringers appear next week, at Hibernian Hall.

—Gardner has reopened for the season his well known soda water establishment in Hasel street.

—The Savannah Schutzenfest will not come off until May, so as not to interfere in any way with the Charleston festival in April.

—Rev. L. H. Shuck, of this city, was to have lectured in the Baptist Church at Aiken last evening on "Woman."

—We are requested by Collector Cloutman to say that the tax on rope and bagging for which no tare was allowed is being refunded at his office.

—It was the Lincoln Republican Guards that received the compliment for good drilling at the parade on Monday, and not the Lincoln Light Infantry.

—The elocutionary entertainment of the Garrick Dramatic Club takes place this evening at Temperance Hall, No. 142 Meeting street.

—The city registrar's report for the week ending February 8, exhibits a total of eighteen deaths, seven of which were white and eleven colored.

—"Old Prob." predicts for the South Atlantic States to-day fresh and brisk easterly to southerly winds, cloudy weather and rain, the former veering to westerly and northerly to-night, with clearing weather.

—R. M. Marshall & Bro. yesterday sold at auction the residence No. 119 Coming street, opposite St. Paul's Church, with lot 98 by 168 feet, for $4900. Also, a vacant lot on east side Friend street, between Broad and Queen, 46½ by 104 feet, for $770. Terms, one-third cash; balance in one and two years.

THE COURTS.

United States Court.

Ex parte Wm. H. Dowdy, of Richland. Petition for voluntary bankruptcy. Petition read, and on motion referred to C. G. Jaeger for adjudication and further action.

Ex parte John W. Burbidge, assignee, in re Burrell Sanders, bankrupt. Report of assignee as to sale of property. Report was read, and on motion the judge signed an order authorizing the assignee to accept the offer for the sale of Stokes and Hill Plantation; also signed a decree ordering the designation of homestead; also order for the sale of various pieces of property.

Ex parte R. Y. Leavett, assignee, in re A. Harris, bankrupt. Petition to sell personal property. Order granted.

Ex parte David R. Pheild, assignee, in re A. Whitney, bankrupt. Petition to sell real estate and to call in lien creditors. Granted.

The United States vs. one barrel distilled spirits, one wagon and a yoke of oxen. Information for violation of the internal revenue law. Ordered, that the articles be condemned and that a rendition be made of the expenses, returnable the first Monday in March, 1873.

Ex parte Edwin Bates & Co., creditors, in re A. Baruch, debtor. Petition for involuntary bankruptcy. Ordered, that debtor show cause on the 18th day of February, at 11 A. M., why he should not be declared bankrupt. The judge also signed an order of injunction prohibiting the transfer of the property, and also that the marshal do take possession of the stock at Florence; also, the order for injunction was granted restraining Frederica Baruch, wife of A. Baruch, from conveying or incumbering the real estate in the Town of Florence, conveyed to her by the said A. Baruch.

Ex parte Lewis Maffey, of Laurens. Petition for voluntary bankruptcy. Referred to C. G. Jaeger for adjudication and further action.

Ex parte F. W. Fuller, of Greenville. Petition for discharge. The registrar's report favoring it was read and the judge signed the order.

Ex parte McKeith, assignee, in re C. C. Langston, bankrupt. Petition for counsel fees. On hearing the report of the registrar, it was ordered that the assignee pay J. J. Norton (attorney) for himself, and the estate of General W. K. Easley, the sum of $300.

Ex parte John W. Burbridge, assignee, in re Burrell Sanders, bankrupt. Petition for sale. The order to sell the property of E. E. Sanders was signed.

Ex parte F. J. Smith, assignee, in re Hoffman, Brabham & Co., bankrupts. Petition for the payment of attorney's fees for services in equity case. The report of the registrar having been read, it was ordered that the assignees pay solicitors the amount of bill, four hundred and twenty dollars, together with the cost of the proceedings.

The Mayor's Court.

Annie Heyward, disorderly conduct, referred to the chief of police. Alexander Rutledge, application for lodging, hospital. Median Polly, disorderly conduct, one dollar. A dog found at large, corner Market and Meeting streets, fifty cents. Alexander Coburn, lying drunk, one dollar. T. S. Toomer, same offence, one dollar.

CARD OF THANKS.

SUMMERVILLE, February 10, 1873.

My friends and neighbors who labored so earnestly and successfully at the fire in my yard to-night will please accept my heartfelt thanks. ROSWELL T. LOGAN.

THE GRAND ROYAL ARCH CHAPTER.

Annual Convocation.

The Most Excellent Grand Royal Arch Chapter of South Carolina was opened in due and ancient form yesterday, at high twelve, at the Masonic Temple.

The roll was called, and a constitutional quorum of the subordinate chapters found to be represented, with the following grand officers: Comps. James A. Hoyt, grand high priest; James Birnie, deputy high priest; E. W. Lloyd, grand king; W. H. D. Gaillard, grand scribe; J. M. Carlisle, reverend grand chaplain; C. Frank Jackson, grand treasurer; Augustine T. Smythe, grand secretary.

On motion of Comp. James Birnie, the reading of the minutes was dispensed with—printed copies being in the hands of the delegates.

On motion of Comp. A. T. Smythe all Royal Arch Masons in good standing were allowed admittance to the present convocation of the Grand Chapter.

At the request of the Grand Chapter, the M. E. grand high priest then delivered his annual address, reporting matters of interest and questions of law which had arisen during the past year, and such suggestions as he conceived for the benefit of the craft, which was referred to the committee on the high priest's address.

The grand secretary then presented his annual report of his actings and doings as grand secretary, which, on motion of Comp. Birnie, was referred to a special committee of three.

The grand high priest announced the standing committees as follows:

On Address of the Grand High Priest—Comps. W. K. Blake, G. T. Berg, A. J. Sitton.

On Dispensations and Charters—Comps. James Birnie, C. A. C. Waller, J. D. Sullivan.

On Credentials—Comps. W. G. DeSaussure, A. T. Smythe, B. R. Campbell.

On Unfinished Business—Comps. W. H. Girardeau, J. M. Rushton, F. F. Gary.

On Appeals and Grievances—Comps. E. W. Lloyd, S. P. Dendy, F. A. Molloy.

On Finance—Comps. S. A. Durham, J. J. McLene, W. H. D. Gaillard.

On Books of Grand Secretary and Grand Treasurer—Comps. O. H. Ott, T. Melchers, A. E. Hutchinson.

On By-Laws of Subordinate Chapters—Comps. J. E. Burke, M. B. Moses, B. Z. Herndon.

On Per Diem and Mileage—Comps. W. G. DeSaussure, M. C. Taggart, H. A. Ulmo.

On Grand Secretary's Report—Comps. James Birnie, J. D. Easterlin, J. M. Rushton.

Comp. James Birnie, from the committee appointed at the last convocation to consider a resolution apportioning the subordinate chapters among the first four officers of the Grand Chapter, and requiring them to visit such subordinates at least once during the year, submitted a report qualifying such resolution.

On motion of Comp. Augustine T. Smythe the report was referred to the committee on the high priest's address.

An amendment making only past high priests eligible to office in the Grand Chapter was, on motion of Comp. Henry Buist, laid on the table.

An amendment defining the time upon which the dues of the Grand Chapter should be assessed was adopted, on motion of Comp. F. F. Gary.

An amendment changing the amount of dues required from the subordinate chapters from fifty cents for every member upon their rolls to one dollar was, on motion of Comp. Durham, made the special order for eleven o'clock A. M. to-day.

The election of grand officers was made the special order for to-day at twelve o'clock M.

The Chapter was then called from labor to refreshment until half past seven o'clock P. M.

EVENING SESSION.

The Grand Chapter was called from refreshment to labor at 7.30 P. M., with the same officers as at the morning session.

The roll was called and a quorum found present, after which the minutes of the morning session were read and confirmed.

Comp. Henry Buist, grand representative of the Grand Chapter of Minnesota, was received with the grand honors of Royal Arch Masonry.

Comp. Burke submitted the report of the committee on by-laws, which was adopted.

Comp. Girardeau submitted the report of the committee on unfinished business, which was adopted.

The grand high priest announced the committee on the report of the committee on foreign correspondence—Comps. Z. Davis, W. Tennent and B. R. Campbell.

On motion, the next place of meeting of the Grand Chapter was fixed at Charleston.

Comp. DeSaussure submitted an amendment to Chapter V of the constitution, which was laid over under the rules.

Comp. Durham submitted the report of the committee on finance, which was made the special order for to-morrow at 11 A. M.

Comp. Melchers submitted the report of the committee on grand treasurer's and grand secretary's books, which was adopted.

Comp. Birnie gave notice of an amendment to chapter XXV of the constitution.

On motion of Comp. E. W. Loyd, leave of absence was granted for the remainder of the session to Comp. T. F. Malloy.

The Grand Chapter was then called from labor to refreshment until half-past ten A. M. this morning.

EIGHT LOCKS TO THE BOLL.

The Origin and Character of the Prodigy Cotton.

The unparalleled productiveness of Cannon's prodigy cotton bids fair to inaugurate a new era in cotton planting, and, as there is evidently a disposition on the part of enterprising planters to give this cotton a trial, a comprehensive description of its origin and character will be of interest.

The prodigy cotton is a new and distinct species of short cotton, bearing eight locks to the boll—twice the number borne by ordinary cotton. It is progressive, the tendency being to increase, as several bolls have been gathered from the eight lock stalks which bore *twelve* locks. The double fruitage of the eight lock cotton is in itself a great consideration as it will, by increasing the yield, diminish both the quantity of land to be planted and the expense of labor. In productiveness it far surpasses any on record, having yielded the past year, with a limited application of fertilizers, and imperfect cultivation, at the rate of six thousand pounds to the acre! Colonel Cannon in 1871 started with one boll of eight lock cotton; he has now seed enough to plant three-quarters of an acre, from which he expects to gather at the rate of seven thousand pounds of seed cotton to the acre. The genuine eight lock seed can be obtained from John Thomson & Co., seedsmen and florists, No. 288 King street, at one dollar a seed, and some of the seed growing on the same stalks from which the eight lock was gathered, but bearing four and five locks to the boll, will be sold for seventy-five cents a seed. These last will produce eight lock bolls, but not in the same ratio as the genuine eight lock.

Specimens of the prodigy cotton can be seen at the store of John Thomson & Co., No. 288 King street, and also at the office of the Rural Carolinian. Orders with cash remittance addressed to John Thomson & Co., seedsmen and florists, No. 288 King street, Charleston, S. C., or to Colonel W. H. Cannon, St. Stephen's Depot, Northeastern Railroad, S. C., will meet prompt attention. Only two thousand of the prodigy cotton seed will be sold the present season. For the encouragement of those whose means are limited we will state that Colonel Cannon started with five stalks of this prodigy cotton, and expects in this, the third year of its discovery, to obtain forty bushels of genuine eight lock cotton seed, and two hundred bushels of the four and five lock cotton seed, from which the eight lock was gathered.

To protect those purchasing the prodigy cotton, a careful list of their names will be kept so as to prevent any spurious article being palmed off on the public the next year, to the detriment of those planting the genuine seed.

The experiment, so far, proves conclusively that the prodigy cotton is *progressive*, and we hope to congratulate purchasers of the genuine eight-lock cotton seed on the acquisition of numerous *twelve-lock bolls* at the close of the present year. If that favorable result should not be realized, the discoverer will be more sadly disappointed than the purchaser, having a heavier interest at stake.

FIRE IN SUMMERVILLE.

Tremendous Exertions and Wonderful Success of the Volunteer Fire Brigade.

On Monday night, about three-quarters-past 10 o'clock, the kitchen of Mr. Roswell T. Logan, in Summerville, was discovered to be on fire. It was blazing from ground-floor to roof, so that there were no hopes of saving it, and all efforts were turned towards rescuing the dwelling, not twenty steps distant from the devouring element. The few neighbors, black and white, hastily gathered together, worked like troopers, and with buckets filled with water from the well, which was fortunately very near, succeeded in keeping the house so wet that it did not catch.

The cause of the fire is mere matter of surmise, there being no one in the kitchen at the time of the fire. No servants slept on the premises. Mr. and Mrs. Logan and infant child slept in the room next to the kitchen, and so near that the weather boarding outside was hot when the fire was discovered. Mr. Logan had only retired about fifteen minutes when the alarm occurred. It is supposed that the cook must have left fire in the stove, and that it got hot enough to burn the floor. Mr. Logan lost a cooking stove and all his cooking utensils and a quantity of clothes; total value about $100. The premises belong to B. C. Pressley, Esq., and his loss is probably about $400. Great credit is due to the gentlemen and their servants, who, by prompt and energetic action, saved the dwelling.

FREE POSTAL DELIVERY.

In the United States House of Representatives, on February 5, during the debate on the appropriation for the postal service, Mr. Connor offered the following amendment, which was agreed to:

That commencing with the 1st day of July, 1873, letter-carriers may be employed for the free delivery of mail matter as frequently as the public convenience may require at every place containing a population of twenty thousand within the delivery of its postoffice, and that, for the purpose of employing carriers where not already employed at said place, the sum of one hundred thousand dollars is hereby appropriated out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

This amendment, if it pass the Senate, will, of course, give Charleston a free postal delivery, this city having, according to the United States census of 1870, a population of 48,956. Really, the population of Charleston is over 50,000.

HOTEL ARRIVALS—FEBRUARY 11.

Charleston.

J H Pond, Miss Pettibone, Miss Connell, Oswego; J C Ferris, James Morris, New York; Thos A Brown, Jacksonville; J C Jewett and lady, Buffalo; John McJord, Columbia; R C Martin, New York; Mrs F H Walls and two children, B L DeForrest, A C Wisen, G W Dibble, W H Hall, lady and two children, M Freeman, lady, nurse and two children, Mr and Mrs G Graham, New York; W A Ulmo, Florence; C M Vail, J C Mott, New York; J L Howe, E Jones, Philadelphia; J T Pettus, lady and two daughters, New York; P H Radford, L D Fletcher, St Mary's Ga; E A Todd, Michigan; E C Coffin, Lynn, Mass; S S Field, W R Perry, New York; H Covington, Bennettsville; Z P Moses, Columbia; L Fletcher, Miss Fletcher, Cincinnati; George W Tucker, Baltimore; S H Manget, Edgefield; Miss M L Kelly, Aiken; Major M B Moses, Sumter; J J McClure, Chester; F F Gagy, D Z Herndon, L A Ellis, Cokesbury; A E Hutchinson and wife, Miss Addie White, Miss Addie Caldwell, Rock Hill; Dr M C Taggart, C A C Waller, Greenwood; E W Lloyd, Florence; P M Mathewson, F M Mathewson, Providence, R I; John H Dall, San Francisco, Cal; A J Setton, Pendleton; W H Patton; Greenwood; M Foot, Newberry; N McFee, Columbia; L J Denay, Walhalla; M W Setton, Pendleton; J D Sullivan, Greenville.

Pavilion.

Charles R Ten Eyck, Trenton; Hervey Hunt, H J Hunt, Portland; A M Skipper, C C Parish, S F Pendergrass, Kingstree; S R Chandler, Clarendon; R H Kilianan, South Carolina; Geo E Pritchett, Clarendon; E H Gaque, Marion; J V Barden, M W Swann, Leesville; Alfred Ayer, Barnwell; J M Windeker, Little Falls, N Y; Mr Wudbyh Miss Hoges, G B Landt and lady, J McPherson and lady, New Jersey; Dr W M Shuler, George's Station; E A Mix, Orangeburg; F McMakin, Florida; Wm K Blake, Spartanburg; Wm H Girardeau, Sumter; John C Vorhall and lady, A Kiefferson, Baltimore; S D Clark, Simmsville; A J Weathersbee, Barnwell; W R Sturgeon, Harrisburg; W W Fozler, Berger Family Swiss Bell Ringers; J Gorham, Savannah.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

FINE BREAD.—Hall's Bakery, at the corner of King street and Price's alley, is turning out bread that will compare favorably with the very best.

VALENTINES delivered in any part of the city if left at Up Town News Depot, King street, opposite Ann.

MARKED DOWN.—Diaries for 1873 have been marked down below cost. As cheap now as memorandum books. Walker, Evans & Cogswell, No. 3 Broad street.

GENTS' COATS, Vests and Pants nicely cleaned and renewed at Otto Sonntag's, No. 34 Wentworth street.

THE CHRISTIAN UNION, edited by the Rev. Henry Ward Beecher, of Brooklyn, N. Y., is one of the best family papers of the period. Its columns are filled with a varied fund of information, religious and secular, and furnished by a talented corps of writers. To render the Union more popular the publishers will this year present to each subscriber two chromos, representing "Asleep" and "Awake," or a larger sized oleograph. The price of the Union is $3 25 per annum with the chromos, or $3 40 with the oleograph. Mr. C. J. Colcock, Jr., of this city, is the agent for the Union, and the chromos and oleograph can be seen at C. C. Righter's Bazaar, Hasel street, opposite the Express office. Aside from the literary excellence of the Union, the pictures are fully worth the price of subscription. feb11-6

FOR THROAT DISEASES and affections of the chest "Brown's Bronchial Troches" are of value. For coughs, irritation of the throat, caused by cold or unusual exertion of the vocal organs, in speaking, in public, or singing, they produce beneficial results. DOWIE, MOISE & DAVIS, Agents. nov10-wfm3

WHAT TIME HAS TAUGHT US.—It has taken two thousand years to teach the world that to sustain the body in its conflict with disease, not to help disease by weakening the body, is the true end of medicine. We have the lesson by heart at last, however. We know, for example, that tearing doses of aloes, salts jalap, croton oil, calomel, colcynth, &c., are the best allies that a debilitating malady can have in its assaults on the human frame; and that a medicine like Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, which strengthens all the bodily powers and rallies the sinking constitution, is the powerful antagonist of the morbific principle, whatever it may be, that lies at the root of the complaint. This knowledge has been a long time in reaching us, but it is invaluable. We can now control and cured dyspepsia, bilious disturbances, constipation, rheumatism, nervousness, and many other painful complaints once considered incurable, with this this admirable corrective. feb12-wfm2d&w

CURE FOR COUGH OR COLD.—As soon as there is the slightest uneasiness of the Chest, with difficulty of breathing, or indication of Cough, take during the day a few "Brown's Bronchial Troches." DOWIE, MOISE & DAVIS, agents. nov20-wfm3

ALL the popular grades of the Waltham Watch manufactory, at James Allan's.

RADOUX'S KID GLOVES.—We invite attention to J. R. Read & Co.'s advertisement of Radoux's Paris Kid Glove, of which they have received the Agency for Charleston. J. R. Read & Co. have also just opened another full line of Harris's "Seamless" Kid Gloves. feb5-wfm

PLATED WARE, in new and exquisite designs. Tea Sets, Ice Pitchers and Castors, at Allan's, No. 307 King street.

HOT BED SASH! HOT BED SASH!—Two thousand Hot Bed Sash just completed, and now ready for delivery; price low. Call and examine same at P. P. Toale's, Nos. 20 Hayne, and 33 Pinckey streets, or on Horlbeck's Wharf. dec30

OPERA, MARINE AND FIELD GLASSES in great variety, including those of the finest make, at reasonable prices. Allan's, No. 307 King street.

TRIBUTE OF RESPECT.

At a special meeting of the vestry of the Church of the Holy Trinity, held in Grahamville February 6, 1873, the following preamble and resolutions were unanimously adopted:

The Reaper Death, who has of late years been so busy among us, has again put in his sickle and gathered from our mids: a ripe shock, a full ear. Our vestry and parish are called together to deplore the death of one of our oldest and most faithful brethren in Charles C. Dupont. And while bowing in submission to the divine will, we claim the privilege of mourning for the loss of one so worthy. The life of our departed brother was adorned by all the virtues of the Christian gentleman; modest and retiring in his manner, he never sought public life, but pursued the even tenor of his way, fulfilling all the duties of the good citizen, dispensing a delightful hospitality in his home, and above all, working with energy in all the concerns of the church he loved so well. His work is done, his labors ended, and he has entered into the joy of his Lord. Be it

Resolved, That in the death of the late C. C. Dupont, the vestry of this church have lost an efficient member, and the community an estimable citizen.

Resolved, That a page of our Minutes be dedicated to his memory, that a copy of these proceedings be sent to his family, and that they be published in the Monthly Record and CHARLESTON NEWS.

COMMERCIAL NEWS.

Exports.

LIVERPOOL—Per bark Sappho—103 bags sea island cotton, 2114 bales upland cotton, 411 bbls rosin, 50 tons phosphate rock.

VIGO AND A MARKET—Per Spanish brig Rosa—220 bales upland cotton 11 000 feet lumber.

NEW YORK—Per steamship Charleston—28 bags sea island cotton, 1584 bales upland cotton, 110 tierces rice 41 bales domestics, 200 bags cotton seed meal, 30 tierces clay, 110 bags oil cake, 50 bbls cotton seed oil, 50 pkgs sundries.....Per schr John S Lee—1778 bbls rosin.....Per schr Osprey—592 bales damaged upland cotton.

BOSTON—Per steamship Mercedita—1061 bales upland cotton, 325 bbls rosin, 20 casks clay, 50 pkgs sundries.

The Charleston Cotton, Rice and Naval Stores Markets.

OFFICE CHARLESTON NEWS, TUESDAY EVENING, February 11, 1873.

COTTON.—This article has an easy character, with a moderate demand, at generally unchanged prices. Sales about 800 bales, say 22 at 16, 8 at 16¼, 3 at 16¾, 2 at 17, 6 at 17¼, 5 at 17½, 10 at 17¾, 8 at 17⅞, 28 at 18, 374 at 18¼, 31 at 18½, 7 at 18¾, 29 at 18⅞, 93 at 19, 5 at 19¼, 10 at 19½, 101 at 19¾, 5 at 19⅞, 2at 20c ₱ lb. We quote:

LIVERPOOL CLASSIFICATION.

Tinged and stained	17½@18¼
Inferior	16 @18¾
Ordinary to good ordinary	17 @18⅝
Low middling	18⅞@19
Middling	19¼@19¾
Strict middling	19⅝@19¾

RICE.—There was rather a better demand at steady rates. Sales about 200 tierces clean Carolina, say 45 tierces at 7½, 51 at 7¾, 27 at 7 5-16, 45 at 7¾c ₱ lb. We quote common to fair at 6½@7½c, good 7¼@7¾c ₱ lb.

NAVAL STORES.—There were received 3 barrels spirits turpentine and 249 barrels rosin. There were no sales reported.

FREIGHTS.—To Liverpool, by steam, direct, —— on uplands, —— on sea islands; via New York, ⅝d on uplands, 11/16d on sea islands; by sail, ½d to 17-32d on uplands, and —— on sea islands. To Havre, —— on uplands. Coastwise—to New York, by steam, ⅜c on uplands and —— on sea islands; $2 ₱ tierce on rice; 60c ₱ bbl on rosin; by sail, ——c ₱ lb on cotton; ——c ₱ tierce on rice; 50c ₱ bbl on rosin; $11@12 ₱ M on lumber; $12@12 50 ₱ M on timber. To Boston, by steam ⅜c on uplands and $2 50 ₱ tierce on rice; by sail, ——c ₱ lb on uplands; rosin 70c; resawed stuff $12@12 50; timber $13@13 50; phosphate $5@5 50. To Providence, by sail $10@11 ₱ M on boards; ——c ₱ lb on cotton; by steam ⅜c via New York. To Philadelphia, by steam ⅜c on uplands; $1 75 ₱ cask on rice; 60c ₱ bbl on rosin; $1 on spirits. Through bills of lading given to Boston, Providence and the New England cities are regularly issued on this route, and dispatch guaranteed. By sail, $5 ₱ M on boards; $12 on timber; —— ₱ ton on clay; $3 50 on phosphates. To Baltimore, by steam ——c ₱ lb; by sail $8@8 50 ₱ M on boards; —— on timber; $3 50 ₱ ton at city; $4@4 50 ₱ ton up river on phosphate rock. Vessels are in demand by our merchants to take lumber freights from Georgetown, S. C., Darien and Satilla River, Ga., and Jacksonville, Fla., to Northern ports, and $10@12 ₱ M are the rates on timber and boards.

DOMESTIC EXCHANGE.—The banks purchase sight checks on New York at ⅛@¼ per cent. off, and sell at par.

EXCHANGE.—Sterling 60 day bills 23¾@23½.

GOLD—13@14.

Markets by Telegraph.

MONEY MARKETS.

LONDON, February 11.

Noon.—Consols 92⅛a92¼. Fives 90¾.

FRANKFORT, February 11.

Noon.—Bonds 95⅞.

PARIS, February 11.

Noon.—Rentes closed at 55f 90c.

NEW YORK, February 11.

Noon.—Freights quiet. Stocks dull. Gold heavy at 13¾. Money firm at 7. Governments dull and steady. Exchange—long 9¾; short 10¼. States dull.

Evening.—Freights firm. Money stringent at 7, gold, to commission. Sterling steadier at 9a9¾. Gold 14⅛a14¼. Government and States dull and steady.

COTTON MARKETS.

LIVERPOOL, February 11.

Noon.—Cotton opened dull; uplands 9⅞, Orleans 10⅛.

Later.—Cotton quiet; sales 8000 bales; speculation and export 1000; from Savannah and Charleston, January and February, 9¾d; December and January, same.

Evening—Cotton dull and a downward tendency; sales include 5,000 bales American. Yarns and fabrics unchanged.

NEW YORK, February 11.

Noon.—Cotton dull; sales 474 bales; uplands 21¼c; Orleans 21¾c.

Evening.—Cotton dull; sales 793 bales; uplands 21; Orleans 21¼c; receipts to-day 956 bales; gross 956; sales for export to-day 100 bales; sales of futures 8700 bales, as follows: February 20¾a20 5-16; March 20 5-16a20¾; April 20 9-16a20 11-16; May 20 15 16a21; June 21⅜.

BOSTON, February 11.

Cotton lower, more doing; middlings 21a21¼c; net receipts, 161 bales; gross receipts, 3,011 bales; exports to Great Britain, 64 bales; sales 500 bales; stock, 7,000 bales.

PHILADELPHIA, February 11.

Cotton quiet; middlings 21¾c.

BALTIMORE, February 11.

Cotton quiet; middlings 20¾a20¾; net receipts 757 bales; gross 882; exports coastwise 163; sales 397; stock 10,801.

NORFOLK, February 11.

Cotton dull; low middling 19c; net receipts 2325 bales; exports coastwise 1330; sales 310; stock 9802.

WILMINGTON, February 11.

Cotton quiet; middlings 19¼c; net receipts 261; sales 56; stock 2281.

SAVANNAH, February 11.

Cotton quiet; middlings 19⅝c; net receipts 2730 bales; exports to Great Britain 42; sales 917; stock 71,792.

AUGUSTA, February 11.

Cotton unsettled; middlings 18¾a19c; receipts 595 bales; sales 396.

MEMPHIS, February 11.

Cotton dull; middlings 20c; receipts 2481 bales; shipments 1415; stock 27,475.

MOBILE, January 11.

Cotton quiet; middlings 19¼c; net receipts 3152 bales; exports to Great Britain 6045; coastwise 427; sales 1000; stock 50,533.

NEW ORLEANS, February 11.

Cotton in good demand; good ordinary 18c; low middling 18¾; middling 19⅝a19¾; net receipts 13 711 bales; gross 14 169. The following is subject to correction: Exports to Great Britain 11,704; to the continent 8601; sales 1200; last evening 6000; stock 194,622.

GALVESTON, February 11.

Cotton weak; ordinary 16c, good ordinary 17c; net receipts 3695 bales; exports to Great Britain 4622; coastwise 1793; sales 1100; stock 72,241.

PROVISIONS AND PRODUCE MARKETS.

LIVERPOOL, February 11.

Noon.—Breadstuffs dull. Wheat 12s 2d for average. Corn 37s 6d.

Evening.—Lard 37s 3d; short middles 38s.

NEW YORK, February 11.

Noon.—Flour quiet and steady. Wheat steady. Corn unchanged. Pork firm; mess $14 60. Lard quiet and unchanged. Turpentine 68. Rosin steady at $3 02¼a05.

Evening.—Flour quiet. Whiskey lower and more active at 89a93½c. Wheat dull and irregular; winter inactive. Corn less active; for old a shade easier; new steady. Rice strong at 8a8¼c. Pork very firm at $14 50. Lard weaker at 8¼a8½c. Turpentine dull. Rosin firm. Tallow steady.

LOUISVILLE, February 11.

Flour quiet and unchanged. Corn unchanged. Provisions in good demand and steady. Pork $13 25 for round lots. Bacon sold for 5½c: shoulders 7¼c; clear rib sides 7¾c. Lard 8a8¼c in tierces; choice leaf 9a9½c; for kegs 7⅝c; steam oil lots, ⅛c higher. Whiskey in good demand and firm at 89a90c.

ST. LOUIS, February 11.

Flour in fair demand, firm and unchanged. Corn firmer at 31a31½c, mixed, east side on track, 33c in elevator. Whiskey firm at 89a89½c. Pork quiet; small lots irregular at $12 33½. Bacon, only small orders for the trade. Lard quiet.

CINCINNATI, February 10.

Flour dull and drooping. Corn steady at 40a41. Provisions quiet; buyers and sellers apart; holders firm. Pork nominally $13. Lard quiet at 7¾c. at 7½c for steam; 8c for kettle. Bacon quiet at 5¾c; shoulders 7½c; clear rib sides 7¼a7½c. Whiskey firm at 89c.

New York Cotton Market.

NEW YORK, Febuary 7.

The Financial Chronicle says: The market has been very dull and depressed the past week, and although closing with a steadier tone, and in fact, showing some reaction, there is a decline for the week of ⅛c for cotton on the spot, and 1-16a⅛c for future delivery, the greatest decline being for the early and the smallest for the latter month. The cause of the downward turn have been various, but most conspicuous among them has been the dullness and depression at Liverpool and Manchester. This has been a great disappointment to shippers, who seemed to have believed that the comparatively small stocks of American cotton in foreign markets and the firmness of prices in this and other home markets would at least have the effect of holding Liverpool steady, even if that market did not advance. The liberal receipts at our ports, however, especially the early part of the week, was probably the immediate cause of the depression at Liverpool, and the downward turn there reacted on this market resulting in a loss of speculative confidence and the increased offerings of lots held on speculation. Snow in the streets and ice in the Sound have rendered shipments difficult and helped to check the demand from spinners.

For future delivery there has been but little spirit, and on Wednesday prices were about ⅜c below the close on Saturday. Thursday there was some reaction, and to day there was a further advance, the close being 1-16 to 3 16c above Wednesday. The prices for futures at last reports were (basis low middling) 20⅜c for February, 20 9-16c for March, 20 15 16c for April, 21⅜c for May, and 21 9 16c for June. The total sales of this description for the week are 90,500 bales. For immediate delivery the total sales foot up this week 4221 bales, including 1884 for export, 2286 for consumption, 551 for speculation, and none in transit.

New York Rice Market.

NEW YORK, February 10.

The Daily Bulletin says: The market is steady with sales of 50 casks Carolina at 8a9c, and 125 bags Rangoon at 6¾a6⅞c.

The New York Naval Stores Market.

NEW YORK, February 10.

The Daily Bulletin says: Receipts to-day 2313 bbls rosin, 624 bbls spirits turpentine, 160 bbls tar. Spirits turpentine have ruled quiet to-day, and though most holders continue strong in their views there is an evident struggle on the part of a few to depress values with the view of buying in, so as to participate in the higher prices expected to rule the latter part of the month and during March. Very little was done, and we only notice 100 bbls rejections at 68c, and 100 bbls in shipping order at 69c. Strained rosin is in but moderate request, and prices continue about steady. Sales include 250 bbls at $3 65, and 350 bbls, part black, at $3 60. Tar remains quiet but about steady. Pitch in moderate jobbing request at former prices.

Wilmington Market.

WILMINGTON, February 10.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE.—No transactions noted. Last sales at 65c per gallon for Southern packages.

ROSIN.—Sales of 912 bbls at $2 90 for strained. Market quiet.

CRUDE TURPENTINE.—Sales of 565 bbls at $5 25 for virgin and yellow dip and $3 25 for hard. Market steady.

TAR.—Sales of 214 bbls at $2 90 per bbl. Market steady.

COTTON.—Sales of 1 bale at 18½ and 10 at 20c per lb. Market quiet.

Receipts per Railroad, February 11.

SOUTH CAROLINA RAILROAD.

1232 bales cotton, 50 bales goods, 400 bbls flour, 162 casks clay, 7 cars wood and lumber, 4 cars stock. To Railroad Agent, G H Walter & co, Trenholm & Son, Pelzer, Rodgers & co, G W Williams & co, A J Salinas, Sloan & Selkrious, Tupper & Son, W B Smith & co, E H Frost & co, W K Ryan, W W Smith, A B Mulligan, Caldwell & Son, S C Clyde, W B Williams & son, A S Smith, Mowry & Son, Williams, Black & Williams, C R Holmes, P B Lalane, R A Pringle, Reeder & Davis, H Bulwinkle & co, Wagener & Monsees, R M Butler & Son, H Cobia & co, Laurey, Alexander & co, W C Courtney & co, Jas Wiley & co, Murdaugh & Weekley, T P Smith, F L Meyer, Count & Wroton, W P Bowling, E S Miles, W Lebby, Roach & Moffett.

NORTHEASTERN RAILROAD.

27 bales upland cotton, 2 bags sea island cotton, 379 bbls rosin, 30 bbls spirits turpentine, 24 bags rough rice, moise, &c. To H Bischoff & co, Quackenbush, Estill & co, T P Smith, F Klintworth, W T White, Pringle & Son, Bardin & Parker, Whilden & Jones, H Wohlken, C F Levy, T T Chapeau & co, Kinsman & Howell, Caldwell & Son, Pelzer, Rodgers & co, S L Howard & co, S D Stoney, N E R R Agent, and others.

Passengers.

Per steamship Champion, from New York—W A Sanborn, F G Moody, G Graham and wife, F L Sargent, J M Pond, Dr H Hunt, H J Hunt, J P Morris, T A Brown, Joseph Mueller, George Bang, F Cuvotea, Henry Schroder, H Henken, Jno McCord, Chas R Ten Eyck, W J Miswell, B L DeForrest, Miss Cornel, Miss Pettibone, W H Hall and wife, J C Jewitt and wife, Mr Niven, G W Bibble, D Freeman, wife, nurse and three children, R C Martin, J C Ferris, Morris Brown, and 7 on deck.

Per steamer Dictator, from Palatka via Jacksonville, Fernandina and Savannah—Rev C W Ward, Rev F A Henery, R R Russell, E L Stanton, Mrs Hardy, Miss A C Hays, G Sands, wife and child, Mr McPherson and wife, J Graham, P H Raiford, and 5 on deck.

Per steamship Charleston, for New York—M Johnson, Miss Seabrook, Miss N N Kelly, Mr Hynes and wife, J H Stevens, M Williams, Mrs Anderson.

PORT CALENDAR.

MOON'S PHASES.

First Quarter, 4th, 4 hours, 46 minutes, morning.
Full Moon, 12th, 6 hours, 14 minutes, morning.
Last Quarter, 20th, 6 hour, 3 minutes, morning.
New Moon, 26th, 10 hours, 3 minutes, evening.

DAYS.	FEBRUARY.	SUN RISES.	SUN SETS.	MOON R. & S.	HIGH WATER.
10	Monday	6..48	5..41	5..57	6..22
11	Tuesday	6..47	5..42	rises	7.. 4
12	Wednesday	6..46	5..43	6.. 3	7..48
13	Thursday	6..45	5..44	7.. 1	8..20
14	Friday	6..44	5..45	7..58	8..56
15	Saturday	6..43	5..46	8..51	9..32
16	Sunday	6..42	5..47	9..40	10.. 5

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ARRIVED YESTERDAY.

Steamship Champion, Lockwood, New York—left 8th inst. Mdse. To Jas Adger & co, J E Adger & co, A M Auger, E D Andrews, G W Aimar, D A Amme, M & A Ashton, Jno Archer, J Apple, E Batts & co, Mrs E Baynard, W M Bird & co, H Bischoff & co,