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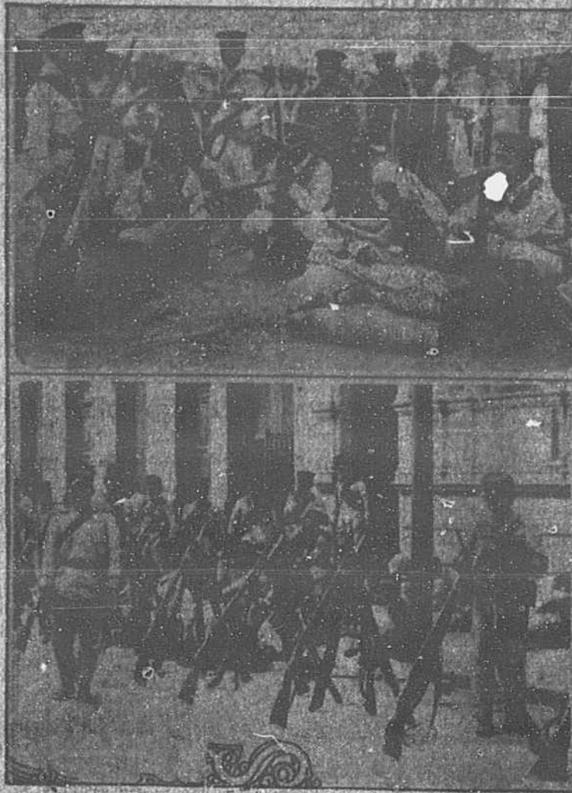
Time saved by telephoning orders often means fulfillment of contract.

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## Mexican Soldiers In Camp and On Duty In National Capital



Photos by American Press Association.

EVEN after initial steps were taken to settle the Mexican situation by mediation through the diplomatic offices of Argentina, Brazil and Chile, Mexican soldiers continued to be available in Washington for the purpose of fighting the American advance in case the negotiations came to naught. One of these pictures shows a typical camp group of Huerta's followers. The other shows soldiers in the capital with arms stacked in the street, prepared to march to the front.

## Financial and Commercial

### COTTON ADVANCES ALL ALONG LINE

Seven to Eight Points Gained and Prices Range Steady All Day

(By Associated Press.)  
New Orleans, May 18.—The cotton market closed at the advance of 7 to 8 points and closed at a net gain of 7 to 8 points. Highest prices were reached in the afternoon when the trading was steady at all things. Bears sold some cotton on the theory that the market was overbought, but the shorts were of satisfied long.

Continued unfavorable weather was the main reason for the heavy buying orders that came in. The western belt complained of too much rain and too low temperatures and south Texas sent in reports that fields of cotton were being plowed under.

The large sales of spots in Liverpool attracted attention, as did also the quick stopping of about 2,000 May notices in this market.

Cotton futures closed steady. Closing: May 18-21; July 18-20; Aug 18-20; Oct 12-10; Dec 12-10; Jan 12-10.

Spot cotton unchanged, steady. Middling 13-25. Sales on the spot 769; to arrive 30.

### CHICAGO GRAIN

Chicago, May 18.—Wheat had a general higher range today influenced by signs that Mexican the damage would soon be noticeable from Ohio to Oklahoma. Under profit making the market closed unsteady at 1-5 to 1-6 net lower to 1-2c advance. Corn finished 1-3 to 1-5 a 1c down, oats off 1-8 to 1-4 to 1-4c and provisions rising from 1-1/2c decline to a gain of 1-1/2c.

### Cotton Seed Oil

New York, May 18.—Cottonseed oil professional support, but the net later showed an upward trend and lack of outside demand. Final prices were generally one point higher to one net lower.

### Liverpool Cotton

Liverpool, May 18.—Cotton and fine middling 7-9. Sales 14,000. Speculation and export 5,000.

### New York Cotton

New York, May 18.—There was a further advance in the cotton market today with all the active deliveries making new high ground for the mo-

ment, owing to increasing apprehension as to the crop outlook in the southwest, and the continued steadiness of the old crop situation. A great deal of realizing was done above 12 cents for new crop positions, but the market closed steady and from 2 to 2 1/2 points net higher.

### Cotton Goods

New York, May 18.—Cotton goods markets showed little change today. Most operators bought from hand to month.

### SOUTH CAROLINA DEMOCRATS TO CONSIDER PRIMARY RULES

Columbia, S. C., May 18.—Changes in the rules governing Statewide primaries will be considered here today when the State Democratic Convention meets. The convention will embrace 250 delegates.

Leaders in the movement to revise the primary rules assert that the present regulations leave the way open to fraud and that voters are able, if they so desire, to cast more than one ballot.

In addition to the convention considering changes in the rules, it is expected that the Democratic State Committee, which also will meet, will set a date for the forthcoming state primary. A State ticket and a United States Senator are to be nominated.

Senator E. O. Smith's a candidate for re-election and is opposed by Gen. Cole L. Blease. In the recent county conventions to select delegates to the State meeting the supporters of Smith secured a large majority of the delegates.

Governor Blease failed to be re-elected as a delegate to the convention from his home county. Senator Smith will have a seat in the meeting.

### SPLENDID FIELD OF FINE ALFALFA

Almost 5,000 Pounds of Very Fine Alfalfa Produced So Far

Anderson is proud to announce new crop alfalfa and establishing new fields and possibly on the ground local people will be surprised to learn that over 5,000 pounds of alfalfa were cut away few days ago. The city of Anderson is proud that two acres of alfalfa were cut and the first cutting weighed 5,000 pounds and this was raised in one and a half quarter acres of land. All of the alfalfa is now being baled.

It is said to be the finest alfalfa ever raised in the section. The alfalfa was raised on the farm lands of the Anderson Mills and this demonstrates that any farmer in Anderson County can do equally as well if he will only make the effort and strive hard enough to get results.

## BIG VICTORY FOR THE A. H. S. TEAM

By Defeating Fraser Yesterday High School Has Won Coveted City Championship

The Anderson high school baseball team defeated the lads from the Fraser academy yesterday by a score of 16 to 5, thereby winning the much-coveted city championship.

The game was played at Busby Vista Park and the best crowd of the season saw the two teams battle. The Fraser boys were outclassed. They could not hit as well as the high school boys and their fielding did not seem to have the pep displayed by the A. H. S.

The feature of the game was the stugging of the high school boys, two base hits being plentiful while Battenline, short stop for the high school, crowned his team with glory by getting a home run.

Batters for A. H. S., Kelley and Kay; Fraser, Sullivan and Snow and Burris.

## "TAR HEEL" SOCIETY Will Hold Banquet in Columbia on the Night of the 23rd.

A meeting of the North Carolina Society has been called for the night of May 23rd at eight o'clock. The meeting is to be held in Columbia at the Jefferson Hotel. Some of the main business of the evening will be to consider the effort being made to increase the membership. Other matters of importance will be discussed also. It is earnestly hoped that every member of the society will make it a point to be present and bring some other native, born North Carolinian with him. Every native born North Carolinian in the State who desires to come to this meeting is requested to do so, in fact to get in touch with the Society is the main object of the meeting.

Some months ago, the membership has been steadily increasing and at this time has nearly doubled the number on the roll at that time. An annual booklet has been issued and mailed to all the members whose address was in the hands of the Secretary. If any member failed to receive a copy one will be sent to him if he will write Thos. K. Sewell, Secretary, Battaburg, S. C.

The officers of the society consisting of well-known North Carolinians, who have come to South Carolina to live, are very anxious that this meeting shall be largely attended. It is the interest of every member as well as to every North Carolinian to be present. Take this time and meet with the society Saturday night, May 23rd.

### COST OF MARRIAGE

Honeymoon Trip Will Be \$100 Says the Salvation Army.

Atlanta, May 18.—Believing that Cupid has been crippled by the high cost of living and the extravagant ideas of the young people of the present, the Salvation Army has issued a declaration that the average young man of today can't afford to have a honeymoon on \$100, provided he will accept it right.

The \$100 honeymoon has aroused a great deal of interest and discussion, some people believing that it is good advice and others questioning as to whether it is or not.

Here is the way that the Salvation Army hopes the program of the youth who has saved up \$100 and who wants to get married on it.

- Marriage License ..... \$ 1.00
  - Fine to minister ..... 5.00
  - Furnishing a Flat ..... 55.00
  - Rent for month ..... 23.00
  - Honeymoon trip ..... 10.00
  - Incidentals ..... 6.00
- "Don't let your whole \$100 go for the honeymoon, trip alone," warns the Salvation Army. "Don't forget to get the first month's rent off your mind before you start on your little trip. Don't come back and be nagged for bills in the presence of your bride."
- "Young people spend entirely too much money on the trills of the honeymoon. We are always advising young people who come to us to be married to be careful and get the saving habit."

## Muddy Complexions

Most poor complexions are due to sluggish, torpid liver, constipation and other liver ills. A dose of

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## FEAR DUKE'S PLAN MAY RAISE COTTON PRICE

Boston Mill Treasurer Thinks It Feasible Designed to Help Cotton Grower.

New Bedford, May 18.—The fear is expressed in New England cotton mill circles that the so-called Duke warehouse plan for storing cotton will tend to raise the price of the staple without bringing any compensating advantages to the manufacturers. Industry among mill men in New Bedford, Fall River and Boston brings out the fact that those who have given the Duke plan any consideration are inclined to be skeptical about its effect on the Northern mills and as yet at least are not enthusing over it to any great extent.

"It is all very well for the Southern manufacturers to be enthusiastic over the proposition," said a Boston mill treasurer this week, "but I, as a New Englander, am not quite so enthusiastic about it. I see the growers. The idea seems to be to help the growers, merchants and southern manufacturers keep the cotton in the South. This is to be accomplished by a large system of warehouses under corporate control, whose warehouse receipts will guarantee by well known banking establishments and will command a very low rate of interest. The tendency of that sort of thing would certainly be to enhance the price of cotton, in my opinion."

"At present," the Boston mill treasurer continued, "the Southern planter as a rule either finds it desirable or necessary to dispose of a large part of the cotton crop within the first few months after it is picked. Southern manufacturers whose mills are located in the midst of the cotton growing section and the planters all around them are sending their cotton to the large concentrating points thru the South, northward to New England, or to Atlantic or gulf points for export. Unless the Southern manufacturer buys early in the season and pays a high rate of interest to carry the cotton he loses cotton later in the season he has to pick up his supplies in the mills, pay the freight rates. The Duke plan would enable the farmers and the mill plants and the Southern manufacturers to carry cotton at a very low rate of interest and so help them to hold the cotton in the territory in which it grows and might be consumed."

New England cotton manufacturers have been forced to realize the growing independence of the South during the past few years. As the Southern planters have raised large crops and marketed them at high prices, one for another, the Southerners have become more and more able to hold out for their rights and ideas of cotton values. Brokers in the New England mill centers have not found it so easy to buy the shipper and manufacturer together by speculations as it was years ago. There have been less offerings of distress cotton forced onto the market because Southern bankers refused to carry it longer or because the planters had to finance the new crop at planting time. New England manufacturers are inclined to the opinion that the Duke plan of storing cotton in the South will tend to make the Southern planters and merchants more independent.

New England manufacturers recognize the need of greater warehouse facilities in the South to prevent the damage of cotton by exposure to the weather. They are inclined to think that the advantage of an extensive Southern warehouse system from this standpoint would be offset by the ability which it would give the South to hold for prices. These New England manufacturers who are somewhat loath to buy a large part of the season's needs early in the season are not in any degree handicapped either by credit considerations or warehouse facilities in this part of the country.

New England mills carry cotton either on their general credit or through the brokers. These mills either do not have large accounts of liquid capital or carry a great deal of cotton through their brokers.

"There are tanks in Boston which carry as much as \$500,000 of cotton with a single broker," said the New England mill treasurer this week. "When the cotton is delivered at the mill warehouse, the manufacturer gives the broker what amounts to a certificate of trust, the essence of which is that he will not remove the cotton from the warehouse while the certificate is outstanding, the broker then takes the certificate and the warehouse receipt to the bank and the bank lends money up to a certain percentage of the value of the cotton. The bank looks to the credit of the broker and of the manufacturer held by the collateral of the cotton. Any broker of good standing, together with a manufacturer of good standing can secure all the credit they require in this way."

### MEXICAN MISSIONARIES

They Are Working Harder and Doing More Than Ever.

Atlanta, May 18.—Mrs. P. S. Hamilton, reporting conditions from Mexico, declared today that in spite of the warlike situation between these countries and the feeling of hostility in Mexico towards all things American, the distribution and sale of the American Bible, during the same period increased during the past year.

Mrs. Miller and Mrs. Testaments, she says, were distributed throughout Mexico by the American missionaries last year than ever before in the history of the country.

She says, however, that conditions are rapidly growing worse, and that in the near future it is extremely dangerous for an American to show himself, no matter how peaceable his mission.

William Fowler, the people's candidate who was elected an alderman of St. Paul recently over Louis Kahn received a plurality of more than 5,000 votes, official returns show. The election was the first held in the city under the commission charter.

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## "BEAUTIFUL EYES" IN CASE.

New York, May 15.—Ulysses L. Castro will be asked in court tomorrow to show cause why the will of his aunt should not be set aside. A court order was obtained by Emilio Tabor, a sister of Mrs. Castro who is deceased, who claims "The beautiful eyes of Ulysses as inherited by her aunt, and who induced to forfeit all other relatives and leave to him the bulk of the estate." She alleges that the lawyers of her young nephew transferred Mrs. Castro from an aged lady to a "dilly dilly" who looked forward each day to the time her nephew would come to her. Mrs. Castro was the wife of a rich banker of Porto Rico, and following his death came to live with Mrs. Tabor.