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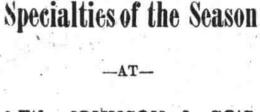
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Weather Crop Report. WASHINGTON, October 3 .- The following is the weather crop bulletin issued by the signal office : During the week ending October 1 the weather has been cooler than

usual in all the agricultural districts

east of the Rocky mountains, the av-

erage daily temperature ranging from

3 to 6 degrees below the normal in

the central valleys, except from Vir-

portions of Iowa.

IN LAKE MICHIGAN SEVERAL VESSELS GO DOWN AND THE LOSS

> OF LIFE PROBABLY CONSIDERA-BLE-A NUMBER NOT AC-COUNTED FOR-OTHER NEWS

WRECKS

ginia to Florida, where the tempera-BY WIRE. ture was but slightly below the normal. The temperature for the season CHICAGO, Oct. 4 .- A St. Joseph, from January 1 to October 1 was Mich., special says: The schooner Haslightly below the normal on the Atlantic coast and from New England westward to the Missouri valley, and it was slightly warmer than usual in the Ohio and central Mississippi valleys and generally throughout the Southern States, the average daily excess or deficiency generally amount-beach her if possible and headed for ing to less than two degrees. The rainfall for the week has been vessel went down and the crew were gromme. in excess throughout the greater portions of the cotton and tobacco region | seen climbing into the rigging. There and over the winter wheat regions

fered most from draught, covering into the main rigging and the others evening pageant, and the departure the greater portion of Illinois, southern Indiana, eastern Iowa and the greater portion of Missouri, the rain- crashed overboard, carrying three mittee and escorted to the courtfall has been largely in excess. Less men into the breakers. They struck than the usual amount of rain fell outforshore, and when last seen were of mounted police. The programme along the south Atlantic coast, in breasting the waves. They were prob- for two hours was the receiving of northern New England, western New ably drowned. The remaining four men the Commercial Travellers' Associa-York, Nebraska and the northwestern clung to the cross-trees for nearly tion of St. Louis and such other Large deficiency in rainfall for the rescue. It took nearly three-quarters to make their way to him; in other season continued in the central valleys, of an hour to get the men from their but this deficiency has been re- perilous position. The mate had his tion. The rotunda of the courtduced during the week in the arm broken before the vessel sank, but wheat and corn regions of the clung to the mast with the grit of with evergreens and bunting, and on a hero. The captain and crew the step of a richly curtained pagoda Northern States. Over the greater portion of the cotton region the defiof the tug deserve much praise for ciency has exceeded ten inches. In the rescue, as there was a terrible sea the tobacco regions of Virginia, Kenrunning and the little tug was tossed tucky and Tennessee the deficiency in about so that those who watched her rainfall for the season generally from the shore thought she would

amounts to less than five inches, ex- surely founder. The Havana had a cargo of 600 of Tennessee and Kentucky, where the tons of ore. She lies about six miles deficiency in rainfall for the season north of this port in ten to twelve north of this port in ten to twelve fathoms.

The only States reporting excess of ST. IGNACE, Mich., October 4 .- The rainfall for the season are Pennsylva. Canadian passenger propeller California, Maine, southern New York, west portions of Kansas and Nebraska, night, was struck by yesterday's gale northern Texas and Colorado. In Lake Michigan. Her hold soon wildered. The reception over, the York alone will furnish some 50,000 During the week the weather has filled, extinguishing the fires and, President hurried to his carriage signatures to the petition, while in Bos-

STILL IN ST. LOUIS. The President and His Party.

Sr. Louis, Oct. .- Fair weather, TWO MEN FOUND DEAD I northerly winds veeting to easterly; cool, stationary tenperature-"Cleveland weather" in slort. Processions with brass bands and glee clubs were still passing the President's windows at midnight last night and processions and brass bands were moving

aimlessly up and cown before the hotel before breakfast this morning. The President and Mrs. Cleveland, despite the continuous round of star spangled hospitality which they vana, owned by Capt. A. P. Read, of have experienced are in excellent terday morning flying a signal of dis- all along the line of travel at which it apparently were business men. tress. The vessel was in a sinking is proposed to make stops, have sent condition and the crew unable to telegrams to Col. Lamont asking that the shore at 9 o'clock. When about has been sent to the effect that it will three-fourths of a mile off shore the be impossible to change the pro-

ST. Lotis, Oct 4 .-- Today's pro into the fore rigging. As the vessel for Chicago. At 9 o'clock the Presihouse under the protection of a troop three hours, when a tug came to their citizens as should find opportunity to house was handsomely decorated the President took the hand of each man as he passed. About five thousand traveling men had returned to the city for the occa- tion which has charge of petitions to sion, and passed by in single file. Following them was a crowd and the nandshaking continued until 10:30. The shakers had all sorts of grips, progressing rapidly. Outside of and it was often necessary for the Chicago there is a great demand for President to twist his hand from the petition blanks and thousands of hearty grasp. One old lady became copies have been sent to many cities so enthusiastic that she attempted to and towns in Iowa, Colorado, Calinia, which left Chicago Saturday kiss the President, but he declined, fornia, Missouri, Ohio, Pennsylvania,

HOTEL TWO OTHER MEN SUFFOCATED IN A COAL MINE BY FOUL AIR-BUSINESS OTHER NEWS.

ASPHYXIATED.

Suffocated by Foul Air.

had been suffocated by foul air. A bodies could be taken out. Wood Hawkins was 28 years of age, and leaves a wife and two children.

Assignment.

LYNCHBURG, Va., October 4.- Emet Hopkins & Stratton, dry goods merchants, have made an assignment. Indebtedness and assets unknown. Hopkins is labor Congressman-elect from this district.

In Behalf of the Anarchists.

CHICAGO, October 4 .-- L. S. Oliver, president of the Amnesty Associa-Gov. Oglesby in behalf of the condemned anarchists, said yesterday that the work of the association was

LOCAL Story of the Little Tycoon.

The first scene is laid on board a ship homeward bound from England. Amongst the passengers are General Knickerbocker and his daughter Violet; also a party of students, ladies and gentlemen, who have been making a tour of the con-

CHICAGO, October 4.-Edward and Alvin Berry, a New York stock broker, Thomas Moran, aged about 28 and 26 Alvin Berry, a New York stock broker, W. C. Stronach, D. W. Bain, Joseph respectively, were found dead in bed and his college chum, Rufus. Durat their hotel this morning, suffo-cated by gas. They came from Ar-dake, Dakota, and were en route to Kenosha, was sighted off this port yes- health and spirits. Towns and cities Canada. They were brothers, and board the ship, who is accompa-

sait of the English dude. To keep of hearing she was made the recipient PITTSBURG, October 4 .- A Chroni- Viclet from Alvin, General K. locks of salutes of all kinds. Yachts off le-Telegraph, Youngstown, Ohio, her in her stateroom. To circumvent Bay Ridge sent the craft off with a special says: William Wood, aged the General the gentlemen students salvo of cannon, while tugs and steam-15, son of Frank Wood, of the Mower assame weird disguises to frighten boats tooted after the old time fashion. and Reaper Company, and his father's him and cause him to throw over A crowd on the Brooklyn bridge coachman, Geo. Hawkins, drove out Lord Dolpuin in favor of Alvin. also joined in the hurrah, which was to the Allen coal mine, an abandoned Dolly, Violet's friend, aids the continued all along East river until slope, yesterday afternoon, to explore students in getting her free from her the peerless craft had passed almost and over the winter wheat regions were seven men aboard. Capt. Cur-from Ohio westward to Missouri and ran, Steward John Morris and a hended a reception, a boat ride, a hended a reception, a boat ride, a and at 4 o'clock this morning both were broaches New York harbor. Alvin rest his weary hand, tired from re sailor named Joseph Clint climbed ride to the fair grounds, a gorgeous and at 4 o'clock this morning both were proaches New York harbor. Alvin rest his weary hand, tired from re

try to escape unobserved by General ceived. gave a heavy lurch the mainmast dent was met at his hotel by the com- party of miners pumped air into the K., but the plot is upset by the apslope for two hours today before the pearance of the General. Alvin is arrested on the charge of smuggling intended to leave for college today. by the custom house officer, having secreted part of Violet's wardrobe in his trunk.

Scene II/-General Knickerbocker's villa at Newport, where we find Violet disconsolate over the loss of her lover. Miss Hurricane calls on the General. Alvin and his friends again appear. They disguise themselves as brigands to alarm the General. The meeting of the two Lord Dolphins and "their

servants. The plot again fails and the scene changes to a Japanese garden. Genéral K. is going to give a fete to the Great Tycoon and his Japanese followers. Here the Great Tycoon falls in love with Violet.

General K. consents for his daughter to be the Little Tycoon. Great con- Islip, L. I. was found in the woods sternation when it turns out that the murdered, Sunday. Her son is charged Great Tycoon and all his Japs are with the crime. Alvin Barry and his friends, who have taken this course to win Violet, and as General K. has promised the hand of Violet to the Great Tycoon he keeps his word and all ends happily.

The local amateur company, as is well known, includes some of the best

The funeral of Mrs. Mollie E. Mc-Nair took place yesterday morning from the First Presbyterian church and was conducted by the pastor, Rev. John S. Watkins, assisted by Rev.

Funeral of Mrs. McNair.

Dr. J. M. Atkinson and Rev. W. C. Norman. The remains were interred in the city cemetery in the family tinent, the ladies chaperoned by Miss Messrs. John R. Williams, Lewis W. CHICAGO, October 4.-Edward and Hurricane, the gentlemen headed by Peck, A. M. McPheeters, W. J. Young, G. Brown and Wm. S. Primrose.

The Volunteer.

NEW YORK. October 4 .--- The Volunteer left for Marblehead this morning niel by his Irish servant Teddy. via East river. From Bay Ridge to General Knickerbocker favors the the time the vessel got out of reach found dead in the slope where they and Violet, who has disguised herself. turning the manifold salutes he re-

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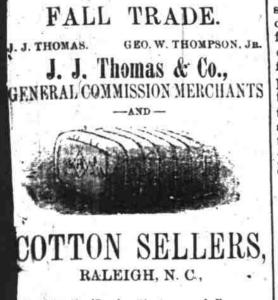
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in the States west of the Mississippi she broke up and went down. Seven and in the extreme eastern portion of of the crew reached Point Les Barbes the cotton region, while cool weather in the life boat in an almost lifeless and heavy rains have effected this and other growing crops unfavorably in are Capt. John Trowel, first mate,

Mississippi. Frosts occurred in the northern gineer, one fireman, cook, cabin boy portion of the tobacco region of the Ohio valley and along the Atlantic coast as far south as Virginia, which probably resulted in some injury to

the other boat. the crops. These frosts were antici-DETROIT, October 4.- A special to pated and warnings were issued by the Evening Journal from Mackinac this office, giving timely notice of the says: Captain Trowel, of the wrecked propeller California, with the first and The rains which have occurred during the week in the winter wheat regions will prove of special value, as propeller A. Folsom and brought to ident and Mrs. Cleveland from the the sowing of wheat has been delayed Mackinac, and the steamer [Paxton almost constant round of receptions in that section, owing to the continu-

age.

In Memoriam.

Died in Fayetteville, N. C., on Sep-tember 28th, 1887, Nathan A. Stedman, Esq., aged 81 years. These lines record the passing

away of a remarkable man, who was a typical North Carolinian of the olden time. He was a native of Chatham county, and spent the greater part of his life in its service and for the public good.

Immediately upon reaching his maority he was elected to a seat in the House of Commons in 1827, just 60 years ago, to which the elder Nathan Stedman had preceded him in 1810. He was subsequently sent from

Chatham to the Senate in 1832-33, and in 1834 was made Comptroller of Public Accounts of North Carolina.

After his successful administration of that responsible office, he lived for a number of years at Pittsboro, as the clerk of the court, in the midst of a people that he loved, and who appre-1887

occurrence.

ance of the drought.

citizenship. He was the personal friend and political counselor of many distinguished men who made that field famous by the conflicts of championship in the political campaigns of the State. "As Chatham goes so goes the State" was a maxim in politics then as now; and Mr. Stedman's convictions, honesty of purpose and rare powers gave him wide spread influ-

family connection to mourn their loss.

Wilmington, whose gallantry in the famous Forty-fourth regiment of North Carolina Troops so endeared

sally recognized. The brilliant young lawyer, N

Stedman, Jr., deceased, of

ence that was well bestowed. He leaves several children and a large Lieutenant Governor of North Caro-

him to his comrades, and whose eminent ability and integrity are univer-

Bladen, was a son of the subject of this sketch, and so also was

Earthquake in Greece. DETROIT, October 4 .- A special to | This makes a total of fourteen deaths Mrs. Wm. H. Bernard, of Wilming-1,000 lbs Bran, Brown and Ship-stuff. 100 bags Fresh Guano for wheat. ton. Mrs. John A. McDonald, of this the Journal says the propeller Cali- among the passengers taken from the ATHENS, October 4 .- A shock of , Fashion at Fault. city, who takes such high rank among fornia sank at 2 o'clock this morning cholera infected steamship Alesia on earthquake was felt throughout New York Sun. Its superior excellence proven in miloff Gros Cap, Lake Michigan. Six- her arrival in this port eleven days Greece at one o'clock this morning. Flour, Sngar, Coffee, Molasses, the educators of our State, was his lions of homes for more than a quarter "Mamma," said Flossie, "I think Salt, &c., &c., all of which we offer upon of a century. It is used by the United ago. There are ten others sick with The disturbance was strongest on the niece. teen lives were lost. very best terms. We make a specialty of the SALE OF COTTON and will make that little girls ought to wear bustles States Government. Endorsed by the Mr. Stedman was large and comthe disease. The health authorities, northern and southern shores of the instead of ladies. heads of the Great Universities as the -Camp Sheridan, at Chicago, in however, claim that the condition of JASH ADVANCES upon bills lading or matiding in appearance, with attract Gulf of Corinth. "Why, Flossie?" the Strongest, Purest and most Healthive personal qualities generally. He which regular and citizen soldiers the quarantined passengers in the had passed his later years in retire- will compete in martial exercises, was observation hospital at Hoffman Iswhich regular and citizen soldiers the quarantined passengers in the ful. Dr. Price's the only Baking Powder cotton in hand when desired. "Cause little girls have to be -Charles Litchman, the acting that does not contain Ammonia, Lime or spanked. ment. He leaves the best of lega- opened Saturday by the arrival of a land is much improved and there is a general secretary of the Knights of Alum. Sold only in Cans. J. J. Thomas & CO.. PRICE BAKING POWDER CO. cies-a well spent life and children battery of the Fourth United States more hopeful state of affairs during Labor, is charged with irregularities 317 South Wilmington St., RALEIGH, N. C.: We call attention to "The Mitchell NEW YORK. CHICAGO. 212, 15 ST. LOU'S G. I artillery. the past twenty-four hours. who do honor to the name. in the conduct of the office. Paper Box Co., Petersburg, Va. 1 C 1

been favorable for harvesting cotton about 1 o'clock, when off St. Helena, condition. 'I hose not accounted for purser, first engineer, second enand two lady passengers. It is possrip to Jefferson Barracks.

sible that the captain and some of the crew may have reached St. Helena in Ircquois Club of Chicago and a numsecond engineers, cook and one lady ber of Grand Army men. The trip passenger, were picked up by the was gotten up as a relief for the Pres-

picked up another man who was drifting down the straits on some wreck-Washington Notes. WASHINGTON, Oct. 4. -Offerings of bonds to the government continue light and it is now thought that the

balance of the fourteen million called for by the circular of September 22d will not be secured by the 8th inst. It is therefore likely that the period fixed for the purchase of bonds for the sinking fund may be extended a few days or that Secretary Fairchild may decide to allow the offer to remain open indefinitely until the required amount shall have been obtained. Today's offers aggregated \$168,850 of which \$154,400 were four and a half per cents and \$14,450 four

per cents. The old story that the English syndicates are resorting to extreme

measures to dispossess settlers from the syndicates' lands purchased from western roads was revived here today. No official information has been ciated his rare strength of character, received on the subject at the interior sturdy patriotism and high ideal of department.

The Mitchelstown Inquest.

LONDON, October 4 .-- During the Mitchelstown inquest today Mr. Hartington caused a scene by openly declaring that the police who had testified had committed perjury. Head Constable Brownrigg declared

that he valued the lives of the police more than he did the lives of the riot-

Eight men who were arrested for connection with the killing of consta-The political services of the family ble Whelhan at the time of the enare ably perpetuated by the son of counter between the moonlighters the deceased, the present honored and the force of police at farmer Sexton's house some time ago, were lina, Maj, Charles W. Stedman, of brought up in the police court today at Ennis, and formally charged with being implicated in the murder.

Members of the National League with bands escorted the prisoners from the jail to the court room. Mr. Cox and Mr. Conybeare, M. Ps., were

proceedings. Fatal Marine News.

through the side entrance and was ton a great many signatures of promidriven to the excursion boat City of nent citizens can be obtained. In musical talent in the city. The chorus Baton Rouge, lying at the foot of Chest- Chicago the number of signatures is has about thirty voices and the music aut street. At the same time Mrs. large. Most of the members of the is splendid. The characters are hap-Cleveland left the Lindell House and various labor organizations have pily taken, the costumes are elegant, was aboard the boat a few minutes igned the petition. ater than the President, and the vessel steamed down the river for a]

The saloon of the vessel was hand- the Supreme Court. Subscriptions rapidly filling up. somely decorated with flowers and in favor of the anarchists have been The "Hung" Jury. the United States Arsenal band was started in England. Gustave Bels The jury in the Noah Evans case, in altendance. There were between three and four hundred invited guests on board, including members of the and other more or less active festivities ashore, and in this respect was a decided success. Mississippi River

and reached the landing again at Gen. Pryor will not come to this city. half past 12, a.m. An accompanying excursion boat fired artillery salutes while tugs, steamers and locomotives on both shores did their best with steam whistles to make the trip interesting and they succeeded. At the turning point stand immense rolling mill establishments which form the focus of a series of railway tracks. Moreover, at this time several steam vessels were lying at the wharf. As the President's boat approached, an idle locomotive gave a peculiar whistle in imitation of a crowing cock. A tug on the river responded in kind. A locomotive the east bank caught the cry and two or three others up and down the

stream echoed it. Then the steamer at the landing, and finally a dozen more whistles of mills made their throats hoarse, and cock-a-doodledoos shrill, raspy, in every tone of their comprehension, or having no the gamut, came from the four quarpractical application, and that pupils ters of the compass. It was enterwould be benefited by discontinuing taining, but a few minutes of this the custom of requiring them to concert was enough. work out their "examples" in the eve-

The afternoon was uneventful. The Presidential party were escorted in al Walker's address, and of views excarriages from the boat to the fair grounds where they became the guests of the fair association and lunched with a party of thirty or forty ladies and gentlemen in the club house. When the lunch was over they proceeded to the grand stand and witnessed some trotting races and returned to the hotel for

Four More Deaths by Cholera.

NEW YORK, October 4 -The quarcesses,-the main purpose throughrantine authorities report today four out being to secure thoroughness, accuracy and a reasonable degree of additional deaths among the cholera present in the court room during the stricken patients on Swinburne Island. facility in plain, ordinary "ciphering." The names of two of these latest vic-There is good, plain common sonse tims are Ufemia del Giorno, aged 27 in that proposition. years, and Maria Vicaria, aged 4 years.

and the scenery is true to life. All

The defense fund of the anarchists this tomorrow night at Metropolitan has been considerably increased since Hall for St. John's Hospital. The the announcement of the decision of box sheet at Lee, Johnson & Co.'s is ays that during the last two weeks after trying for four days to come to

the amount of money subscribed to an egreement, appeared in court yesthe defense fund by the German terrary and reported that it stood as unions of Chicago amounts to nearly on the first ballot-four for convic-\$30,000. The large cities of the join and eight for acquittal. The United States are expected to con- Judge asked if there was any probatribute \$10,000 during the present blaty of ever coming to an agree month. The attorneys are rapidly ment and they answered no. The closing up their work preparatory to jury was then discharged and Evans presenting the anarchists' case to was released from jail on his own the United States Supreme recognizance to appear at January secnery, though not inspiring as scen- Court. Captain Black received Leras of court, 1888. The jury served ery, has an absorbing interest of its word yesterday from deputy a short term of imprisonment and own for strangers and can nowhere Snow announcing that a complete evidently did some hard work. They be seen so well as from the deck of transcript of the record would be were alternately kept under lock and a steamer. The boat went down finished and placed in an att ney's key in the jury room and in the court stream about eight miles, turned hands by Wednesday of next week. rocm at night and any one passing the court house at any time during the night up to 4 o'clock a. m. could see

Forcing in the Schools.

ning at home. The result of Gener-

through the windows a brisk argu-Boston's Bord of Education has made ment going on but every man held to a recommendation which may well be his own yiews to the last. copied by educational authorities elsewhere. It is in the matter of Dress Ball.

There will be a fancy dress ball in arithmetical studies, in which the Henry Hall tonight, which will close cramming process had reached such a the first session of the dancing school stage that the scholars in the grammar schools were overtasked daily with now being conducted by Miss Ollie a lot of exhausting and useless prob. Thompson. The costumes will be spelems, having little or no application cial for the occasion and are very eleto pratical business life. They were gant. It has been decided to make "show" problems, or intended for the occasion serve two purposes-"mental discipline"-that ancient amusement and charity. Admission excuse which always comes forward fees will be charged at the door and when the uselessness of certain a portion of the proceeds devoted to St. John's Hospital. The admission studies is urged upon teachers. Gencharges will be; gentlemen and lady eral Francis A. Walker was in Boston the other day, and made it plain 75 cents, gentlemen without ladies to the board that it was a sheer waste 50 cents; children 15 cents each and of time and nerve-force to require ladies 25 cents each. the pupils to solve problems beyond

Supreme Court.

Court met yesterday at 11 o'clock. Appeals from second district disposed of as follows:

The argument in licberts vs. Calvert, from Northampton, (two appeals) consumed the morning session.

Mr. Thos. N. Hill, of Halifax counpressed by other gentlemen, is that ty, appeared before the court as an the board recomends that "mensuraapplicant for license to practice law, tion of the trapezoid," "cube root and and after an examination license was its applications," and "compound granted to him. He was prevented proportion," shall be optional rather from attending the general examinathan obligatory studies; that home tion at the opening of the term on account of sickness. work shall be required as little as possible, and that "all exercises in

County Commissioners.

fractions, commission, discount, and The board of county commissioners proportion, be confined to small nummet vesterday. The session was bers and to simple subjects and proquiet. The only thing that came up, aside from auditing accounts, was applications to sell beer and wine from two parties. License was granted to B. J. Robinson. The board then adjourned, having been in session only two days, which was the shortest ses-sion held for years past.

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-Mr. O'Brien's speech at Lug gacurran was received with great enhusiasm by Lord Lansdowne's tenants.

