

THE WHEAT CROP OF EUROPE.

The Report is Said to be Somewhat Optimistic.

THE YIELD OF FRANCE REDUCED.

The Millers Want to Create the Idea that the Wheat Crop is Up to the Average.

By The United Press.

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 13.—A report on the harvest prospects in France and Europe has been received at the State Department from Commercial Agent Griffin, of Limoges, France. The National Millers' Association of France, the report says has just issued an estimate founded on very carefully collected data, of the probable wheat harvest of France and Europe for 1891.

The estimated yield of wheat for 1891 will be 82,779,000 hectoliters. This is the maximum estimate; it will be 31 per cent less than the harvest of 1890.

Russia, Tunis, Egypt, Roumania, and some of the Danubian provinces will have a fair harvest. In Hungary it will be below the average this year. The estimates given by the millers, the report says, are optimistic. The desire to create an impression that there is a better supply than really exists, is all done with a purpose to buy grain as cheaply as possible in those fortunate countries that have an abundance to export.

In conclusion the report says, not only France but all Europe is looking longingly to the wheat fields of the United States. Last year many hoped that South America would help supply the deficit, especially the Argentine Republic, but to-day nomenclature of these countries, all hope is built upon the United States harvest. The fact, as recently stated, is that the bread of Europe must come from America.

Electric Sparks.

By The United Press.

Three Italians were fatally injured and one killed in a powder explosion on the railroad, ten miles south of Vanceboro, Ky.

While a party of movers were encamped on Wolf Bayou, July 10th, Cleburne county, Ark., lightning struck the wagon of a man named Anderson, instantly killing his wife and baby.

The Spanish Cortes has adopted a measure granting amnesty to all political exiles, including military offenders.

NORFOLK, Va., July 13.—Sunday afternoon as the train on the Tar River section of the Seaboard and Roanoke road was turning one of the curves near Cone station, it struck an unknown colored deaf mute, killing him instantly.

NORFOLK, Va., July 13.—Sunday morning a colored man living at Getty's Station started from Portsmouth to his home, taking the Atlantic and Danville track. He was intoxicated, and about 2 a. m., an outgoing freight ran him down, breaking several ribs. He is not expected to live.

Mike Haley, Tom Warren's backer, has received a telegram from Minneapolis accepting Warren's offer to fight Johnny Van Heis to a finish for a purse of \$2,000 at 118 pounds, the mill to take place in September under the auspices of the Twin City Club of Minneapolis.

SHE PUT ON TROUSERS.

Then She Eloped With Her Westley to Escape Convent Life. By The United Press.

ALLIANCE, Ohio, July 13.—Two youthful tramps alighted from a west-bound freight train early yesterday morning and were arrested. When taken to the lock-up it was found that one of them was a girl dressed in boy's clothes.

They claimed to be Mary and John Ewing, brother and sister, returning to their home in Chicago from Pittsburg, where the girl had been working. They were detained and the police of Allegheny City were notified. In the evening John was released and Mary was taken to the Mayor's residence and locked in a second-story room. During the night the Mayor was awakened by a noise outside, and on investigation he found that the girl had leaped from the window of her room and had escaped with the young man.

In the morning they were traced into the country and found sleeping in the woods side by side. They were brought back to the city and to-day their relatives arrived from Allegheny and took charge of them.

Their names are Bessie Stevens and Westley Mosely. They are lovers, and when Bessie's father proposed to place her in a convent their young hearts bled. Bessie donned boys' clothes and eloped with Westley. They had little money when they started and when they reached this city neither had a cent.

R. W. Stevens, Bessie's father, is a rich business man of Allegheny. Young Mosely is connected with one of the best families of that city.

Explosion at Norfolk.

By The United Press.

NORFOLK, Va., July 13.—At 2:15 this afternoon the boiler of the Bay Line steamer, Jane Moseley, exploded near her dock, seriously injuring John H. Cockrell, who was blown overboard. He will probably lose the sight of both eyes; and at present his life is despaired of. Capt. Barclay and the assistant engineer are reported missing. The boat is a wreck.

LATER.—The man Cockrell who was removed to the hospital, died at 8 o'clock this evening. His parents reside in Washington. The captain has shown up.

BASEBALL YESTERDAY

By The United Press. ASSOCIATION GAMES.

At Boston—Boston 6; Cincinnati 1. Batteries: Haddock and Murphy; Moins, Hurley and Kelly. Umpire, Ferguson.

At Philadelphia—Athletic 12, Louisville 2. Batteries: Sanders and Milligan; Fitzgerald and Ryan; Umpire, Davis.

At Baltimore—Baltimore 2, Columbus 0. Batteries: Knell and Donohue; McMahon and Robeson. Umpire, Jones.

At Washington—Washington 5, St. Louis 6. Batteries: Foreman and McGuire; Griffith and Cook. Umpire, Kerins.

At Pittsburg.—Pittsburg 6, Philadelphia 7. Batteries: King and Mack; Geason and Clements. Umpire Lynth.

At Cincinnati—Cincinnati 0, Boston 6. Batteries: Radbourne and Keenan; Nichols and Ganzell. Umpire, McQuaide.

At Chicago—Chicago 3, New York 7. Batteries: Hutchison and Kittredge; Rusie and Buckley. Umpire, Powers and Battin.

At Cleveland—Cleveland 7, Brooklyn 19. Batteries: Knauss and Gruber, Doyle and Terry; Hemming and Daily. Umpire, Hurst.

POWDERLY HAS

NOT THE TIME

To be a World's Fair Commissioner.

WILL DEVOTE HIMSELF TO BALLOT REFORM.

He Intends to Secure a Place in the Constitutional Convention in the Interest of Election Reform.

By The United Press.

SCRANTON, Pa., July 13.—Gen. Master Workman Powderly has declined the World's Fair Commissionership, to which he was appointed a short time ago by Gov. Pattison. Mr. Powderly says he has not the time necessary for a proper discharge of the duties of the World's Fair commissioner, that he intends to seek an election to the constitutional convention this fall in the interest of ballot reform, and that as the head of a great labor organization he must be independent of all entangling political alliances to the end that he may be free to criticize the acts of public officials.

FIVE IN A DAY.

Chicago's Drowning Record. By The United Press.

Chicago, July 13.—Five deaths by drowning was the record in this city yesterday. John McNeff and Lucy Kaiser were drowned while boating on the Little Lake at Columbia Park during the afternoon. While turning the boat for shore McNeff released his hold on one of the oars and it quickly slid from the lock. In his eagerness to regain it McNeff tipped the boat and it capsized, throwing both of its occupants into the water. McNeff, who is a good swimmer, lost his life while trying to save the girl. Henry Campbell and Lescere Young lost their lives yesterday while bathing near the Pullman boat house. The boys, who were nine and ten years old respectively, were bantering each other in venturing into deep water and got beyond their depth. Teamster John Swanson was drowned in the lake at the foot of Berry avenue while watering his horse.

NAVAJO INDIANS.

Is There to be Another Uprising? By The United Press.

FLAGSTAFF, A. T., July 13.—During the past month the Navajo Indians have been acting in a defiant manner towards the whites, and it is the general belief that they are only waiting a favorable opportunity to drive the cattlemen from their ranges. A courier has just arrived here from the Little Colorado, thirty miles northeast with the intelligence that a band of 600 Navajos have taken possession of the stock on Wm. Roden's ranch, driving the herders from the rang and slaughtering a large number of the cattle. The Indians are well armed and can get large reinforcements from the reservation. Sheriff Francis will leave for the scene of the trouble this morning with 300 armed cowboys to arrest the leaders of the band. If Francis fails to arrest the chiefs and get the Indians back on their reservation the war department will be appealed to and troops will probably be ordered out. The Navajos are the largest tribe in the territory, there being about 18,000 of them and they are well fixed financially.

GRAND SIRE BUSBEE'S CONDITION.

His Condition Last Night was Much Better.

JULY 13, 1891.—10 p. m.—Grand Sire Busbee's condition is still as favorable as at last report.

E. BURKE HAYWOOD, M. D. JAMES MCKEE, M. D. HUBERT HAYWOOD, M. D.

Tobacco Statistics of Alabama.

By The United Press.

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 13.—The census office to-day gave out the tobacco statistics of Alabama: The total number of planters in the State during the census year was 3,556. The total area devoted to tobacco is 679 acres. The total product is 161,539 pounds, and the value of the crop to the producers, estimated on basis of actual sales, is \$17,173.

Mr. Gladstone will not Retire.

By The United Press.

LONDON, July 13.—Mr Gladstone writes to a friend that he has not, nor has he had at any time, as reported, the remotest intention of giving up the leadership of his party, but on the contrary he intends to take a very vigorous personal part in the next struggle for party supremacy in the House of Commons. The letter was written by Mr. Gladstone himself and shows neither in phraseology nor chronography the slightest sign of the waning powers ascribed to the writer by those who would gladly see him abandon the field and cease the activity with which he has hitherto obstructed their political path.

A Duel to the Death.

By The United Press.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., 13.—In Blount county last night Wm. Hollingsworth and John McCoy, prominent farmers, fought a duel to the death. Hollingsworth was accused by McCoy of making indecent proposals to the latter's sister. McCoy fractured Hollingsworth's skull with a rock and Hollingsworth stabbed McCoy through three times. Both men died to-day.

THE OHIO CONTEST.

Who Will the Democrats Run Against McKinley? By United Press.

CLEVELAND, Ohio, July 13.—Less than a third of the delegates to the Democratic State Convention are in the city to-night. Tomorrow, however, they will come in on special trains from all directions, and the demands upon the hotels by wire and mail give promise that Wednesday's gathering will be one of the largest that has ever been placed to the credit of Ohio's Democracy. Most of the arrivals of the afternoon and evening were adherents of Gov. Campbell, but many of them, far seeing, conservative men who have borne the heat and burden of the day for the Democracy in many a hard fought campaign were free to confess their dissatisfaction with and regret over the lookout; and there has been a good deal of talk and not a few quiet conferences regarding what ways and means might be adopted to pacify the discordant elements. The fact is recognized that the Republicans are united and enthusiastic that as their standard bearer they have one of the Republican leaders of the nation; that the campaign is to be fought, not so much upon state issues as upon a national one—the tariff; that it will be fought to the death, and that there is a greater necessity to-day for a strong united Democracy in Ohio than at any period since war times.

THE KAISER'S ENGLISH RECEPTION.

The German Emperor is Still on British Soil.

WALES WILL RETURN THE VISIT.

Wilhelm Visits the Parks of England —The Fetes and Grand Receptions Continue.

By Cable.

LONDON, July 13.—The Kaiser this morning went out unattended by any one save a guide for a horse-back ride through the most in parts of the beautiful Hatfield Park. His host, Lord Salisbury, directed that every park should be thrown open for the inspection of his imperial guest. On the Emperor's return to the Hatfield house an elegant luncheon was served. The company which enjoyed it was a distinguished one, comprising the Cabinet Ministers, Ambassadors of foreign nations, the gentlemen of the Imperial suite and Right Honorable Joseph Chamberlain and his wife. It is reported that the Prince and Princess of Wales have accepted the Kaiser's invitation to visit Germany in full state during the autumn as guests of the nation.

LONDON, July 13.—Lord Salisbury's entertainment of the Emperor and Empress of Germany at the Hatfield House was taken advantage of by the residents in the neighborhood, and the country folk for miles around, who flocked to the seat of the Premier to pay their respects to the imperial visitors and incidentally to enjoy the freedom of the spacious and beautiful grounds which surround that famous old English home. The gates of the vast park were thrown open and thousands of people, many of whom had travelled dozen of miles in vehicles of every description and stage of dissolution and on foot, thronged the pathways and lawns, and devoured the luncheon they brought with them under the shade of the great trees. The Emperor is said to have enjoyed this picture of rural life quite as much as he did the more gorgeous sights presented in his honor in the Metropolis.

DID SHE COMMIT SUICIDE.

The Mysterious Death of a Beautiful Blonde. By The United Press.

BOSTON, July 13.—The death at the Victoria Hotel last Saturday of Mrs. J. Clifford, of Charleston, S. C., is believed to have been a case of suicide, because the key-holes and window crevices of the room were stopped with towels and newspapers, and two gas fixtures were left open. The deceased is described as being a beautiful blonde with a prepossessing manner. She registered on Wednesday afternoon and paid the hotel charges in advance. Her meals were served in her room. On Thursday and Friday she sent out for the New York newspapers and a bell boy states that after reading them she cast them aside and wept hysterically. It is thought that she did not register her real name and address. Dispatches sent to Charleston about her have not been answered.

10 boxes fine fresh lemons. Uzzle has them, 219 South Wilmington street.

THE GREAT FAIR.

The London Times Talks About the Columbian Exposition. (By Cable.)

LONDON, July 13.—The Times to-day, in a long article on the World's Fair, reviews the growth of the importance of Chicago and says that it is not doubted that the exhibition will in many respects surpass all exhibitions previously held.

Concerning the advantages to English exhibitors, the Times says that while it is not doubted that no advantage can accrue to some traders, it must be remembered that the exhibition is likely to attract visitors from many countries, including China, Japan, South America and Australia and from markets in which American and English manufacturers are now or soon may be in competition, while even in America itself, perhaps only the temporary existence of high import duties may not induce the wealthier portions of the community to deny themselves the luxury of English manufacture in the departments in which England stands without a rival.

The more they see of the wares England can produce, the more certain they are to become impatient at the system which loads these wares with almost prohibitory duties.

The Times enumerates the disadvantages arising from the distance of Chicago from England, the high cost of labor in the United States, from the alien labor act, but it says, it may at least be hopefully remembered that the government has supreme control of the exhibition, and that there will be therefore ample power and willingness to set aside for a time, all impediments which might threaten to diminish the success of the fair. The enormous resources of the United States will be freely used to support what has now become a national enterprise. The result can hardly fail with the magnitude of the means which will be employed.

It has been decided that the Royal Commission to represent Great Britain at the World's fair will be composed of the Council of the Society of Arts, which carries with it the prestige of having the Prince of Wales as its president and Sir Richard Webster, the Attorney General, as its chairman. The Council contains many members who are well qualified to insure a successful issue. The appointment of the Council as a commission also implies that Sir Henry Wood will be its secretary. The Royal Commission has received a grant of \$125,000, which is less in amount than any previous grant made for a similar purpose. The willingness of the Council to accept this small sum is due to the experience gained at the Paris exhibition, for which the government made no grant. The Council is confident of having sufficient funds to insure the success of the British exhibition.

A Negro "Blood" in Trouble.

By The United Press.

NEW YORK, July 13.—Ralph E. Langston, son of Congressman Langston, the colored representative of Petersburg, Va., was taken before recorder Smyth in general sessions to-day, and committed in default of \$1,000 bail. Langston is under indictment on a charge of abducting and inveiglement preferred against him by Miss Helen M. Graff, of Brooklyn.

That Bonnet.

He—You told me before we were married that you could live on love, and now you touch me for a twenty dollar bonnet.

She—Yes, dear; but it is a love of a bonnet.