

CONDITION OF THE CROPS.

Digest of the August Report.

North Carolina Statement in Full. By our staff correspondent from the report of the Department.

WASHINGTON, August, 22.—I pass over features of minor interest to the readers of the MESSENGER and collate and forward from the August report of the Association of the Agricultural Department a pretty full statement of the condition of the growing crops of corn tobacco and cotton.

THE STATE AGENTS GENERAL REPORT. Since the cessation of the protracted rains there has been a marked improvement in some of the crops. It was feared that too warm weather following the rain would do harm, but these fears have not been verified to any considerable extent.

COTTON. The cotton crop has suffered from wet weather in every State except Texas and Arkansas. In Charlotte, N. C., 6.11 inches of rain fell in the week ending July 2, and over 5 inches in Charleston and Augusta, respectively.

POTATOES. The condition of potatoes has declined during the past month from 96.6 to 88.3. The crop usually looks well on the 1st of July, the record of eighteen years having a range of 91 upwards in that month, which is the first reported each season.

PASTURES. In the Southern States bordering the Atlantic and the Gulf, from Maryland to Louisiana, the condition of pastures is almost uniformly good, though in some counties in Western North Carolina and Northern Georgia and Alabama they are reported as failing.

CORN IN NORTH CAROLINA. Cumberland—One-half a crop owing to the excessively wet weather. Franklin—Very good on upland, but subject to damage by chinch-bugs if drought comes.

MISSISSIPPI. In Mississippi late and imperfect cultivation has delayed development; otherwise it is looking well, on uplands especially. Some areas have been submerged and the plants drowned.

LOUISIANA. Many of the correspondents of Louisiana report the crop a month late. Injury from rain is worse than in Mississippi. Yet the prospect has greatly improved since the 15th of July.

ARKANSAS. Cotton is in better condition in Arkansas than in any other State. There has been abundant rain—in some places an excess during June—yet the statement for Jackson, that the crop was never better, is well cultivated, and has a vigorous growth, has quite a general application throughout the State.

A SHORT LIVED REVOLUTION.

Prince Alexander, of Bulgaria, Reinstated on his Throne.

SOFIA, August 25.—The provisional government created by the revolutionists has been overthrown. A deputation of M. Gheff and M. Zankoff, three of its members, have been arrested and thrown into prison and the old ministry reinstated.

BUCHAREST, August 25.—The commander of the yacht on which it has been stated Prince Alexander is kept prisoner, has telegraphed from Revi, in Bessarabia, to Sofia, asking for instructions. He received orders to convey the Prince back to Sofia.

PHILIPPOLIS, August 25.—The news of Prince Alexander's deposition provoked great indignation here among the citizen and soldiers. A mass meeting was at once held, in which both citizens and soldiers participated.

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