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RAPID GROWTH IN THE WEST

Winter Wheat Production Forecasts Show Decline of 38,000 000 Bushels in Month.

Washington. - Crops in general promise better harvests this year than their average for the last five year forecasts of the department of agri culture, based on July 1 conditions issued indicate. Bumper crops of white and sweet potatoes and bacco are forecast and most of the crops are larger than last year's. With exception of wheat, corn and oats, acreages this year range from 1 to 22 per cent larger than those of

Corn acreages are increased this year in most of the corn belt states but in the cotton states decreases are shown, while in Iowa, the largest corn producing state, there is a two per cent decrease, and is Missouri a three per cent decrease. The crop in general made good progress to July except in the southeast where it has been neglected for cotton. The growth has been slow east of the Mississippi, but stands are good and fields fairly well cutivated.

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Winter wheat production forecasts show a decline of 38,000,000 bushels compared with June forecasts. Severe damage has been reported from heat waves and hail storms in Kansas, from drought, high temperatures and winds in Nebraska and from shriveling in Oklahoma, and black chaff and take-all in some sections. Wheat remaining on farms July 1 is 31,641,000 bushels, or 25,000,000 bushels less than stocks a year ago.

The large crop of white potatoes forecast is due largely to increased acreage in western and northwestern state, while all important producing states show increases of from 5 to 10

45 per cent increase in tobacco acreage in Kentucky, and increases of 36 per cent in Maryland, 25 per cent in Virginia, 13 per cent in North Carolina, 35 per cent in Tennessee, 24 per cent in Ohio and 25 per cent in Indiana, account for the large tobacco crop. Wisconsin, Pennsylva-nia and New England, however, reported decreased acreages.

Publishers In Annual Meet

Asheville.-Adoption of resolutions In honor of Edward W. Barrett, publisher of the Birmingham Age Herald, who died suddenly in Birmingham, was the first action of the convention of the Southern Newspaper Publishers' Association, at the opening of the first session here which was attended by more than 100 newspaper owners and managurs representing all of the

13 states of the south.

The address of the president, W. A. Elliott, general manager of the Jacksonville (Fla.) Times Union, and the report of the secretary-treasurer, Walter C. Johnson, general manager of the Chattanooga News, both gave in flames. dications of a successful year's work

Advertising and its relation to news paper publication, the situation in the subway. the news print market, with especial The news print market, with especial reference to Alaskan timber lands as a source for wood rulp for the manufacture of news print paper, the new department of journalism to be known as the Robert E. Lee Memorial School of Journalism at Washington and Lee of Journalism and Journ

Washington.-Notice was given by the Interstate Commerce Commission that an investigation would be instituted immediately into the reasonableness of existing express rates in all parts of the country. Hearings will be fixed later, the order said, and a plant of procedure outlined.

Through freight rates were reduced generally ten per cent from the highest levels reached during the war on July 1, express rates have been maintained substantially unchanged since 1920. A considerable number of complaints involving express charges have been pending before the com-

Large Scaplanes Being Utilized. Washington. - Use of large sea planes for transportation of men and material between the various naval air stations on the Atlantic seaboard and

of the navy announced. During the past week the NC-9 the largest seaplane in the naval air service, was sent from Hampton Roads to Philadelphia carrying a comple ment of 20 officers and men.

MORSE AND SONS MUST STAND TRIAL

Washington.-Charles W. Morse his three sons and eight others must stand trial here on indict ments charging them with conspiracy to defraud the United States government through war time ship contracts with the Emergency fleet corporation of the Shipping board, the District of Columbia court of appeals held. The appellate court's decision was reached in denying a request by the defendants for permission to bring a special appeal from an opinion by Chief Justice McCoy, of the District Supreme court, overruling demurrers filed to the indictments.

United States Attorney Gordon announced that the case would be called for trial in the early

EVERCOME BY SMOKE

WHEN NEW YORK SUBWAY EX-PRESS CAUGHT FIRE NEAR LEXINGTON AVENUE.

Blaze is Quickly Quelled But Members of Rescue Squad Are Forced to Use Gas Masks.

New York-About 150 persons were New York—About 150 persons were overcome by smoke when a north largue avenue express on the East largue express of the East largue express on the East largue express of the Ea Jerome avenue express on the East Side subway caught fire near Lexington avenue and Sixty-first street. Dozens of ambulances were summoned from nearly every hospital in

swept through the crowded train.

grinding halt, guards threw open the doors and passengers made a mad scramble to escape. Those unable to walk were carried from the cars to the Fifty-ninth street station. Fire adders also were dropped through from grating at Sixty-first street and place are grown at the passition of the united States, who will act as arbitrator under the who have been fighting for the past of the estimated 180,000 miles of good week behind the barricades, and the capture of one of the principal lead-roads on the system of federal addroads now being outlined.

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While cotton was late and rather apparent. small in many southern fields, the only poor to fair in Georgia.

Will Give Chance to Modify Offer. Washington.-A further opportunithat service, the bureau of aeronautics the senate agricultural committee, from a group of 200 strikers. The Spain's body was broken. Thursday evening, July 13.

CHILE AND FERU & SETTLE DISPUTE

AGREEMENT FINALLY REACHED IN GENERATION-OLD CONTROVERSY

IN CONFERENCE EIGHT WEEKS

Generally Considered as Victory For Conference Plan of International Relations.

Washington. - Having at least eached an agreement to arbitrate the generation-old dispute over Tacna-Arica, the representatives of Chile and Peru made plans to bring to a quick conclusion the conference which they began here eight weeks ago at the invitation of President Harding.

None of the points remaining to b settled, it was agreed on both sides, further extended debate or to endanger the accord already reached on the main issue. Another week or ten it was predicted generally, should see the negotiations finally ter minated.

compromise proposal as modified at the request of Peru, was hailed by plenipotentiaries of both governments as a long forward step in Latincurred about 75 feet underground.

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Guard Kills Son of Striker.

citizens discussed mob action.

NORTH DAKOTA MAN FAVORS FORD OFFER

Washington. - The government would accept Henry Ford's offer for the purchase and lease of the Muscle Shoals projects including the government's interests in the steam power plants at Gorgas, under a bill introduced in the senate by Senator Ladd (republican) of North Dakota.

The measure, Senator Ladd said, had the approval of several mem bers of the senate agricultural committee of which he is a member.

The North Dakota senator did not reveal the names of the committeemen who had approved the measure, but it was known that it was acceptable to the democratic members. Senator Ladd, in presenting the bill, called attention to the expenditures made by American farmers for nitrate importa tions from Chile, and asked the sen ate if "the farmers should continu to pay more than \$3,000,000 export duty annually when Mr. Ford offers to relieve them of these burdens at

were of such a character as to cause VALERA REPORTED WOUNDED

THREE HOTELS-ARE AFLAME.

Success of National Cause Purchased at Cost of Terrible Destruction

The newspaper adds that the report

the whereabouts of Eamon de Valera, who has apparently escaped from the

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plain the increase in confidence lately apparent.

Under the changes in the cotton schedule, duties on cotton cloth would not exceed 45 per cent ad valorem as compared with original duties in some condition was from fair to excellent in southern and western Texas, from poor to very good elsewhere in that state, very good in Florida and Tenessee, fair to very good in State Carolina, generally fair in Alabama. Carolina, generally fair in Alabama. go limited, from California, split a has fixed a straight duty of 10 cents Department of the Y. M. C. A., and South Carolina and Oklahoma, but switch at Burrton, 14 miles east of per pound and 60 per cent ad valo-

Airman is Killed.

Clinton, Ill.-James Fitzgerald, 12, Joplin, Mo. - A broken parachute ty to offer further modifications to son of a striking shopman, was slain bolt told the story of the cause of the aged 26, of the army aviation corps, their proposals for development and here, the victim of a railroad guard's death of William Spain, a "stunt" fly- and an overseas veteran, was killed at operation of the government's power gun. The boy's father was wounded er, who fell 2,000 feet when he leaped Selfridge Field, Mt. Clemons, and nitrate projects at Muscle Shoals, with a bullet through his neck. Two from a plane watched by five thous here when his plane crashed to the the gulf coast has resulted in increased speed, efficiency and economy in whose offers have been considered by coast has resulted in increased speed, efficiency and economy in whose offers have been considered by coast has resulted in increased and spectators at Seneca, 20 miles ground from a height of 150 feet, and coast has resulted in increased and spectators at Seneca, 20 miles ground from a height of 150 feet, and coast has resulted in increased and spectators at Seneca, 20 miles ground from a height of 150 feet, and coast has resulted in increased and spectators at Seneca, 20 miles ground from a height of 150 feet, and coast has resulted in increased and spectators at Seneca, 20 miles ground from a height of 150 feet, and coast has resulted in increased and spectators at Seneca, 20 miles ground from a height of 150 feet, and coast has resulted in increased and spectators at Seneca, 20 miles ground from a height of 150 feet, and coast has resulted in increased and spectators at Seneca, 20 miles ground from a height of 150 feet, and coast has resulted in increased and spectators at Seneca, 20 miles ground from a height of 150 feet, and coast has resulted in increased and spectators at Seneca, 20 miles ground from a height of 150 feet, and coast has resulted in increased and spectators at Seneca, 20 miles ground from a height of 150 feet, and coast has resulted in increased and spectators at Seneca, 20 miles ground from a height of 150 feet, and coast has resulted in increased and spectators at Seneca, 20 miles ground from a height of 150 feet, and coast has resulted in increased and spectators at Seneca, 20 miles ground from a height of 150 feet, and coast has resulted in increased and spectators at Seneca, 20 miles ground from a height of 150 feet, and coast has resulted and spectators at Seneca, 20 miles ground from a height of 150 feet, and coast has resulted and spectators at Seneca, 20 miles ground from a height of 150 feet, and coast has resulted and spectators at Seneca, 20 miles ground from a height

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I FEDERAL MONEY FOR ROAD WORK

MANY MILLIONS TO BE SPENT FOR ROAD CONSTRUCTION

DURING COMING YEAR.

TO DISTRIBUTE AMONG STATES in a

Under the Conditions of the Aid Each State Must Match the Sum Allotted It.

Washington. - Approximately \$100,-000,000 will be spent for good road construction throughout the country during the fiscal year which began on July 1. This will be brought about by the continuation of federal aid for roads under recent authorization of an appropriation of almost fifty million dollars for distribution among the several states. Under the conditions of the aid each state must match the sum allotted it.

At the same time the postoffice appropriation bill signed by President nine miles south of here. It is thought TEN BUILDINGS - INCLUDING Harding June 18, authorized appropriation of \$50,000,000 for the same purpose, to be expended during the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1923, and \$75,000,000 for the succeeding fiscal year. The conditions are the same for all three years, and will bring the total amount expended during the period to \$380,000,000 if the state adheres to the stipulations and expends American amity. By removing an interest the city and Mayor Hylan arrived to direct the rescue. The accident occident occ Roads.

It is estimated that the \$190,000,000 appropriated will result in the construction of more than 25,000 miles swept through the crowded train.

When the emergency brakes were applied and the train came to a grinding halt, guards threw open the

There is still no information as to approximately \$380,000,000, making a total of \$667,500,000.

ndustrial Conference at Blue Ridge. Charlotte, N. C-The program for the Southern Industrial Conference on Human Relations in Industry has just been issued. This conference is promoted by the Industrial Department of the Young Men's Christian Association with the co-operation of a group of Fifty-ninth street and Lexington average a fire brigade and promptly organized a fire brigade of 75 employes who dashed into the subway to aid in the rescue work.

The standard days days the first promptly organized a fire brigade early July holidays has, however, however, accused the latest decline in ratio, and suddenly a burst of flames, followed by dense volumes of smoke.

A bomb was hurled into Haman's ing to that most important factor in hotel and soon faint wisps of smoke designed to develop a stronger spirit off good will, friendliness, loyalty and lowed by dense volumes of smoke.

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Many firemen were overcome as they tried to descend the subway steps. Members of the rescue squad donned their gas masks to attack the flames.

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These timely topics will be discussed by such prominent men as Stuart W. Cramer, textile manufacturer, Charlotte, N. C.; Charles Green, lumber manufacturer, Laurel, Miss.; R. B. Wolf, prominent engineer, of New York City: Frank Cushman, of First Methodist Church, Birmingham,

Capt. Tinsley Killed In Crash Detroit, Mich.-George C. Tinsley

Witnesses said Captain Tinsley had the bidders inviting them to appear at a meeting called at his residence at a meeting called at his residence at a meeting called at his residence the boy was spirited out of Clinton as broke and the parachute failed to uning the attempts of spectators to reach the fiver's side.

CONDENSED NEWS FROM THE OLD NORTH STATE

SHORT NOTES OF INTEREST TO CAROLINIANS.

High Paint. - John Haywood Walker, 18, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Walker of this city, was seized by a cramp and drowned while swimming in a reservoir at the Highland cotton

Mooresville.-Rev. L. A. Thomas, pastor of St. Mark's Lutheran church, this city, has tendered his resignation to accept a call to the pastorate of St. James church at Concord. A congregational meeting will be held to pass upon the resignation.

Greensboro-Fred G. Burgess, aged 30, was fatally injured near Sedalia, 15 miles from here, by the explosion of a stick of dynamite. He died a few minutes after he was brought to a hospital here. His body was badly mangled.

Goldsboro.-The body of a pretty three or four days' old baby was found in a ditch by the roadside near Dudley that the parents in an automobile threw the baby from a car, killing it instantly. Sheriff Grant and Coroner Baker made an investigation.

Burlington.-The remains of Lew is Reams, a former resident of Burlington, who died at his home in Cov-lngton, Ky., were brought to Burling ton and taken to Rock Creek church for interment. Mr. Reams left this county ten years ago and had lived in Kentucky since that time.

Hamlet. - In a peculiar accident. which occurred on the new highway between Hamlet and Hoffman Mrs. R. C. Cole was seriously injured and taken immediately to the Hamlet hospital. It is learned that she suffers from several broken ribs, fractured wrists and ankles and injuries to the collar bone.

Charlotte.-John J. Parker, of Monroe, republican candidate for governor In the last election, will move to this city at an early date for the practice of law. He has secured offices here He has been a law partner of A. M. Stack, recently nominated for judge on the democratic ticket, and has enloyed a large practice in the courts of the state.

Greenville. - A double tragedy visited the home of Mr. Jim Langley, who resides on a farm between Falkand and Fountain, when two of his boys, Walter, age 22, and Charlie, ige 19, were drowned while swimning in Mayo's mill pond, which is on Elkin's Mill run, about three miles rom Falkland.

Hickory.-W. A. Marshall, 62, was hot and almost instantly killed by nis son, Fred, at Granite Falls, Caldwell county, according to a message eceived here.

Young Marshall claims that he shot tis father in self-defense after the wo had quarreled over alleged threats nade by the elder Marshall against he boy's mother.

Salisbury.-Hugh C. Petrea, of the Wachovia Bank, and Miss Rose W. 3mith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elias smith, of Enochsville, were married at the home of Dr. George H. Cox, that ninister officiating.

Wilmington. - Two hooded figures wearing the regalia of the Ku Klux Klan, approached the city editor of the

Sanford. - The dewherry season, which has just closed in his section, boro, 32 cars of berries have been shipand this season. They brought from \$1 to \$8 per crate. The average price was very good.

Statesville. — Work is progressing rapidly on the Iredell-Rowan cottage, which the two counties have erected for the delinquent boys at the Stonewall Jackson Training School, at Concord according to W. W. Holland, county welfare officer, who has just returned from the institution.

Asheville - The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Jones, of Sunburst met instant death, and five persons were seriously injured when a small touring car operated by Mrs. George Craig. also of Sunburst,, suddenly sweved from the road and turned turtle after plunging into a small stream of water at a culvert a short distance from Canton.

Marion. — A meeting of the promoters of the Marion Lake Club was held when definite plans were set in motion looking to the building of a \$75,000 club house on the lake of the Southern Power Co.

Chapel Hill . - "As You Like It," one of Shakespeare's popular come-dies, will be presented in the Forest Theatre here this summer by the sum mer school students under the direction of LeGrande Everett, of Rockngham, and Lloyd Williams of Char-

AMES P. HUMPHREYS, wellknown automobile man of Hebron, Md., who declares he believes Tanlac is the best thing to overcome stomach trouble and rundown condition. States it completely restored his health.



"I believe in giving everything its due and I want to say right now I just can't praise Tanlac too highly for what it has done in my case," declared James P. Humphreys, proprietor of the Hebron Motor Co., Hebron, Md.

"For three years or more I suffered from indigestion. After eating I would bloat terribly with gas and my heart would palpitate until it interfered with my breathing. I was habitually constipated and my nerves were all upset. My sleep was unsound, I got up mornings all tired out, and I was only a shadow of my former self.

"Well. Tanlac has given me a keen appetite, stomach trouble has disappeared, my nerves have steadled down and I have gained several pounds. Tanlac, to my mind, is the best thing ever sold for stomach trouble and rundown condition."

Tanlac is sold by all good druggists.

"Perfectly Innocent."

A young sailor was on shore leave and went to see his girl. They were sitting on the piazza, and inding it hard to keep up the conver-

sation, she finally asked:
"You have been on the water so long suppose you are accustomed to sea

"Honest, ma'am," he stammered, "I vasn't even looking at 'em."

Cuticura Comforts Baby's Skin When red, rough and itching, by hot baths of Cuticura Soap and touches of Cuticura Ointment. Also make use now and then of that exquisitely scented dusting powder, Cuticura Talcum, one of the indispensable Cuticura Toilet Trio.-Advertisement.

His Secret of Success.

We know a man who is noted for getting along well in the esteem of his employer. When asked how he did it the man replied: "Well, I always consider that the boss is right, even when he is wrong."—Howard (Kan.) Courant.

Have You a Bad Back?

Are you lame every morning? Do you drag through the day with a steady, nagging backache—evening find you "all played out"? Probably your kidneys are to blame. Hurry, worry, lack lof rest and a heavy diet, all tend to weaken the kidneys. Your back gives out; you feel depressed and suffer headaches, dizziness and kidney fir regularities. Don't go from bad to worse. Use Doan's Kidney Pills. Thousands recommend them. Ask your neighbor!

A South Carolina Case

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DOAN'S RIDNE FOSTER-MILBURN CO., BUFFALO, N. Y.

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