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NOON REPORTS.

The Cotton Crop.

NEW ORLEANS, September 11.—The *Democrat* publishes special telegraphic reports from eighty central points in the cotton districts of Alabama, Arkansas, Florida, Georgia, Louisiana, Mississippi, Tennessee and Texas, giving the condition of the cotton crop up to September 10, ten days later than the monthly reports of the cotton exchange. Summary:

Louisiana—Eighteen returns from sixteen parishes. The weather, with the exception of two parishes, is reported unfavorable on account of too much rain; only one parish reports the weather better than last week; three parishes report the condition unchanged from last week, and changed for the worse and the crop very unfavorable as compared with last year. Two parishes report sprouting from seed; three, army worms; eight, boll worms, doing considerable damage in three parishes; one, rust; one, shedding; four, rot. One parish reports the damage at 20 per cent.; two, 25; one, 33, and one at 40. Four parishes report two-thirds of a crop, and two only half a crop. Picking has been considerably interfered with by rain. Labor is sufficient and working well in ten parishes and scarce in four. The average yield is 700 pounds per acre. In a number of parishes the worms have disappeared, having eaten all the leaves off the cotton; in others they are reported killed by cold weather. Since September 7 the weather has been cool and favorable.

Mississippi—Twenty-seven returns from twenty five counties report the weather unfavorable, rainy in all but eight, and drought in one county. Five counties report the condition improved from last week, and ten changed for worse. The general condition is not as favorable as at this time last year. The army worm is reported in ten; boll worms in four counties; rust in four; shedding in seven; sprouting of bolls in eleven; rot in four. The damage is ten per cent. in one; twenty-five per cent. in one and fifty per cent. in one county. Picking is very backward in ten counties in consequence of heavy rains. Labor is sufficient in all but three counties. The average yield per acre is 600 pounds. The weather since September 7 has been good. The returns from Texas show the weather generally favorable, and the plant is fruiting and opening well. The condition of the crop is better than last week. The boll worms are reported in four, and army worms in four districts, doing little damage; two districts report twenty-five per cent. damage. Labor generally is scarce. The average yield is 650 pounds per acre. The boll worm disappeared from several counties.

Alabama—Returns from ten points in Alabama show unfavorable and rainy weather. The condition of the crop is not as favorable as last week. Worms are reported in five; rust in four counties; one reports ten, another thirty-three per cent. damage. Picking is slightly backward. Labor is sufficient in five; scarce in three counties. The average yield is 600 pounds per acre.

Arkansas—Returns from Arkansas show that in the central portion of the State about two-thirds of a crop will be made; in eastern Arkansas an average crop of two-thirds of a bale to the acre; in western Arkansas there is some rust, the damage being about twenty per cent., and some damage from worms in the southern portion of the State. Notwithstanding the rain, the yield will be ninety per cent. of last year.

In southern Tennessee there has been some increase in acreage, and the crop will show a slight increase in production. There is a complaint of drought in western Georgia. The crop, despite the worms and rust, is the best for several years. Labor is scarce and expensive.

In Florida the crop is two weeks earlier than usual. The damage from the late cyclone is smaller than was at first reported.

Can Factory Burned.

BALTIMORE, September 11.—The can factory of Smith & Wicks, with the stock of tools and machinery, was burned this morning. Loss over $50,000. A lumber-yard adjoining was damaged to the extent of $3,000 or $4,000. Among the companies in which Smith & Wicks are insured is the Merchants' and Mechanics', of Virginia, $1,000.

Death of a Prominent Lawyer of Virginia.

ALEXANDRIA, VA., September 11.—John S. Chapman, a prominent lawyer of this city, was found dead in bed this morning, with a pistol in his hand and a bullet in his head.

Illness of ex-Governor Cooke.

NEW YORK, September 11.—Ex-Governor Henry D Cooke, of the District of Columbia, is lying very ill at Fire Island, and it is feared cannot recover.

Death of Marshall O. Roberts.

FARAT GA, N. Y., September 11.—Marshall O. Roberts died at 7 o'clock this morning.

NIGHT REPORTS.

DeJarnette Sentenced to be Hanged.

DANVILLE, VA., September 11.—In the Corporation Court here to day, a motion for a new trial in the case of James Thomas DeJarnette, for the murder of his sister, was overruled. The case will go to the Court of Appeals on a lengthy bill of exceptions of the rulings of the lower court. It is alleged that one of the jurors was incompetent because of mental aberration during the trial. After the motion for a new trial in the case of DeJarnette was overruled this morning, the court sentenced the prisoner to be hanged on October 29, next.

Another Murder.

SADDLERSVILLE, TENN, September 11.—The body of S. S. Laprode, an aged bachelor, living alone on his farm near here, was found yesterday in a sink hole half a mile from his house. There was a bullet hole through his heart and his throat cut. He had been missing since last Friday. Two negroes are suspected of the murder.

The Debt Question in Arkansas.

LITTLE ROCK, ARK, September 11.—It is believed that the proposed amendment to the constitution is defeated. An official count is necessary to determine it.

Congressional Nomination.

CHICAGO, September 11.—George R. Davis was renominated for Congress by the Republicans of the second district.

READING, PA, September 11.—J. Howard Jacobs was nominated for Congress to-day by the Republicans of the eighth distric.

Another Epidemic

WASHINGTON, September 11.—The National Board of Health here have advices that an epidemic of dengué prevails at Charleston, S. C. Dengue also prevails at New Orleans.

Reduction of Prices of Prints.

FALL RIVER, MASS, September 11.—A meeting of manufacturers was held at the board of trade rooms this forenoon, at which a committee was appointed to consider the reduction of wages in view of the present low prices of print cloths. It is probable that the result will be a general reduction of ten per cent.

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