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The Wheat Prospect:

Very little wheat this year in the Pacific coast States, but an excellent crop in all sections east of the Rockies, may be considered a fair summary of the crop reports for this season. An exceedingly severe drought, especially in California, has made it extremely doubtful whether the three States of California, Oregon and Washington, which usually export 40,000,000 or 50,000,000 bushels, will have wheat enough for home consumption.

This condition is offset in all the other wheat growing sections by an unusually favorable outlook. In Texas, Oklahoma and Kansas, where the wheat is already beginning to head, the prospect is fair that last year's crop of 85,000,000 bushels will this year be exceeded by 15,000,000, raising the aggregate to a round 100,000,000 bushels. While the crop in the States further north and east is not so forward; the winter wheat outlook is promising, and a large acreage of spring wheat has been sown.

In this story of wheat crop failure on the Pacific slope and of excellent wheat prospects elsewhere is written the advantage of our great expanse of territory with its diversified climate. Famine and scarcity are likely to be unknown while the government of the United States remains intact, for scarcity in one section is certain to be offset by abundance in another, and enough for all when distributed.

The confirmation of Judge Ewart has not yet been made in the Senate. He is to appear soon in his own behalf. There is little doubt that the nomination is a bad one and if confirmed at all it will be largely due to the fact that his opposition, Senator Butler, is less the right sort of man than himself and largely hinders the cause he advocates. We have it from credible source that evidence most likely to defeat Ewart is not volunteered because to help Butler to score a victory is as undesirable probably as to allow a moderately bad judge to be promoted.

First to Die for the Flag.

It is worth while also to remember that the South furnishes the first sacrifice of this war. Ensign Bagley was a native of North Carolina. With his blood he has sealed the union in arms of the North and South. A people who once fought against the Stars and Stripes send one of their sons as the first sacrifice for the honor and glory of that flag. There is no North and no South after that. We are all Worth Bagley's countrymen.—New York Tribune, Republican.

A CLOUDBURST IN RALEIGH.

Four Were Saved from Drowning—
Two Women Rescued by a Man Who Swam With Them Out of Nine Feet of Water—Two Children Saved Also—Cellars Flooded—Lightning Stunned a Soldier at Camp Grimes.

The Raleigh correspondent of the Charlotte Observer of the 16th says:

The greatest storm of rain, lightning and thunder ever known here raged last night for two hours. It came all they way from Norfolk. The wind at one time attained a velocity of 32 miles an hour. There was not a fraction of a second that the lightning did not glare and the roll of the thunder; never ceasing, was accented by ear splitting crashes, which made the earth quiver. The rain all fell in 35 minutes, and during that time nearly 3 inches descended. The total rainfall was 3 21 inches. This breaks all the bureau records. There were volleys of hail, which at one time continued for 15 minutes.

It was a terrible night. People here will never forget it. There were some narrow escapes from drowning, in low places, where the waters were dammed. One of these was near the Seaboard Air Line's shops, where the water rose nearly nine feet. A man saved two women there by swimming out with them. Two children were also rescued. The power house of the street car company was flooded with four feet of water. Cellars were also flooded, and in that of Barnes Bros., State printers, there was heavy loss to paper stock and printed matter. The water was several feet deep in the Morning Post press room, and the paper could not appear.

The lightning was something terrible. It struck in the city and suburbs, in perhaps a dozen places. People wondered how the soldiers at Camp Grimes were faring. Only one tent was blown down there, and very few soldiers got wet. The sentries kept their posts, despite the storm. Three pine trees in the camp were struck, and some men say they felt the shock. One bolt fell quite near Col. Armfield's tent. In the fair grounds, where five companies of the Second Regiment are quartered in one of the big buildings, a bolt of lightning struck the dome and stunned John E. Lane, of the Morganton contingent of Capt. Edmund Jones' company. The surgen got him around all right in a few minutes. He is not in the least hurt. The lightning broke a window in the same building. Several soldiers felt the shock somewhat.

Beats the Klondike

Mr. A C Thomas, of Marysville, Tex., has found a more valuable discovery than has yet been made in the Klondike. For years he suffered untold agony from consumption, accompanied by hemorrhages; and was absolutely cured by Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. He declares that gold is of little value in comparison with this marvelous cure; would have it, even if it cost a hundred dollars a bottle. Asthma, Bronchitis and all throat and lung affections are positively cured by Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. Trial bottles free at P B Fetzler's drug store. Regular size 50 cents and \$1.00. Guaranteed to cure or price refunded.

Those Chairs

Never before offered so cheap. Thirty-three large rocking upholstered chairs worth \$2.50, for the next ten days at only \$1.39. Think of it, one dollar and thirty-nine cents, cash.—Craven Brothers.

SPANISH FLEET

DEMOLISHED

And the fight continues to wax warm. News comes in by telegram and every mail brings us glorious news of Victory. The latest news is with our immense stock of Dry Goods and Notions. We are prepared to offer them at prices to money saving custom, that will do you as much good as to hear of Spain being wiped off the face of the earth.

For the latest Novelties in thin Summer Dress Goods, Organdies, Lawns, etc., we have them.

For the prettiest line of Shirt Waist Goods in Silk and Cotton we cannot be excelled.

For the latest and most popular Skirt Goods we are strictly in it.

See our Canvass Cloth.

" " Black Mohair 50 inch.

" " " Satin Duchess 27in.

" " " Brocade Silks 24in.

You can save money by seeing us. For the best fitting Corset buy Thompsons Glove fitting; we have them.

For Sash Ribbon see us. For the prettiest and cheapest line of Millinery don't fail to see our line.

For a real good Suit of Clothes at correct prices we can suit the most fastidious.

HATS. Hats: Now in this line we are headquarters.

For a No. 1 Umbrella or Parasol we are up-to-date in style and prices.

For the handsomest line of Neckwear you cannot afford to miss seeing our line.

For daintiest and prettiest line of Fans just come and feast your eyes.

Now don't forget that we have the goods to offer you at BOTTOM PRICES and all we ask of you is come and see us and we will please you.

D. P. Davvaul & Bro.

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White Shirts at 25c.

Laundried Colored Shirts, 24c. up.

White Shirts with colored bosoms at 42c.

Colored Shirts with two turn down collars for 50c.

Balbriggan Underwear from 25 to 50c. per garment.

Gents' Linen collars, either standing or turn down at 6 1/2c.

Large line of Silk Club Ties at 10 to 15c.

Socks 5 to 40c.

Good Suspenders at 10c.

Straw Hats 8 to 60c.

Stationary.

Note Paper at 10c. per lb.

Colored French Crepon Paper and Envelopes at 15c. per qr., and 24 envelopes, worth 25c.

Box Paper 10 to 50c. per box.

Good White Envelopes 3c. up.

Square Linen ones at 5c.

DRY GOODS.

Remnants of White Lawns at 40c. per lb.

Printed Laqpets 7 1/2c. yd.

Printed Organdie 10c. yd.

Percale 25c. per lb.

8 1/2c. Staple Gingham at 5c.

Remnants of Ficking 7 1/2c.

LADIES' FURNISHING DEPT.

Muslin Underwear made in full sizes and of good material as cheap as the common run of the Northern made garments.

Shirt Waists with white collars, 42c.

Printed Lapette Waists without collars only 49c., worth 75c.

Pacale Shirt Waists at 45 to 85c.

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Percale and White Lawn Sun Bonnets at 25c.

Gauze Vests 4c. up.

Hose, assorted, up to Opera length at 45c. See our 7-1-2 and 10c. seamless Hose.

RIBBONS.

Double faced Black Satin Sash Ribbon at 25c. per yard.

Nice assortment of Tafferty, Moire and Satin Ribbon in staple colors, Also a nice line of Stripe and Plaid Ribbon will be in by Saturday.

Also 15 styles of Shirt Waist Silks to come in Saturday.

Very Respectfully,

D. J. BOSTIAN.

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Late to bed and early to rise prepares a man for his home in the skies. Early to bed and a Little Early Riser, the pill that makes life longer and better and wiser.—J P Gibson.

All persons indebted to me will please call upon W G Means, Esq., and settle. I have left all accounts and notes in his hands for collection.

L. M. ARCHER, M. D.
May 2, 1898.

SPINAL weakness easily cured by Dr. Miles' Nerve Plaster.