

CORN LOSS OVERESTIMATED

General Manager Walters Finds Conditions Not So Bad as Reported.

SPLENDID RAIN HELPS OUT

North Half of Nebraska is Visited by General Downpour, Which Will Change the Conditions Most Materially.

General Manager Walters of the Northwestern is inclined to discount the reports of damage to the Nebraska corn crop on account of the dry weather and heat of last week.

The only territory where Mr. Walters was able to find that the corn has been damaged to any extent is in the extreme south part of the state, along the line of the Northwestern that reaches Superior.

Mr. Walters expresses the opinion that with the rain that fell Monday night all through the north half of the state there is little doubt but that a full crop will be raised and in many localities it may come close to a bumper crop.

North of the Platte there was a heavy rain Monday night and from Norfolk west to Long Pine it still continued at 9 o'clock in the morning.

The Union Pacific reports good rains during the night practically all the way from Fremont to Lexington along the main line, with heavy showers over the St. Paul and Loup City branches to the north.

While the Burlington got no rain in the south Platte country, where it is said moisture is badly needed, there were heavy showers over the central line and the northern branches.

Giant Tractor for Austria is to Be Shown at Fremont

War in Austria will make one feature of the big tractor demonstration at Fremont better than it could possibly have been without the European war.

A grading camp at Fremont has been working on a stretch of road for some time, with the old mule power graders.

Many Farm Tractors Arriving at Fremont

Already, a full week before the farm tractor demonstration is to open at Fremont, every freight train is bringing in big tractors, which are entered in the demonstration.

A. E. Hildebrand, one of the managers of the demonstration, is to go to Fremont in a few days to look personally after sheds for the tractors that get on the ground today, and otherwise to manage the preliminaries of the big show.

MRS. ALMITA W. BASHAM ASKS DIVORCE AND ALIMONY

Robert B. Basham, agent of the Omaha and Lincoln Railway and Light company, is defendant in a divorce suit brought in district court by Mrs. Almita W. Basham.

They were married at Oak Park, Ill., December 25, 1908, and have lived in various cities in the United States and Canada, coming to Omaha one year ago.

OMAHA VISITORS TO LOUISVILLE MEETING

About a half dozen veterans of the Spanish-American war from Omaha will likely attend the national meeting of the United Spanish War Veterans at Louisville, Ky., next month.

Best Diarrhoea Remedy. If you have ever used Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy you know that it is a success.

Pastor Who Invites Coatless to Church Gets Big Crowd

Increased attendance and great comfort among the men has been noticed in the congregation of Calvary Baptist church since the pastor, Rev. J. A. Maxwell, hung out the sign, "Leave your coats at home."

"No religion should deny physical comfort," he declares, and so he urges all men in his congregation to go without coats during the hot weather.

GRAIN BEARS ROUT BULLS

Bring Prices Down Two to Four Cents Off Monday's High.

TRADERS ARE KEPT GUESSING

Chicago Speculators Are Puzzled by the Way Options Are Picking Up Back and Forth in the Pit.

On the grain market Tuesday the bears routed the bulls and started them on the run. The men who Monday bought wheat in anticipation of an additional advance yesterday wished they had kept out of the deal.

On the Chicago speculative market the changes kept everybody guessing, but all along the line of options there was a slide in the prices.

December Takes Drop. The December option Monday night closed at \$1.05, and yesterday the opening was \$1.04, selling up to \$1.07, but quickly dropping back and getting down to \$1.00.

Omaha dealers, who had been buying cash wheat and selling May upon the theory that by playing both ends they were certain of winning, were whipsawed and, it is said, some of them stand to lose most that they made during the several days when the market was constantly advancing.

Baxter Thinks This Country Will Soon Supply All Demands

Just back from New York, William F. Baxter, member of the firm of Kilpatrick & Co., reports everything war talk in the east.

War Will Not Stop Newsboys' Picnic. On account of the pressing rush of war news certain of Omaha's newsboys will be stationed at the principal corners of the city today throughout the day.

NO DEFINITE TIME SET FOR TRIAL OF MATTERS

No definite date for the trial of Thomas H. Matters on federal grand jury indictments in connection with the Sutton National bank failure has been set by Judge Smith McPherson.

MANY IMPORTS COME HERE FROM WARRING NATIONS

At least 55 per cent of all goods imported into Nebraska, Wyoming and Council Bluffs, on which duty is paid at the port of Omaha, come from the nations now involved in the European war.

NEGRO WOMEN WILL GIVE ELECTION DAY DINNER

The Negro Women's Christian association will give an election day dinner August 15, at 104 South Fourteenth street, the proceeds to be used for the home, which the women expect to throw open September 1.

GOOD CROWD ATTENDS GOVERNMENT AUCTION

At a government auction sale of discarded signal corps and other equipment, a good crowd of bidders took almost everything offered, and secured the articles at extremely low prices.

OMAHA TOURISTS RETURNING

Steamship Companies Report Many on Way Back from Europe.

SOME WILL SAIL NEXT WEEK

Several will sail on one of the Cunard boats August 18, with others following on September 1.

Sailings of stranded Omaha tourists from European ports for America are now being announced by the steamship companies, which report that limited schedules have been arranged for the few liners not requisitioned by the warring governments.

Steamship Agent Bock at the Milwaukee ticket office states that the Cunard line has two vessels, the Laconia and Franconia, which are still able to take tourists' bookings, and are scheduled to leave Liverpool for America on August 18 and 19, September 1 and 15.

Some Known Bookings. On one of the Cunard line boats, sailing August 18, Mr. and Mrs. George H. Kelly and Mrs. Nathan Merriam and daughter have bookings, Mr. Bock says. They will arrive in America about August 24.

Word has been received that Mr. and Mrs. Alex Ficke of Omaha sailed from Havre on the liner France last Friday, and are due in this country Thursday, if the ship is not delayed or captured.

War Spirit Rules in Winnipeg When England Faces War

Ross Secord of the Missouri Pacific is back from Winnipeg, where he spent his vacation and where he found the war spirit rampant. He was there the day when the report came that England had declared war on Germany and he asserts the people were wild with joy.

In Winnipeg the war is having a depressing effect upon all lines of business. Provisions have rapidly advanced in price, flour going up 50 cents per hundred pounds in one day.

War Spoils Visits for Local Priests. Three Catholic priests of the diocese of Omaha and one from out in the state are now in Ireland and will have their proposed continental tours spoiled by the war.

OMAHA MEN IN LONDON AT PEACE CELEBRATION

The hundredth anniversary of the conclusion of peace between English speaking peoples is supposed to be celebrated in London by a big exposition this summer.

GERMAN WOMEN TO MEET AT GERMAN HOME

All German women interested in assisting in raising funds for the relief of the widows and children of the soldiers in the European war now going on are invited to meet Wednesday afternoon at German Home on South Thirteenth street at 3 o'clock.

W. A. CHRISMAN IS NAMED TO SUCCEED R. U. WOLFE

W. A. Chrisman, engineer at the court house, has been appointed by the city commission to succeed Boiler Inspector R. U. Wolfe, resigned.

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CITY TICKET OFFICE 1317 Farnam Street, Omaha W. E. BOCK, City Pass' Agent

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Table listing fares to various locations: Delavan Lake, Wis. \$18.00; Milwaukee, \$20.50; Waukesha, \$19.60; Oconomowoc, \$19.70; Minocqua, \$22.90; Star Lake, \$23.00; Calumet Mich. \$32.10; Marquette, \$30.00; So. Haven, \$22.45; Macatawa Park, \$24.45; Charlevoix, \$34.94; Petoskey, \$34.94; Mackinac Island, \$35.20; Detroit, \$31.20; Niagara Falls, \$33.50; Montreal, Que. \$36.50; Boston, Mass. \$42.50; New York City \$43.50; Atlantic City \$45.60; Asbury Park \$43.50.

'The Scenic Route of Eastern America'

Chicago to New York \$27 and return \$32.40

Liberal stop-overs on all tours. THE CIRCLE TOUR include: Pittsburg, Washington, Baltimore, Philadelphia, New York, Buffalo, Niagara Falls, and other principal points.

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'Our passengers are our guests'

Merchants Fall Market Week

The Wholesalers and Manufacturers of Omaha unite in inviting the Retail Merchants of this trade territory to visit

OMAHA, August 17, 18, 19, 20, 21 and 22

Better acquaintance is good for us all. We urge you to come to Omaha, accept our hospitality, take part in the splendid entertainments arranged for you, and enjoy yourselves thoroughly.

Hundreds of merchants are coming to market this fall who never came before. You will have lots of splendid company, and this is a particularly good time to come and make your selection of fall, winter and holiday stocks.

FOUR BIG, ENJOYABLE EVENINGS

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. An Evening at the Ak-Sar-Ben Den for the Men—a Theatre Party for the Ladies—Dinners—Boating—Bathing—Dancing—a Style Show with Living Models—Musical Entertainments—Cabaret Show—Auto Parties for the Ladies.

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