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The supply of wheat in the world, according to the report is 117,000,000 bushels less than usual at this season of the year. From that it is safe to predict that good prices will be realized for grain by the farmers during the coming year.

In some counties the winter wheat which was not winter killed will be too short to cut. It does not seem to be very encouraging to the renters who have worked hard and will get little or nothing in return. They had better come to Sioux county and stop paying rent.

Statistics show that there is a deficiency in the wheat area of the world. That has been brought about by the increase in population having been more rapid than the increase in land developed for wheat culture. This, it is claimed, will make an advance in the price of wheat during the ensuing year.

The crop reports from southern and western Kansas are that the wheat will be a total failure on account of drouth, in other parts of that state not more than half a crop will be harvested if the season from now on is favorable. Everything indicates that wheat will be in demand at good prices when the crop of 1893 is ready for market.

Those who are attempting to find and punish the fiends who blew up the three residences at Muscatine, Iowa, recently have been warned to stop the work of investigation or more explosions will occur. It is safe to say that the machinery of the law will not be stopped because of such threats, but that more diligence will be used to catch and punish the dynamiters.

It is reported that President Cleveland will recommend to congress a system of filing offices by an appointment commission as far removed from politics as possible. By the time congress gets at such a law Mr. Cleveland will have filled all the available places with democrats and then hopes to see the scheme put through to keep them in office. He may be very cute but people can see through so thin a plan as that.

It is charged that the county commissioners of Lancaster county packed the grand jury which found indictments against the asylum officials who were accused of robbing the state and the attorney for the defendants claim to have proof of the packing and that it will vitiate the indictments. Men were so eager to get the accused indicted that they requested to be put on the jury list. Why not impeach the commissioners of Lancaster county?

The demand is going up from all parts of the state for new blood and new leaders for the republican party, and for the turning down of those who have been the cause of getting the party in the condition it is. If that is the case the start should be made in the right place. The greatest Jonah which the republican ship of Nebraska is carrying today is E. Rosewater and the sooner he is thrown overboard the better and then let a thorough weeding out be made, all along the line. The support of a good many has been retained at to great a cost to the party for some years and if the leeches are cut off the sooner the party will get ready for the battles of the future.

The proposed cowboy race from Chadron to Chicago has created a good deal of interest, and many are opposing it on the ground that it will be cruel to the horses used. THE JOURNAL has refrained from paying any attention to the scheme as it could see no benefit to any one, except those directly interested, but the cry of cruelty to animals appears to be a little uncalled for, but it may work some good by holding some in check who would let their eagerness to win the prize get the better of their judgment. The biggest fool part of the whole affair has been the sensational reports sent out containing a lot of names of those supposed to contemplate taking part. That did no good and has given the impression in the east that Chadron is located in a wild place, and is the resort of cowboys and bad men and "a man for breakfast" was the regular bill of fare. Every person who forms that opinion of Chadron will, as attorneys say, require evidence to remove it and Chadron and Northwest Nebraska is improved thereby. A man with any sense will know that if he abuses his horses he will not be a winner in the race and also that in almost every town will be officials backed up by law and public sentiment to arrest and prosecute him should he be unreasonable. It is the opinion of the editor that before the riders get through the east of Illinois they will think they have earned off the thing there to be.

The ultimate result of all trusts has been reached by the whisky trust and it is on a "bust" in good shape. Combinations can be made and handled all right for a time, but, as a rule, they are short lived. The oil trust has held on the longest and proven the most formidable of any, but it is safe to predict that it will not be long until that will do as has been done by the whisky trust.

Gen. C. H. Van Wyck suffered two strokes of paralysis in one day within the past week and it seemed for a long time that his active life was about to come to an end, but later reports are that he is improving and likely to live for some time yet. He is quite advanced in years and it is probable that he will never recover sufficiently to permit him to take much active part in life and business. He is one of the best-known men in Nebraska, having been in public life in the state from its earliest existence.

The continuation of drouth in Europe if not soon broken up will leave that country in a bad way as far as crops are concerned, and while we do not wish any one any harm or ill luck, yet we may see in their misfortune brighter prospects for all we can raise, and we shall look for better prices for the coming year than we have had for the past, which have not been anything to complain of. The prospect for better prices in wheat even, without having to ship any of our own raising to Europe, on account of so much of the winter wheat being a failure, is decidedly better; and as our government is still pushing the use of corn in the old country, it looks as if we can realize a fair price for that commodity for the next year. —Allison News.

There is a feeling of unrest among the people on the question of finance. The numerous failures of late have dragged down a number of banks and the result is that it takes but little to scare people as to the safety of the money they have in such institutions and runs are made on banks. A run was made on one of the banks of Lincoln last week, but the cash came for every check and there was money on hand when the scare was past. There is no use in people doing such things. Few banks go to the wall in Nebraska under the present system, but a run is a hard thing to be met by any bank. If depositors would keep their heads they would not be so apt to lose their money.

The railroads are getting ready for the new rate law and have issued their new rate sheets on stock. To Chicago from Harrison the old rate on horses was \$101, the new rate is \$105; cattle and hogs, old rate \$91, new rate \$95; sheep, old rate \$54.00, new rate \$57. To Omaha from Harrison the old rate on horses was \$60, new rate \$71; cattle and hogs, old rate \$56, new rate 61; sheep, old rate \$33.60, new rate 36.60. The new rate on grain will go into effect on June 10th and is said to raise the rate from two to four cents a hundred in car lots. When our shippers have pay the increased rate they will murmur words of praise (?) to Stewart and Woods for having provided a way for them to contribute to the welfare of the railroads, and when the farmers have to accept the reduced prices for their grain they will bless (?) the day in which the pops got into power and secured relief for them in the matter of railroad rates.

A Superstition About Trees
 The imaginative and poetic Japanese, under whose almost every act lies hidden some symbolic meaning, have a most curious superstition with regard to old trees, which they worship. Ancient trees are believed to have a soul like men and gods, granted on account of their great age; and they are believed to be endowed with power of intercession for those in trouble. Hence the unfortunate seek shelter under them and pour out their woes to the sympathetic spirit. This explains the weird trees so often seen in the choicest productions of the Japanese artist. There is a legend that when the lord of Yamato wished to furnish his house completely from the trunk of the finest cedar in his park, the axes of the woodman bounded from the bark and large drops of blood flowed from every stroke.—From, "A Japanese Floral Calendar," in Demorest's Family Magazine for June.

Don't Plead The Baby Act.
 York Times
 The state of Nebraska will have to stand whatever loss there may be on the state money that was deposited in the Capital National Bank, of Lincoln, and it ought to stand it. When the money is taken out of the hands of the state treasurer by law and the profits that accrue upon it by reason of thus depositing it are to go to the state, there is no shadow of justice in trying to hold any treasurer responsible for its loss, and it cannot be done. The Capital National Bank was good enough to be designated as the state repository, and the bond which it gave was good enough to be approved by the governor. Now let the state take its medicine, as any square business man would do, and let the legislature learn that the responsibility and risk of handling and holding large sums of money is worth something. The state of Nebraska cannot plead the baby act. If the people want such legislation and such laws let them have them, but let it be understood if they drink the liquor they must stand the jim jams.

From the interviews with our grain buyers, lumber dealers and other business men, we find it to be the general opinion that the new freight law will make no perceptible difference in the market value of produce here. It is true that the local rates will be reduced, but it is also true that local business is but a small part of the railroad freight business. At present through rates are considerably lower than the sum of the maximum rates through the various states across which our long hauls are made. As soon as the new law goes into effect there is little doubt but that the roads doing business in Nebraska will do away with the present through rates in all the states through which they pass. The effect will be an advance of freight charges all around. Our lumber, coal and other staples, come from distant states, and the bulk of our produce is shipped beyond Nebraska. Consequently the populist press as a great relief measure, will have but little effect unless perchance, it result only in making matters worse, which appears probable.—Callaway Courier.

Worlds Fair Rates.
 Commencing April 25th and every day thereafter until October 31, 1893, round trip tickets will be sold from Harrison to Chicago and return for \$41.80. Tickets good returning until November 15, 1893.
 E. F. PONTIUS, Agent.

Final Proof Notices.
 All persons having final proof notices in this paper will receive a marked copy of the paper and are requested to examine their notice and if any errors exist report the same to this office at once.

Notice for Publication.
 Land Office at Chadron, Neb., May 3, 1893.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before Conrad Lindeman, Clerk of the District Court at Harrison, Nebraska, on June 20th, 1893, viz:
 Robert Wilson, of Harrison, Neb., who made Homestead Entry No. 222, for the S¹ 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, sec. 22, tp. 31 n. r. 56 w. 6th p. m.
 He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:
 Delana M. Sutton, Fred Betschen, Earnest A. Haselquist, Edgar G. Hough, all of Harrison, Neb.
 W. H. MCCANN, Register.

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 Lewis Rickard, of Bolare, Neb., who made Homestead Entry No. 279 for the N¹ 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, sec. 22, tp. 31 n. r. 55 w. 6th p. m.
 He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:
 William S. Hall, Eli Smith, Henry Zimmerman, Ernest Bunge, all of Bolare, Neb.
 W. H. MCCANN, Register.

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Notice.—Timber Culture.
 U. S. LAND OFFICE,
 CHADRON, NEB.
 April 15th 1893.
 Complaint 206 having been entered at this office by Henry R. Reed against John W. Burrows for failure to comply with law as to Timber Culture Entry No. 628, dated March 11th, 1887, upon the S¹ 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, sec. 22, tp. 31 n. r. 56 w. 6th p. m., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged failure.
 T. F. POWERS, Receiver.

Notice.—Homestead Entry.
 U. S. LAND OFFICE,
 CHADRON, NEB.
 May 2, 1893.
 Complaint 207 having been entered at this office by Perry White against John Kasperger for failure to comply with law as to Homestead Entry No. 562, dated April 29th, 1886, upon the N¹ 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, sec. 22, tp. 31 n. r. 56 w. 6th p. m., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged failure.
 T. F. POWERS, Receiver.
 H. T. CONLEY, contestant's attorney.

Notice.—Timber Culture.
 U. S. LAND OFFICE,
 CHADRON, NEB.
 May 2, 1893.
 Complaint 208 having been entered at this office by Charles H. Unitt against Zachariah Shrop for failure to comply with law as to timber culture entry No. 445, dated Oct. 8th, 1885, upon the southwest quarter, section 7, township 30 north, range 52 west, in Sioux county, Nebraska, with a view to the cancellation of said entry; contestant alleging that the said entryman has wholly abandoned said tract in this town; by neglecting to break, plow or in any way cultivate any portion of said tract since January 1st, 1891, that there are no trees growing on said tract at the present time, and that there has been no trees, tree seeds, or tree cuttings planted on said tract since January 1st, 1891, that the land that had been cultivated on said tract prior to January 1st, 1891, has grown up to grass and weeds so as to form a sod. The said parties are hereby summoned to appear at this office on the 16th day of June, 1893, at 10 o'clock a. m., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged failure.
 T. F. POWERS, Receiver.
 H. T. CONLEY, contestant's attorney.

Notice.—Homestead Entry.
 U. S. LAND OFFICE,
 CHADRON, NEB.
 May 2, 1893.
 Complaint 209 having been entered at this office by William S. Breatery against Joseph H. Montgomery for failure to comply with law as to Homestead Entry No. 378, dated Feb. 21st, 1886, upon the N¹ 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, sec. 22, tp. 31 n. r. 56 w. 6th p. m., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged failure.
 T. F. POWERS, Receiver.
 GEO. WALKER, contestant's atty.

Notice.—Timber Culture.
 U. S. LAND OFFICE,
 CHADRON, NEB.
 May 15, 1893.
 Complaint 210 having been entered at this office by Newman L. Tipton against Walter Reed for failure to comply with law as to timber culture entry No. 519, dated December 4, 1885, upon the N¹ 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, sec. 22, tp. 31 n. r. 56 w. 6th p. m., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged failure.
 T. F. POWERS, Receiver.
 H. T. Conley, Contestant's Atty.

Notice.—Timber Culture.
 U. S. LAND OFFICE,
 CHADRON, NEB.
 May 15, 1893.
 Complaint 223 having been entered at this office by William T. Jones against Millard Nelson for failure to comply with law as to Timber Culture Entry No. 322, dated March 8, 1886, upon the S¹ 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, sec. 22, tp. 31 n. r. 56 w. 6th p. m., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged failure.
 T. F. POWERS, Receiver.
 George Walker, contestant's attorney.

Sheriff's Sale.
 By virtue of an order of sale issued by the clerk of the district court of Sioux county, Nebraska, in a case docketed in said court in favor of Sarah C. D. Bassett and against Franklin Simons, Mary Simons, Sarah E. Davis and D. E. Davis, I will on the 3rd day of June, 1893, at one o'clock, p. m. on said day at the front door of the court house in Harrison, Neb., sell the following described real estate, viz: Lot number 812 (6) in block number 812 in the village of Harrison, Sioux county Nebraska at public sale to the highest bidder for cash to satisfy said order of sale in the sum of One Thousand Seven hundred and 49-100 dollars and interest and costs and accruing costs.
 THOS. BRIDY,
 Sheriff of Sioux county, Neb.

B. F. THOMAS,
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