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WHEAT CROPS SHORT

World's Production of the Last Year Not in Keeping with Demand.

EUROPEAN STOCKS HAVE RUN DOWN

England Especially Short on Breadstuff Supplies at Present.

HEAVY SHIPMENTS ALREADY DISCOUNTED

Stocks Afloat Will Soon Be Taken by Millers and Dealers.

INDIA MUST SOON BUY MORE GRAIN

London Market Authorities Give Their Expert Opinions of the Present Situation Concerning the Whole World.

LONDON, Oct. 31.—It is now generally conceded that wheat will rule at 35 shillings a quarter during the best part of the season, and if the Argentine crop is shipped it will go still higher.

"I consider that the position has become stronger," he went on, "and that the present fluctuations are merely momentary. In the last few days, in fact, the probability of a severe famine in India has increased, and our cables today tend to accentuate that expectation."

Some business was done on the London corn market today. Prices were quoted a cent up from New York, but there were no offers.

"Although I believe the wheat market will be active for the coming winter and spring seasons, still I doubt if prices will reach the average high level generally imagined. I anticipate that 30 shillings a quarter will be the ruling price, although I know a good many authorities in the trade anticipate that the ruling price will be nearer 35 shillings."

"As to the Russian situation I understand that there are large reserve stocks which the holders have kept off the market hitherto, hoping to better their position by selling them at a profit."

"I may add that an authority second to none on the London market, BALLARD SMITH, MIKADO'S THOUSANDTH NIGHT. Notable Event in the History of the Savoy Theatre in London.

LONDON, Oct. 31.—The thousandth performance of the "Mikado" at the Savoy theatre took place tonight. Sir Arthur Sullivan conducted the orchestra in person.

THEY TIRE OF WAITING ON HOME.

Jean de Reeske and His Committee Are Harassed by Deputy Mayor.

LONDON, Oct. 31.—(Special.)—Jean de Reeske sailed from Havre for New York today by the steamship Champane, his agent at Calais telegraphs to the World's London Bureau, but without his bride of two days.

There seems to have been no religious marriage—at least the public is ignorant of any—and the civil ceremony at the mairie of the Seventeenth arrondissement in Paris was of the most informal character.

WHAT ONE SEES WHILE WAITING. While awaiting the arrival of the great singer and his friends it was curious to note the different parties which had all come on the same errand.

It was while all this animation was at its height, one of the ushers having just exclaimed in rather alarmed tones that nine marriages had still to be dispatched, that Jean de Reeske entered the vestibule with the Comtesse de Malilly, his brother, Edouard de Reeske, their witnesses and half a dozen male friends.

While Jean de Reeske and his bride were in the matrimonial bureau their friends remained in the vestibule. After they had rejoined them there was a spell of waiting for at that moment the marriage hall was packed.

There was nothing noteworthy in this particular ceremony, nor was any special address made to the married pair when it came to an end.

SAYS THE FREE SILVER PEOPLE HAVE THE SYMPATHY OF COLONIANS. COLON, Colombia, Oct. 31.—(New York World Cablegram—Special Telegram.)—The Colon Telegram says: "The Central and South American states sympathize with the free silverites."

STANDARD OIL Controls Bay State Gas. BOSTON, Oct. 31.—A special to the Journal from Wilmington, Del., says: "Addicks people in the Bay State Gas company have all resigned, and the Standard Oil company interests, headed by William Rockefeller, William Moore and H. H. Rogers, will control the future policy of the company."

SHOOTS HER HUSBAND BY ACCIDENT. VANDALIA, Ill., Oct. 31.—Near Hagerstown, this county, Edward Armstrong, accompanied by his wife, who is a good marksman, went out to shoot quail.

KNOCKS OUT PROPS

Bryant's Theory Entirely Shattered by the Rise in Price of Wheat.

SILVER WEAK WHEN IT SHOULD BE STRONG

Indications Point to Further Shipments of Gold Whatever Happens.

RISE IN BREAD WORRIES ENGLAND

London Spectator's Comment on Existing Economic Conditions.

INDIA AND IRELAND FACE A FAMINE

Drouth Causes Great Distress in the Northwestern Provinces and Oude and Heavy Rains Make Potatoes Scarce.

LONDON, Oct. 31.—Wheat and currency questions are still attracting general attention here. The Spectator this week publishes an interesting article on the rise in the price of wheat and its bearing upon protection and bimetalism.

But, commenting upon a sanguine prophecy, quoted from Mr. Dewey, Mr. Small says: "Such is the opinion of men who know the west from end to end, and may be trusted to speak with authority on questions which are merely political, and which, after all, seem to have disturbed as yet no very large number of republicans."

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INDIA'S DROUTH SERIOUS. Indian advisers show now that whether rain falls or not there must be keen distress in the northwest provinces and in Oude, and the Indian government must be prepared to succor the population by at least 100,000,000 of relief operations.

While famine is threatened in India through the drouth, the west of Ireland is declared to be face to face with famine, owing to heavy rains, which have caused the failure of the crops, especially potatoes.

HELMONT NOT A HUEY AS YET. Story that He Intended Purchasing Lord Ebury's "Moor Park" Denied. LONDON, Oct. 31.—(New York World Cablegram—Special Telegram.)—A story is printed here today that Oliver H. P. Belmont is negotiating with Lord Ebury for the purchase of the latter's famous seat, Moor Park, just beyond Harrow, near London.

BOOM IN SHIPPING. LONDON, Oct. 31.—The biggest boom in shipping since 1888 is now in progress. Freight rates have everywhere risen abnormally and old vessels are changing hands at large prices.

ENGLISHMEN LOSE THEIR NERVE.

Correspondents of London Papers Cautious in Their Views on Bryan's Election.

LONDON, Oct. 31.—(New York World Cablegram—Special Telegram.)—With surprising unanimity, nearly every American correspondent of the London newspapers, including Mr. Small in the Times, strikes a note of some alarm in mentioning the possibility of Bryan's election.

I doubt whether a perfectly clear and unequivocal answer to that question can be given, or whether, if it assumed that of the important body of republican voters who elect the president, the best that can be said, and also the worst, is that the situation is in doubt.

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"The Duke of Connaught will represent the queen at the marriage of the Duc d'Orleans and the Archduchess Marie Dorothea of Austria, which occurs at Vienna on Thursday, November 5."

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SNOW IN SOUTH DAKOTA. HOWLAND, S. D., Oct. 31.—(Special.)—It rained steadily throughout eastern Dakota all Wednesday night and all day yesterday. Last night the temperature fell slightly and the rain turned to snow.

LEO SNUBS HUMBERT

Pope Ignores the King and Queen of Italy Before Titled Foreigners.

GIVEN NO PLACE AT THEIR SON'S WEDDING

Their Majesties Were Considered to Be "No Part of the Ceremonial."

PRAYER FOR ROYAL HOUSE ALSO OMITTED

Sensational Incident Connected with the Recent Marriage in Rome.

CABBIES STRIKE CAUSES CONFUSION

Countess Cowley's Divorce Suit—Stories About the Boodles Club—American Singer's Contract Cancelled in Madrid.

LONDON, Oct. 31.—Now that the fetes in honor of the marriage of the crown prince of Italy to the Princess Helene of Montenegro are over, the extraordinary behavior of the Roman clergy connected with the ceremony is widely circulated.

It is added that the astonishment of the king and queen of Italy and the anger of the court was increased tenfold when the usual prayer for the royal house was omitted, and it is said that a long time will elapse before the commotion caused by so public an insult in the presence of foreigners subsides.

On December 1 the prince of Wales will be nominated for election as grand master of English Marksmen Masons. This will be the twelfth successive nomination with which he has been honored.

LONDON IS GREATLY INCONVENIENCED BY THE CAB STRIKE. The drivers have started a system of boycotting the railroad stations, which has produced scenes of confusion and exasperation at the different depots.

SIR JOHN MILLAN, late president of the Royal Academy, who died August 13, left a fortune of \$250,000, entailed to the holder of the baronetcy.

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THE BEE BULLETIN.

Weather Forecast for Nebraska—Fair; Warmer; Southerly Winds.

- 1. Expert English Opinions of Wheat. Wheat Knocks Out Bryan's Props. Pope Leo Snubs King Humbert. Hitchcock's Latest Fake Arguments. Omaha Workingmen Hold Arguments. Dr. Miller on the Smelter's Protests. Rousing Rally at Ruess's Park. Final Estimates of the Situation. Great Throughs V. McKinley. Last Week in Our History. Campaign Closing. Nebraska's Fifty Years. Council Bluffs L. Bryan Burns a S. Affairs at South. Great Parade. Amusement Not. What the Music. Echoes from the. "The Puppet." Woman: Her Ways and Her World. Editorial and Comment. Steam Engine Without Pistons. Commercial and Financial News. Marvels Made from Wood Pulp. Nucleus of a Musical Library. In the World of Wheels. Weekly Grief of Sporting Gossip. Capture of the Black King. Determined Effort to Conquer Cholera.

BISMARCK NOT EASILY SCARED.

His Personal Organ Again Talks of that Secret Treaty. (Copyright, 1896, by the Associated Press.) BERLIN, Oct. 31.—Throughout the week all Germany has been agog, awaiting further "indications" upon the part of Prince Bismarck's organ, the Hamburger Nachrichten.

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NAULS ANOTHER LIE

Hitchcock's Latest Fake is Answered by Attorney Carroll.

CHARGES ARE ENTIRELY GROUNDFLESS

Facts Concerning Alleged Coercion of Union Pacific Employees.

JUDGE SANBORN ASKS FOR A STATEMENT

Assistant General Solicitor Furnishes the Information Requested.

ALL EMPLOYEES MAY VOTE AS THEY PLEASE

Santhorn Rebutte to the Bryan Hustlers Who Report that Railroad Men Are Forced into McKinley Banks.

Of all the political roobacks that have been sprung in Omaha at the eleventh hour for the purpose of influencing voters, none have been so base as that which is being circulated regarding the coercion of employees by the management of the Union Pacific system.

"In all other respects Hitchcock's statements are absolutely false. It seems very evident that he is merely attempting to use yourself to bolster up his cause, and your name to frighten Union Pacific men from exercising their political choice."

FACTS IN THE CASE. So far as the story that the Union Pacific is allowing its property to be used for the benefit of the McKinley campaign is concerned, the facts are these: On October 25 a sale order was issued by the Union Pacific to George E. Wilson and W. E. Reid, two employees, for 300 lanterns.

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