

CORN IS STILL KING

Bureau of Statistics Reports Gain of Over Two Per Cent During Month.

GREAT IMPROVEMENT IN NEBRASKA

Condition is 95, Against 87 Last Year and 81 for Ten Years.

CONDITION FOR THE UNITED STATES

Gain of Nearly 1 per Cent for Year and 9 Per Cent for Ten-Year Average.

OATS CROP SMALLER THAN LAST YEAR

Figures Equal Average for Ten Years—Cotton Crop is Off Over Seven Points—Yield of Summer Grains.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 10.—The crop reporting board of the bureau of statistics of the Department of Agriculture finds, from the reports of the correspondents and agents of the bureau, as follows:

The condition of corn on September 10, as compared with 1905 last year, on September 1, 1906, 84, as compared with the corresponding date in 1904 and a ten year average, 81.8.

The following table shows for each of the states having one million acres or upward in corn the condition on September 1, 1906, and September 1, 1905, with the ten year September average:

Table with columns: State, 1906, 1905, Average. Rows include Illinois, Iowa, Kansas, Texas, Missouri, Indiana, Kentucky, Tennessee, Ohio, Alabama, North Carolina, South Carolina, Mississippi, Indian Territory, Oklahoma, Virginia, West Virginia, Minnesota, Wisconsin, Pennsylvania, Louisiana, Michigan, United States.

The average condition of spring wheat when harvested was 83.4. This is the third year that spring wheat has been separately reported upon since 1902.

The condition in the five states is reported as follows: Minnesota, 79; North Dakota, 84; South Dakota, 81; Iowa, 83; and Washington, 78.

Condition of Oat Crop.

The average condition of the oat crop when harvested was 81.8 against 82.8 last year, 80.3 reported September 1, 1906, 85.6 at the corresponding date in 1904 and a ten year average of 81.8.

The following table shows for each of the eleven principal states the condition when harvested, as reported on September 1, 1906, and September 1, 1905, with the ten year average:

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Cotton Crop Conditions.

The crop reporting board of the Bureau of Statistics of the Department of Agriculture finds from the reports of the correspondents and agents of the bureau that the average condition of cotton on August 31, 1906, was 71.3 as compared with 81.9 on July 31, 1906, 71.1 on August 31, 1905, 84.1 on August 31, 1904, and a ten year average of 73.1.

Pay Dirt on Canal Zone

Old French Machinery May Be Worth Million Dollars to United States.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 10.—The sale of 7,200 tons of cast iron junk on the Isthmus of Panama for \$60,000 recently has encouraged the canal commission to believe it has a small fortune in worthless machinery purchased from the French Canal company.

The lot of scrap iron was assembled from a few acres of ground which Chief Engineer Stevens found it necessary to clear in order to construct new switching yards for the Panama railroad.

One of the officials of the canal company said there was thirty miles of ground strewed with similar machinery. He roughly calculated that this machinery is gathered up it will be worth \$1,000,000 or more.

DELRICHS DISINHERITS WIFE

Millionaire Who Dies at Sea Leaves All Property to Brother and Sister.

NEW YORK, Sept. 10.—Herman Delrichs, who died at sea on September 1, left the bulk of his estate to his brother, Charles May Delrichs, and to his sister, Mrs. Lucy Jay. His wife, from whom he is out from any bequest or share, time, made that she "has an ample fortune of her own."

ADAMS HEARING POSTPONED

Colorado Sheriff Who Has Requisition for Boise Prisoner Fails to Arrive.

BOISE, Idaho, Sept. 10.—The preliminary examination of Adams on the murder charge ordered by the Colorado authorities after his release on Saturday under a writ of habeas corpus was postponed until Wednesday next.

The wife of Adams, who has been held in the woman's ward at the state penitentiary since March, though no charge has been made against her, now threatens to bring suit for damages. She charges that her husband has been opened by the warden without warrant of law.

Detective McFarland of Denver, who has taken a leading part in obtaining evidence against the men charged with the murder of former Governor Frank Steienschlager, arrived here today.

GERMAN CATHOLICS MEET

National Society Holding Session in Illinois Thinks Presidents Roosevelt and Cleveland.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Sept. 10.—The annual convention of the German Catholic societies of the United States convened today, Nicholas Gonner of Dubuque, Ia., chairman of the convention of Catholic societies, offered a resolution which was referred to the resolutions committee, denouncing the new naturalization laws of the United States.

A resolution was adopted commending the stand taken by President Roosevelt and President Cleveland against woman's suffrage.

HOO HOOS DOWN TO BUSINESS

Tonight One Hundred Candidates Will Be Initiated at Oklahoma City Meeting.

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., Sept. 10.—A business meeting of the national convention of Hoo Hoo was held here this morning, Supreme Shark R. D. Inman presiding.

The report of the supreme architect and the appointment of committees followed: In the afternoon a reception to visiting women was held.

DEATH RECORD

Funeral of Ben K. King.

WEST POINT, Neb., Sept. 10.—(Special.)—The body of Ben K. King, only son and child of W. K. King, who was killed in the Custer company, a former citizen of West Point, was brought to the city on Friday and was interred in the family vault Saturday.

The Ostran collier today elected the following high priests: P. H. A. D. McAdams, president; J. H. Baird, vice president; J. O. Ostran, secretary; Ostran, William Stevenson, St. Paul; Ra. Ned Darling, Oklahoma City; Is. G. M. Dun-can, Houston, Texas; Shu, J. E. Long, Mexico City; Sed, O. H. Rectanus, Kansas City.

BENEFICIARIES ARE ANXIOUS

Probing of Defunct Trust Company Affairs Attracts Much Attention at Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 10.—The experts who are investigating the affairs of the defunct Real Estate Trust company are examining real estate trust funds in the care of the institution. The trusts aggregate more than \$2,000,000 and there is considerable anxiety by beneficiaries of these funds over their safety.

RED CROSS MAKES APPEAL

Money Needed to Care for Poor Children Suffering from the Earthquake.

NEW YORK, Sept. 10.—The National Red Cross society today made public a telegram received from the national secretary of the interior at Washington, which was read:

FATAL WRECK IN KANSAS

Santa Fe Flyer is Derailed and Kansas City Man is Killed.

TOPEKA, Kan., Sept. 10.—The Colorado Flyer on the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe westbound, was derailed nine miles east of Kinsley, Kan., early today. Ira H. Wood of Kansas City was killed.

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NEBRASKA WEATHER FORECAST

Showers and Cooler Tuesday, Wednesday Fair.

Table with columns: Hour, Temp., Hour, Temp. Rows include 5 a.m., 8 a.m., 11 a.m., 2 p.m., 5 p.m., 8 p.m., 11 p.m.

HEARST'S FRIENDS ASSEMBLE

First State Convention of Independence League Will Be Held in New York.

NEW YORK, Sept. 10.—Delegates to the first state convention of the Independent League, of which W. R. Hearst is president, are arriving today in large numbers. Sixteen hundred delegates have been named to attend and it is said every county in the state will be represented.

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SENATORS PLANNING WORK

Special Committee to Investigate the Five Civilized Tribes of Indians.

VALUATION OF COAL LANDS ONE PROBLEM

Prospective Changes in the Army Occasion of Much Talk—General Bell Steps Aside for Benefit of His Friend.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

WASHINGTON, Sept. 10.—(Special Telegram.)—Senator Clarence D. Clark of Wyoming is in Washington to arrange for placing his daughters in school in this city and incidentally to take up matters with the interior department in relation to a visit of a select committee of the senate to the Indian Territory for investigation of the five civilized tribes.

The committee consists of Senators Clark of Wyoming, Teller, Brandegee, W. A. Clark of Montana, and Long. The committee met in the chamber of the senate in the morning and the bill was read and passed.

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JUDGE LINDSEY FOR GOVERNOR

Originator of Juvenile Court May Be Nominated by Colorado Democrats.

DENVER, Colo., Sept. 10.—The democratic state convention will meet in this city tomorrow to name a full state ticket and two candidates for supreme justice. Former Governor Alva Adams has been endorsed by a number of county conventions for another term as governor, and the Parker wing of the local democracy has also named him as their choice.

County Judge Ben H. Lindsey, who is known nationally as the originator of the juvenile court, recently issued a statement announcing his candidacy for the governorship, but before that time had been proclaiming his choice of Alva Adams as the man whom the democrats should select to lead the ticket.

Judge Lindsey has a strong following among the independent voters, and also is well supported by a certain element in the democratic party. He has been urged to permit his name to go before the convention tomorrow, but tonight the report is in circulation that he will not agree to Adams' nomination will be unanimous. However, Judge Lindsey's friends insist that he shall allow them to nominate him and to this end they are advocating an endorsement of Adams for the United States senate to succeed Senator Patterson, whose term expires in March, 1907.

The Lindsey followers believe that such an endorsement would be more welcome to the former governor than the nomination for governor, and that he would retire from the latter race, leaving a clear field for Lindsey.

Locally there is a split in the party. Mayor Robert W. Speer leading one faction and United States Senator Thomas M. Patterson heading the other. Each faction has chosen a full delegation to the state convention, and the contest for seats will be fought bitterly. The Patterson people charge that the Speer faction, which is the regular organization, but lost caste by reason of alleged subservience to the local public utility corporations, but the Speer people will stand on their claim of being the regular organization of the democracy of the city.

The platform, it is predicted, will deal with the action of the supreme court in its relation to the Adams-Peabody gubernatorial contest two years ago.

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