

Exporters Make Large Contracts For New Wheat

Indications Point to Heavy Foreign Demand During Coming Year; Crop Prospects Improved.

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Chicago, June 6.—The wheat situation presents peculiar features of a most striking character. Exporters are buying old and new wheat in liberal volumes. They are absorbing the old in the southwest as fast as it is offered, at good premiums and making large contracts for the new crop, which will be available in about 30 days. Indications are that the foreign requirements will be liberal throughout the coming year, and that the world's surplus will be wanted.

All leading countries have no great surplus reserve of wheat and importing countries, as well as exporters, are about to pass into the new crop year and begin immediately to consume the new crop. World requirements are expected to be about as large the coming year as those of the past.

Crop conditions, taken the world over, are mostly favorable, but there is to be no great surplus from present indications, which makes traders feel that values will not be extremely low and that a good price level will be maintained.

Crop Prospects Better.
Crop prospects in the United States are slightly better than a week ago as regards winter wheat and are favorable for spring wheat in the American and Canadian northwest. Harvesting has begun in the southwest, and with favorable weather, will proceed rapidly northward.

Private crop reports issued during the last week estimate the crop at 599,000,000 to 610,000,000 bushels of winter wheat, compared with 629,000,000 bushels estimated by the government last month and 576,000,000 bushels last year. Inglis' report was the most sensational of the season, showing loss of 87,000,000 bushels in the six leading southwestern and central states, compared with the government report of May.

Another report, however, showed a loss of 21,000,000 bushels and suggests 17,000,000 bushels more than harvested last year.

Estimates on spring wheat are 250,000,000 to 275,000,000 bushels, against 209,000,000 bushels harvested last year. The total of all wheat is 844,000,000 to 875,000,000 bushels, compared with 787,000,000 bushels harvested last year and a five-year average, from 1915 to 1919, of 831,000,000 bushels.

Report Due June 8.
The government report is due in Chicago on June 8 and is expected to show a loss of 8 to 9 per cent in acreage of spring wheat from last year, or close to 18,000,000 acres, and a lower condition of winter wheat than 88.8 in May.

Farmers are more disposed to sell their old wheat and to contract for new on all bulges. They are getting a good price for their grain and have in mind their experience of last year, with ill advanced holding operations, which lost them \$1 to \$1.50 a bushel. They are selling new wheat freely in the southwest and liberal purchases were made in central Illinois during the last week on the basis of 5/8c over Chicago, July, truck here, for red or hard winter, shipment by July 20.

July wheat has advanced more than 40 cents, it was said, 10 1/2 cents in a little more than 40 days.

Texas District Attorney Who Refused to Quit, Fired
Washington, June 6.—Hugh R. Robertson, United States district attorney for the western district of Texas, has been removed from office by President Harding, it was announced today at the Department of Justice. No reason was assigned for the removal, it was said. Robertson, last week, said he had refused to resign as requested by Attorney General Daugherty.

Gigantic Income Tax Ring Swindle Exposed by Paper

Governor Allen Charges Former Congressman With Conspiracy to Defraud Men With Large Incomes.

Wichita, Kan., June 6.—Governor Allen's paper, the Wichita Beacon Saturday published an exclusive story of graft in connection with collection of income tax and excess profits tax. Governor Allen editorially urges a federal investigation. The conspiracy is known to exist in many places in the middle west and is believed to be nation-wide in its scope.

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Special Train for Omaha Elks to Los Angeles Meet
Nine Pullmans and two diners have been ordered by the Elks to carry the Omaha delegation to the national convention in Los Angeles in July.

To date 140 Elks have applied for places on the special that leaves Omaha at 1 a. m., July 9, according to Otto Nielsen, secretary.

Long stops will be made at Ogden and Salt Lake City. Among the prominent Nebraska Elks to go will be Franklin L. Rain, past grand exalted ruler, and C. A. McCloud of York, member of the grand lodge committee.

Many of the Elks will take their wives, Mr. Nielsen said. The new Elks band also will go on the special train.

unexpected assessment of \$75,000. The government got only \$5,000 eventually.

This is how it happened. The company's holdings were all sold in 1917 in a normal business transaction and disbursed among the stockholders, except \$26,000 which was banked at 4 per cent interest to pay the income tax. The assessment proved to be \$76,000. This caused consternation.

A man approached the former head of the company and said that Mr. X, an attorney was in town from Washington and suggested that the latter had influences and could help, on a basis of 50 per cent commission on whatever reduction he might secure.

The oil man hesitated and proposed that the expert take all he could save of the \$26,000 if he could get the tax reduced from \$75,000 or less than \$26,000. Mr. X demurred but finally went back to Washington and mailed contracts signed by himself on the basis suggested.

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Former Police Officer Gets 10 Days for Vagrancy

Hans Mortenson, former police officer who was arrested a week ago for investigation in connection with the murder of "Wingie" Davis, Omaha taxicab man, near Grand Island, is serving a 10-day jail sentence on a charge of vagrancy.

Chief of Detectives Van Deusen requested Police Judge Foster to put Mortenson away for safe keeping while detectives continue to work on the Davis case. Mortenson has been out of work long enough to sanction the vagrancy charge, according to the chief of sleuths.

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Griswold, Ia., June 6.—(Special.)—Funeral services were held at the Catholic church here for Norbert Wilson, the first member of Company M, 168th infantry to die in France.

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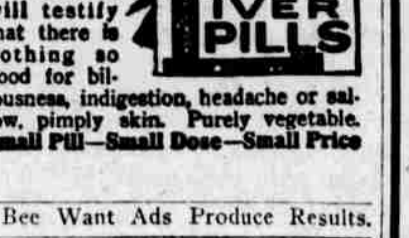
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HELP YOURSELF CLUB SPEEDING UP!

At the close of the first extra vote offer period certain members were in well-advanced positions in the list of standings of members and had excellent starts in their efforts to secure a capital or district award. New members entered and at the close of the second extra vote offer period we note that these newer members have in a great many instances passed the older members. We are simply making this statement as a caution to the older members. These older members did some excellent work during the first few weeks and if they will only "pep up" and go after subscriptions in a business-like way we are sure they will find it will pay them. You, if you are an older member, will know whether or not this applies in your case.

How strange it is that some folks must be hit hard by disaster before they can realize a lost opportunity. Right here in this Help Yourself Club Campaign, with Opportunity staring them in the face and awards worth thousands of dollars each as the goal, many members are trying to pull up the hill under a half head of steam. Other and newer members with a full head of steam are right behind you, and, unless you mend your fires and get down to hard work, you will find the other members will have run around you.

If anybody remarks that they cannot afford The Bee, take a pencil and show them that The Bee, including the big Sunday issue, only costs them about 2 cents a day and ask them if they can afford to be ignorant of the real happenings in the world and their own community for 2 cents a day.

Give your renewal to some present club member, or nominate a new member.

Your renewal will give some member a helping hand in the race.

During the early part of the campaign some of your friends may have given you short time (3 or 6-month) subscriptions, thinking you did not have the "sticking qualities" necessary to win. Now that you can show them that you are out to win, go back at them to double or treble their order. The following inducement is offered. You will note by looking over the list of Vote Values of Subscriptions that the two-year subscription counts proportionately for more votes than for a year and that a six months' subscription counts for more than one for three months.

Now, still looking at the list of vote values in the list offer, you will find that a three-month subscription, costing \$2.55, gave you a credit of 12,000 votes. If you get this subscriber to extend this to a six-month subscription by giving you another three-month subscription you will, for this second subscription of \$2.55, be given a credit for 20,000 votes. In other words, where you get a person who has already given some member a short period subscription to give you a further one it will count for more votes than the original one. This will apply whether you or any other member secured the first subscription.

When the campaign is ended and the awards are given the members who worked hardest, there will be some members who will wish they had not had a wishbone where their backbone should have been.

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50,000 Extra Votes for each \$25.00 in subscriptions and 2,000 Extra Votes for each dollar over \$25.00. This offer is open only from June 6th until June 18th. It is positively the only remaining extra vote offer which will be made.

List of Awards

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1—\$4,440 Cadillac Automobile.
1—\$1,500.00 Conservative B. & L. Deposit.
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