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Special Lunch, 12 till 2

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NEW TELESCOPE FOR ARMY

WAKEFIELD, Mass., Aug. 16.—After years of patient experimenting and improvement, in the course of which his ideas have been at times held up to ridicule, Dana Dudley of this town has just had the satisfaction of having his "pan angle" telescope adopted by the war department of the United States.

WRECK IN SARNIA TUNNEL

SARNIA, Aug. 16.—(Special.)—By the breaking of a coupling in a long freight train which was being hauled out of the Sarnia tunnel, on the American side, this morning, the big tube was blocked completely for nearly 12 hours.

LIABILITY FOR INJURED WORKMEN

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Farm Hands Wouldn't Strike

STOCKHOLM, Aug. 16.—(Special.)—The police today prohibited a great demonstration that had been arranged by the strikers.

DINE AT "ALBERT WILLIAMS"

3-RESTAURANTS-3

THE WEATHER

OBSERVATORY, TORONTO, AUG. 16.

Minimum and maximum temperatures

Lower Lakes and Georgian Bay

Upper St. Lawrence

Amusements

Cleaver Cats at Shea's

The lowly cat in vaudeville is an innovation, but in Sibons' Troupe, which Shea's management has secured for this week, the feline comes to the front rank as an entertainer with a bound.

The program bristles with clever entertainment features, including slacker and acrobatic turns, comedy sketches, and a farce play which hasn't a weak spot. It would be hard to imagine how two men and two women could become so involved in a comedy, socially and otherwise, and concoct so many ludicrous situations as Eva Taylor and her three assistants in "Chums" work off. They are clever and speak that marvelous natural and impulsive way that carry the audience right along with them.

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NORTHCLIFFE'S FLOP

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who have surplus wealth and can be systematically plied. With plausible speakers on the Liberal side to show how equitable it is, and how broad the field is open for socialist reform, it is being an interesting and a popular budget.

Tide Has Turned.

What is the conclusion to which the powerful newspaper to which the tide has turned and Radicalism is floating back into popularity. That is the moral of the articles, and parallel his various journals. A little while ago they were asserting that the budget would be hung up in a constitutional crisis, and now they are confessing over the masses to be behind it and that there must be no more idle talk about its rejection when it reaches the upper chamber. A fortnight ago they denounced the recklessness of cabinet socialism; and already they themselves are reverting to social reforms, such as insurance, old age pensions, and so on.

Twenty thousand acres are under cultivation.

Three thousand acres are idle for renewal of fertility of soil.

Five hundred thousand bushels of grain are being harvested there.

Three hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars will be the value of this year's crop.

Three hundred men are employed there before the City of Buffalo had them.

Wheat, rye, barley, oats and flax are raised here.

Six grain elevators are operated by the farm.

All the foremen of divisions have automobiles.

The farm's motto is "CLEAR LAND AND HIGH CULTIVATION."

The farm now covers a strip of land along the Great Northern Railroad for eight miles, and comprises 36 sections—23,000 acres.

Before the war it was a prairie.

How it is split up into eight divisions, each with its division superintendent, each superintendent with his automobile.

Standing back from a black, loamy soil in a grove is the home of Banzara Farmer Dalrymple. The house is a two-story white frame structure, just like that of any farmer with a 100th of the acreage that Dalrymple has. The trees surrounding the place are young; growing trees. Like all the comforts of the bonanza farmer, these trees came with the second generation.

Farmer Dalrymple to all appearances, tall, erect, he is only 35—he has streaks of premature gray hair which he wears in a neat, patent leather suit.

Wearing a white shirt, patent leather shoes, smoking a cigar of London manufacture, this man, you might say after seeing him, COULDN'T be a farmer. That impression lasted only as long as Farmer Dalrymple didn't begin to talk thru.

Then you know he is a farmer all right. "What has Patten done for the people up here?" he asked him after Dalrymple had discussed the early history of this most remarkable of bonanza farms.

Patten has benefited us rather than worked a detriment. The farmers ought to be thankful to a gold mine. You see, there are so many people who are benefited by the high wheat market now, and so few are losers because of Patten. The losers are far away from here, too."

"How do you go about it to get a wheat out of the ground?"

"Our slogan here on the farm is 'Clear land and a high cultivation raise the maximum crops.' Our only strike for five weeks. Operations on reduced scale were started to-day at the works. With the men brought here to-day it is claimed that nearly 2500 workers are lodged at the plant prepared to take the places of the strikers."

The company has given to its employees until Friday to get their work and it is alleged that if they refuse they, with their families, will be evicted at that time from the company houses.

BYRCE TO MEET LUMBERMEN

But Only After Laurier Had Given Consent.

ST. JOHN, N.B., Aug. 16.—(Special.)—James Bryce, British ambassador to the United States, arrived in the city at midnight. He will address the Canadian Club Tuesday night.

Mr. Bryce declined to be interviewed. He will meet a delegation of lumbermen. As the St. John River Commission is still in session the ambassador will not step in regard to the lumbermen until he had heard Sir Wilfrid Laurier to obtain his consent. Mr. Bryce was met here by the Premier and officials of the Canadian Club. He dines with the premier to-morrow.

An Earthquake Recorded.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 16.—An earthquake of moderate intensity was recorded early to-day by the bureau. Beginning at 2:05 a.m., it continued nearly an hour.

It was estimated that the origin of the disturbance was about 2500 miles distant, either in California or the Pacific coast of Mexico, or in the vicinity of the Azores.

Deadly Heat.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 16.—Two men died of the heat to-day and nine additional deaths from the heat which occurred Saturday and Sunday became known to-day. The government thermometer registered 90 degrees at noon.

WORLD'S GREATEST FARM

20,000 ACRES OF WHEAT

This Year's Crop Valued at \$325,000—Managed by Exact Business Methods.

CASSELLTON, N.D., Aug. 17.—Near this town is the biggest wheat farm in the world, a farm famous three decades ago as the visiting place of President Hayes and his cabinet. Hayes wanted to see the "wild western country," and to talk with old Oliver Dalrymple, a hard-headed Scotchman, and the first "bonanza" farmer. The presidential party was jolted over rough tracks and didn't see nearly all its things. Oliver Dalrymple is dead and his two sons run the farm now, but on the latest scientific principles. John one of the sons, is in actual charge of the farm, he is producing the other, attends to the marketing and from his offices on the Duluth Board of Trade.

These are the big features of this wonderful business plan, which is contrary to the Bible. One delegate objected to the continuation of the debate before women who composed a third of the audience. The women delegates took part in the controversy led by Mrs. Deborah C. Weeks, president of the Philadelphia Society for Purely Womanly Endeavors.

Mrs. R. B. Eastwood of South Dakota advocated the chloroforming of idiots, and this made the delegates laugh.

During the debate, it was announced that Connecticut and California had followed Indiana. The motion to suppress Dr. Sharp's paper was not put to a vote.

REACHING THE FARMER

Difficult to Do it From Platform, Says Putnam.

PORTLAND, Ore., Aug. 16.—Delegates are in this city to attend the convention of the National Association of Farmers' Institute Workers and the American Association of Agricultural Colleges and Experiment Stations.

President Ellsworth in his annual address declared that too many men engaged in the work were farmers. He urged that the work be kept entirely outside of politics.

Prof. G. A. Putnam of Toronto, Ont., created a lively discussion by an address on "Institute Organization." He asserted that farmers' institutes were not reaching the farmer to the extent they should, especially because they were held in towns. He said it was difficult to convince farmers from the platform.

MAN WHO KICKED A CAT SUEVED BY COOK FOR \$100,000.

NEW YORK, Aug. 16.—Ernest W. Smelle, the New York manager of a glove manufacturing firm, has been sued for \$100,000 by Emily Jones, his cook, because, it is charged, he kicked her through a window.

Coal Output of Pennsylvania.

The total production of coal in Pennsylvania in 1908, as reported by the United States Geological Survey, was 206,448,381 short tons, having a spot value of \$276,995,152. This included 74,347,102 long tons (equivalent to 82,268,754 short tons) of anthracite, with a spot value of \$118,178,849, and 132,091,279 short tons of bituminous, with a spot value of \$158,816,303.

The aggregate production of both kinds in 1908 showed a decrease of 25 kinds in 1908, or 14.97 per cent, in the quantity and of \$42,252,930, or 12.24 per cent, in the value from that of 1907.

The decrease in the production of bituminous coal in Pennsylvania from 1907 to 1908 was 22,963,850 short tons, or 21.95 per cent in quantity and \$38,847,728, or 22.67 per cent, in value.

The number of men employed in the coal mines of Pennsylvania in 1908 showed an increase of 9606 over 1907, the number reported in 1908 being 349,135. Of this number 174,174 were in the anthracite mines, against 162,234 in 1907, and the bituminous mine workers increased from 152,253 to 185,961.

The daily average per man in 1908 was 2.13 long tons (2.39 short tons), of anthracite and 3.51 short tons of bituminous coal. In 1907 the average production per man was 2.08 long tons (2.33 short tons) of anthracite and 3.61 short tons of bituminous coal.

M. R. Campbell of the United States Geological Survey has made the amount of coal originally in the anthracite fields of Pennsylvania at 21,000,000,000 short tons and in the bituminous fields at 112,574,000,000 short tons.

Universal Peace Union.

MYSTIC, Conn., Aug. 16.—Gathered for the purpose of promoting peace for the world over, the delegates to the 43rd annual convention of the Universal Peace Union formally organized this morning for the three days' session at the Peace Temple in the Grove. The delegates were met by President Alfred H. Love of Philadelphia, Palmer G. Whipple, president of the Connecticut branch, and others. At the afternoon session the report of the year's work was made by the president.

An address on "Educational Peace" was delivered by Dr. Jesse Holmes of Swarthmore College, in the course of which he reviewed his work among the colleges of peace.

Italian Counterfeiter Arrested.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 16.—With the arrest of Giuseppe Specca of New York, secret service operatives believe they have unearthened a counterfeiting plot of an unusual kind. Specca is believed to be in league with a band of counterfeiter who have their plant in Italy, manufacturing spurious American silver certificates.

Wonderful Shooting.

CAMP PERRY, Ohio, Aug. 16.—The marksmen of the United States marine corps thrashed the camp to-day in the Cagrow Match and one of them, Sergeant J. H. Hingle of New York, broke the world's record for seven shots at 800, 900 and 1000 yards. Hingle made a perfect score at each range.

800,000,000 BUSHELS

AMERICA'S WHEAT CROP

Export to Europe Has Fallen Off Because of Good Supply From Russia.

NEW YORK, Aug. 16.—The Herald's weekly review of the grain situation says: Low prices for the season thus far were made last week in the wheat market of America, under the influence of the government crop report, indicating much larger crops than had previously been estimated. This influence was fairly favorable weather for harvesting, very optimistic reports on the Canadian crop and a decided lack of foreign interest in export wheat. At the close of the week prices rallied 2c to 2 1/2c, on rains delaying harvest in the Northwest and strength of cash wheat.

The government report of a winter wheat was so favorable that a little doubt was expressed of the actual output reaching the government figures owing to the comparatively small area in the interior of the crop in the eastern sections. The government figures on the winter wheat crop point to a total output only about 5,000,000 bushels less than the government figures for last year, but apparently 20,000,000 bushels more than was actually harvested last year, judging by the distribution and the carry over.

The report on spring wheat showed but slight deterioration and the total estimated crop was placed at 725,000,000 bushels spring and winter. Trade figures in the Northwest are even more optimistic than the government's report regarding the crop in the three Northwestern states and estimates have been in circulation as high as 60,000,000 bushels for the three states. The government report indicated 23,000,000 bushels. Either figure will be considerably breaking crop. Some damage is admitted from various hills, which wheat is held to since July 3, particularly from too much rain, also conservative opinion does not apparently admit that the crop has been serious excepting in limited localities.

A government report from Canada was given out on Tuesday pointing to a possible crop in all Canada of 1,150,000,000 bushels. Such figures are considerably in excess of the trade opinions. If, however, the crop as estimated is obtained, it will give a total output for North America of just under 900,000,000 bushels, far exceeding any previous crop. The carry over of old wheat in the United States and Canada is not far from 50,000,000 bushels, giving a gross supply for the year of approximately 950,000,000 bushels maximum. The total requirements, American and Canadian, may be conservatively estimated at 525,000,000 bushels for food and seed, which would leave 325,000,000 for export and carry over the coming year.

Even if the crop actually harvested are 50,000,000 bushels less than these minimum figures, it will still leave a gross supply of 900,000,000 bushels, and with a carry over next year raised to 75,000,000 bushels, the export of 115,000,000 bushels would be easily 200,000,000 bushels. Europe apparently is impressed with the size of the American crop and is burdened at present with heavy offerings of new Russian wheat. The weather conditions have also been favorable for the maturing and gathering of the new crop in western Europe, and the new wheat is coming on the market in competition with fairly liberal arrivals of old wheat shipped from other countries and also in competition with the pressing offerings of old against the export demand for wheat in America, and the volume of business has been very limited. Usually at this season of the year a very large amount of wheat is coming on the market to go out. This season the amount seems to be comparatively small.

INDICT UNNAMED MAN

Grand Larceny Charged Against Young New York Broker.

NEW YORK, Aug. 16.—Two indictments for grand larceny were returned by the grand jury to-day against Donald L. Persch, the note broker, who is now under \$50,000 bail in the Tombs prison, under charges in connection with the sale of collars in deposit with H. Joyce, a broker, for a loan negotiated thru the Windsor Trust Co. A co-defendant with Persch was named in the indictment, but his name was not made public.

Persch will be arraigned before Judge Mulqueen in the court of general sessions to-morrow. His counsel will make a fight for a reduction of the \$50,000 bail.

The grand jury will continue its investigation of the case to-morrow. The name of the man indicted with Persch to-day, who the co-defendant in question is a man whose name has not been previously mentioned in connection with the case.

LOSE BIG CONTRACTS

A Serious Situation for the Dominion Coal Company.

SYDNEY, N.S., Aug. 16.—(Special.)—A serious situation for the Dominion Coal Co. brought about by the strike at their collieries, has now, it is said, to be faced. It is this: The big buyers at Montreal are beginning to put it up to Mr. Ross, as to what he is going to do about the strike trouble.