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We have annually the electrical industry. The of any importance. The All-

At 12.30 p.m. there was good business in spots. Prices were easier. Middlings at 5.23d. Sales 10,000 bales, including 12,500 American.

CRUDE RUBBER UNCHANGED.

New York, June 22.—There was no material change in the crude rubber situation yesterday, so far as the market was concerned.

SPICE MARKET MORE ACTIVE.

New York, June 22.—The spice market was more active yesterday, mail inquiries being received in a somewhat larger volume.

NAVAL STORES MARKET

New York, June 22.—The opinion of the trade as expressed in the local market, seemed to be that the strength in turpentine had about spent itself and that it appeared to be top-heavy at present.

N. Y. CURB OPENED STRONG.

New York, June 22.—The curb market opened strong. The market for the various commodities was active.

RIO COFFEE MARKET.

New York, June 22.—Rio coffee market off 7/8. Stock 285,000 bags against 205,000 year ago.

JUTE IS QUIET.

New York, June 22.—Jute remains quiet and unchanged on the local market. Mail advices from India state that transactions have been of limited volume.

TEA CONTINUES FIRM.

New York, June 22.—Tea continues firm on the local market. There is a scarcity of offerings of Indian-Ceylons.

CASH WHEAT IRREGULAR.

Liverpool, June 22.—Cash wheat irregular unchanged to 5 off. No. 1 northern spring 10s 7d. No. 2 hard winter 11s. No. 2 soft winter 10s 4d. Rosafé 11s.

PHILADELPHIA OPENED STEADY.

Philadelphia, June 22.—Market opened steady. Flour 6 1/2 cent. The price of wheat is \$1.56, 45¢ and the price of the revenue of the year was a success.

BONDS.

Trading 980 bonds of the city of Paris, and at the

REPORT ON MANITOBA'S CROP IS SATISFACTORY

Area Devoted to Fodder Corn in the Province Increased by 22,000 Acres

FARM HELP REQUIRED

Farmers Require 36,018 Men to Help With Farm Work and Even More Will Be Wanted For Harvesting.

Winnipeg, Man., June 22.—The Manitoba Department of Agriculture has just issued its ninety-first crop bulletin, which will be read with keen interest throughout not only Manitoba but the entire country.

A fairly full synopsis of the report follows:— Seeding and Crop Prospects. Following an exceptionally fine winter, our spring opened earlier than usual.

A few farmers risked sowing oats in April, but the greater portion of that grain was sown during the first two weeks of May; after which barley sowing became general.

As the harvest of 1914 was an early one, and the autumn exceptionally favorable, an unusually large area of land had been plowed and harrowed.

Our reports show that the area devoted to grasses and other fodder crops has again greatly increased; this is particularly true in the case of fodder corn, rye grass and bromo.

THE HIDE MARKET

New York, June 22.—The market for common dry hides lacked new features yesterday. According to brokers the inquiry from tanners continued light.

Area Under Grain.

Table with columns: Grains, 1913 Acres, 1914 Acres. Rows include Spring wheat, Fall wheat, All wheat, Oats, Barley, Flax, Rye, Peas.

Potatoes and Roots.

Table with columns: Potatoes, Roots. Rows include Potatoes, Roots.

Fodder Crops.

Table with columns: Fodder Crops. Rows include Rye grass, Brome grass, Timothy, Clover, Alfalfa, Fodder corn.

Farm Help.

Table with columns: District, Employed, Required, Employed, Required. Rows include N. W., N. C., S. C., Eastern.

Livestock.

Table with columns: Livestock. Rows include Beef cattle, Milch cows, Horses, Pigs, Sheep.

Summary of Cattle.

Table with columns: Cows, Calves, Heifers, Steers, Bulls. Rows include Cows, Calves, Heifers, Steers, Bulls.

Dairying.

Everything considered, dairying can be said to be in a healthy condition in the province at the present time, and we feel fully justified in expressing the hope for a satisfactory year for the dairying industry as regard output, quantity of products and prices.



DR. MILTON L. HERSEY, Who is one of the Promoters of a new hydraulic company which is to develop powers in Quebec and Three Rivers.

DRUG AND CHEMICAL MARKET GAINED INCREASED STRENGTH

New York, June 22.—There was a continued upward movement of prices for drugs and chemicals during the past week. Supplies of many articles continued meagre and some speculation was again in evidence.

Imports of opium raised the quotations for drug-grade quality gum 25 cents per pound at a time when the demand was at a minimum owing to the Federal and State restrictions on sales.

Lanolin (or lanum) was advanced sharply and first hands only offered in a small way. An advance of 2 cents per pound respectively was announced by manufacturers of antimony, powdered needle and antimony white oxide.

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SPOT WHEAT UNCHANGED.

Paris, June 22.—Spot wheat unchanged, spot 1.55 1/2.

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COTTON ACREAGE LOSS PLACED AT 10 PER CENT

Tendency to Decrease Area in This Respect not so Radical as Expected

LESS FERTILIZER USED

Conditions Generally Above the Average—Cultivation Has Received All Needed Attention—Crop Ahead of Last Year.

According to the special estimate by the Financial and Commercial Chronicle, the cotton acreage of the United States this season shows a reduction of 10.88 per cent. The conclusions of the report are briefly as follows:—

Acreeage: The tendency to decrease the area devoted to cotton is very clearly defined this season, but has not been as radical as, under existing conditions, early indications pointed to.

In the real cotton belt of the country decreases are the rule, ranging from 3 per cent. in Florida to 18 per cent. in Oklahoma, with the result of the spring's planting, according to our analysis of the information at hand, an average net loss in area of 10.88 per cent.

States. Acreeage. —Est'd for 1915— 1914. Decr'ase. Acres, 1915. Virginia 42,796 15% 36,377

Table with columns: States, Acreeage, Est'd for 1915, 1914, Decr'ase, Acres, 1915. Rows include Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Florida, Alabama, Louisiana, Texas, Arkansas, Tennessee, Oklahoma, Missouri, California, etc.

Total 39,477,567 10.86 35,190,493

This compilation shows that there is a net decrease compared with 1914 of 10.86 per cent., the total acreage reaching 35,190,493 acres in 1915, against 39,477,567 acres in 1914.

Table with columns: 1914-15, 1913-14, 1912-13, 1911-12. Rows include Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Florida, Alabama, Mississippi, Louisiana, Texas, Arkansas, Tennessee, Oklahoma, Missouri, etc.

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PROGRESS MADE AT PORCUPINE IMPERIAL WITH GOOD RESULTS

Toronto, Ont., June 22.—H. B. Wells, in his weekly circular says: Drifting operations on the 100-foot level at Porcupine Imperial are making splendid headway, as during the past week over 25 feet of the main vein has been broken into from the old workings.

Those in charge of operations are so highly pleased with results recorded, it has been decided to do several hundred feet of diamond drilling, horizontal and perpendicular, without delay.

BOSTON OPENED DULL.

Boston, June 22.—Stock market opened dull and firm. U. S. Smelting 46

THE HOP MARKET

New York, June 22.—Renewed activity is reported from California, as well as from Oregon, and in the latter section at a high range of prices.

Later advices reported an additional low sales Sacramento at 8 cents, 1,400 bales, 1915, at 10 cents on contract and 300 Sonoma at 11 cents.

States, 1914—Prime to choice, 11 to 13; medium to prime, 10 to 11. 1913—Nominal. Old olds 5 to 6.

Inc. in produc. 5.35% x11.93% 52.24% Product, p. acre, lbs. 186 186 209

(1) In maturity the crop at this writing (June 17) is a little ahead of last year, but hardly as well advanced as in any average season.

(2) Cultivation has received all needed attention. At times crops have become grassy as a result of rainy weather work has been actively prosecuted and at this writing the fields in the belt as a whole are well cleared of foreign vegetation.

(3) Condition of the plant is now encouraging as a rule, and above the average of recent years. The Agricultural Department reported the average condition in the whole belt on May 25 as 80, against 74.5 on the same date in 1914, and a ten-year mean of 79.5.

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