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Chicago Market Report and New York Cotton Market.

St. John, N. B., Sept. 11th, 1908.

Thurs. Pri.

Cit. Op. No. 1000.

Amalgamated Copper .. 77 1/2 77 3/4

Anaconda .. 133 133 133

Am Sugar Refs .. 47 1/2 47 1/2

Am S and Rfg .. 95 95 95

Am C P X D 14 po .. 40 40 40

Am Woolen .. 23 23 23

Am Locomotive .. 89 89 89

Brook Imp Test .. 54 54 54

Balt and Ohio .. 100 100 100

Ches and Ohio .. 43 43 43

Canadian Pacific .. 174 174 174

Chi and G West .. 6 6 6

Colo P and Iron .. 36 36 36

Consolidated Gas .. 15 15 15

Eric .. 26 26 26

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Illinois Central .. 144 144 144

Kan and Texas .. 23 23 23

Gen North pd .. 109 109 109

Louis and Nash .. 109 109 109

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Missouri Pacific .. 124 124 124

Nic and Western .. 75 75 75

N Y Central .. 107 107 107

North West .. 143 143 143

Out and Western .. 42 42 42

Pacific Mail .. 27 27 27

Sec C and Gas Co .. 97 97 97

Reading .. 109 109 109

Republic Steel .. 23 23 23

Pennsylvania .. 124 124 124

Rock Island .. 124 124 124

St. Paul .. 124 124 124

Southern Ry .. 23 23 23

Southern Ry pd .. 109 109 109

Southern Union .. 60 60 60

Northern Pacific .. 143 143 143

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Texas Pacific .. 23 23 23

U S Steel pd .. 48 48 48

U S Steel .. 119 119 119

Wabash .. 12 12 12

Wabash pd .. 27 27 27

Western Union .. 60 60 60

Total sales in New York, yesterday, 1,021,255 shares.

CHICAGO MARKET REPORT.

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Sept corn .. 80 80 80

Oct corn .. 79 79 79

Oct pork .. 14 14 14

HIGH POWER AUTOMOBILES

OFF ON SPEED TEST RACE

NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—Thirteen high power automobiles driven by men who have participated in many thrilling tests of speed will start on a twenty-four speed and endurance race at the Brighton Beach race course tonight.

The track is in a most perfect condition today and new records for the event are looked for unless unfavorable weather develops. Nearly all the drivers have taken part in the big long distance road events in this country and Europe.

"HARD BOILED" FACTS.

In a hen's egg only one-fifth of the substance is nutritious, one-ninth part is refuse, and the remainder, the greater portion, is water.

White-shelled eggs are not quite as good as yellow ones, for they contain a trifle more water and a little less fat.

But your purveyor knows this, and from quantity counts his white eggs with coffee.

Judged by the amount of nutriment, a rooster's egg is the most valuable. Next in order are ducks, guinea-fowls, hens, turkeys, and plovers. Eggs contain a large quantity of albumin, which is purgative to the blood, and good for the complexion.

To get the best eggs you must feed your fowl on grain; and to cook it to boil the water. Heat the water to 180 and leave the egg in it for ten minutes. You will then digest every drop. But if you boil it for three minutes, no less than one-twelfth of it will fail to be digested. Thus, if you eat two eggs boiled for three minutes every day, you waste five cents in a year.

TREES AND LIGHTNING.

There is a popular belief that certain trees are less likely than others to be struck by lightning and that during a thunderstorm it is quite safe to stand under a beech, for example, while the danger under a redwood tree or an oak is respectively fifteen or twenty times greater. This is disputed by Dr. A. W. Borthwick in "Notes of the Royal Botanical Garden of Edinburgh." The doctor says that no tree is immune, since lightning will select one species quite as readily as another, and the beech quite as frequently as any other species. Apparently the taller trees in a neighborhood are the ones most likely to be struck. Contrary to what is believed by some people, the cells are not "ruptured" by the electric current, as might happen if the heating by the electric current was very great. The cells collapse and shrink up, but are never torn. The root system does not seem to be ever damaged by lightning.

THE AGE OF THE HUMAN RACE.

The highest authorities place the total number of years elapsed since, in the light of the best geological evidences, men first appeared upon the earth at 288,000. Of this 75,000 belongs to the preglacial epoch, 100,000 years to the glacial, 44,000 years to the interval between the glacial epoch and the prehistoric and neolithic, 10,000 years to the last named epochs, and 6,000 years to the time elapsed since the beginning of the historic period in Egypt.

HEAVY EARRINGS.

The wearing of earrings was so general in Rome and the Jews were so heavy that there were professionals known as ear healers, who tended the ears of ladies who had torn or injured the lobes with the weight of the pendants.

DENMARK'S AXE.

Capital punishment in Denmark is executed publicly with the axe. If any are to be decapitated on the same date, one is not present while another is executed.

RIFLEMEN SHOOTING

FOR A \$4,000 TROPHY

Dryden Match at Seagirt One of the Most Important of the Great Tournaments.

SEAGIRT, Sept. 11.—The Dryden match for a \$4,000 trophy, presented by John F. Dryden, former United States senator, was the principal event on today's program of the great shooting tournament. To the military riflemen this contest is second in importance only to the National match, and it is the most important event of the Seagirt shoot. Governor Ford and Ex-Senator Dryden were in the large gallery of spectators who watched the shooting in this match, again the riflemen were favored with a perfect day.

The members fired ten shots each at 200, 300, and 1,000 yards. In addition to the trophy the winning team receives \$100.

HER HUSBAND'S HAIR DOES NOT MATCH THE PALE, SAD GREEN IN PARLOR

NEW YORK, Sept. 10.—A cable despatch to The Herald from Paris says that a woman who has been married for many years and who is now a widow, has been found guilty of adultery and sentenced to prison for three months.

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KAISER'S OWN OPERA

Critics Call Sardanapalus "Dreary, Dull, Stupid"

BERLIN, Sept. 10.—If plain speaking about theatrical performances constituted less majestic under the Prussian eagle the dramatic critics' fraternity in Berlin would be well started on the road to jail. There have rarely been franker references to the Kaiser than are contained in the reviews of his "Sardanapalus." Historical pantomime which was put on at the Royal Opera this week.

"Dreary," "dull," "insipid," "intolerable bore," "a dramatic Jena," "brilliant misconception," are only a few of the terms applied to the production to which the Kaiser pinned such fond hopes of starting not only the natives, but the entire Assyriological world, the greatest authorities in which had been invited to Tuesday's premiere. The Kaiser's version of "Sardanapalus" was prepared with a wholly extraordinary expenditure of time and money. His Majesty put his private purse completely at the disposal of Frod. Bollitzsch, Germany's celebrated Babylonian scholar, in order to produce the pantomime upon a scale of historical veridicality and Oriental splendor rivaling in every detail the actual environment in ancient Nineveh. Countless expeditions and Babylonian ruins were undertaken by German explorers, who hunted for days and nights to locate the exact traces of the ruins which would assist in making the performance exhaust faithfully the atmosphere of 605 B. C.

It was just this zeal for painful accuracy, however, that wrecked the pantomime as a dramatic production in the opinion of the Kaiser's honest critics. They declare that the production, curiously and explores have effectively edited all the imaginative quality out of "Sardanapalus" as pictured by Byron, and manufactured in its place a coldly scientific series of pictures.

AN EXTINGUISHED LANGUAGE

Relics of a Tongue Which Has Disappeared

LONDON, Sept. 10.—The discovery of an extinct Christian language is reported by the Berlin correspondent of The Morning Post, who telegraphs:—A number of manuscripts which were found by the German Eastern Turkistan expedition three years ago at a place called Turfan, and which greatly puzzled the leaders of the expedition, Heren Grunwald and Le Qoo, have been deciphered by the philologist, Heren Sig and Siegling, and placed beyond all doubt among the Indo-European languages.

This mystery, however, remains how these manuscripts, many of which contain portions of the New Testament, came to be found in Turfan and for what reason.

The most probable explanation is that they are the work of Persian Nestorian missionaries who penetrated into Central Asia in the early centuries of the Christian era.

Another remarkable fact is that, although the language of these writings is a mixture of Persian and Sanskrit, it is not the language in which they were written but totally disappeared.

Some curious affinities are pointed out by Heren Sig and Siegling. In this language, which they call "Tscheng," the word for "father" is "pater," for "mother," "matr," for "wind," "vander," for "ox," "ok," for "man," "man," for "fire," "fuer," (Greek "pur").

Equally remarkable is the similarity of Tscheng numerals to those of the languages derived from Sanskrit. "Three" is "tri," "five" is "pan," "twenty" is "vint" (Latin "viginti"), etc.

UNEMPLOYED APPEAR BEFORE BLOSSOM COUNCIL

GLASGOW, Sept. 10.—A remarkable scene was witnessed this afternoon at the house of the city council. Crowds of the unemployed gathered in George Square before the council convened and a delegation of twelve was admitted to the meeting. The councillors received the delegation by rising from their seats. The spokesman of the unemployed said that never before had there been such distress in Glasgow. "Every human unit," said this man, is entitled to food. We make no outrageous request, we are only here to plead for the souls of the men and women. They demand work.

The chancellor replied with deep emotion. He said the council had received the delegation in a spirit of brotherhood, and that it would do all in its power to help those who needed work.

Large bodies of troops were held in reserve this afternoon in anticipation of rioting and attacks on property. The men, however, have decided to refrain from demonstrating for one week in order to give the council an opportunity to adopt measures for the improvement of the situation.

The police arrested a Socialist, who incited a man to resist arrest.

QABFETED.

Booming and booming like thunder, up from the shores of the sea; Down from the peaks of the mountains, speeches and speeches there be; Son of Ohio in action; pride of Nebraska unfurled; Jacks and pachyderm rampant over the gabfested world; Up from the banks of the Wabash, down from the tall evergreen bloom, Out from the wood nutmeg forests, rhetoric gesture and boom; Heaving of words on split sardrums, militant verbosity, Ossa on Pelion lifted—blest is a people so free.

INNOVIGANT.

Just because a married man does the things he wife wants him to do is no sign that he is stuck at the job.

PEEK-A-BOO BY PHONE

New York Woman's Chaso After Demented Husband

CHICAGO, Sept. 10.—Mrs. F. D. S. Bethune, wife of the young attorney who disappeared from New York a fortnight ago, expects to meet her husband at Buffalo tonight, according to the detective agency which has been searching for the missing lawyer.

Mrs. Bethune, who had been in Chicago since the disappearance of her husband, was called to the telephone last night, and it is said the well-known voice of her husband informed her that he was at Buffalo and feeling well. This is the third message of the kind to have been received by Mrs. Bethune, as her husband on Saturday had talked with her twice over the telephone from Cincinnati.

"Mr. Bethune was mentally deranged from overwork," said a detective familiar with the case. "He left his home and travelled through Canada and some of the smaller towns of the United States. Whenever he came to his brain became less dense he called up his wife and talked with her, but he always disappeared before she could lay hands on him. He seemed to regain a glimmering of reason, only to lose it again."

MANY FOREST FIRES

IN THE MAINE WOODS

KINNO, Me., Sept. 10.—A number of small forest fires have broken out in the region west of Moosehead Lake. The largest conflagration is reported in the vicinity of Afton Pond, and a crew of 100 men have been rushed there to fight the blaze. Many people camping out near Little Brasas Lake have been compelled to break camp and return here on account of the proximity of a fire there. A small fire is burning in the vicinity of Afton Pond, and a heavy rain within the next few days the numerous scattered fires may unite and cause widespread damage.

WILL PROMOTE PRACTICE OF THE GOLDEN RULE

TORONTO, Sept. 11.—The Presbyterian General Assembly Board of the Moral and Social Reform meeting in Toronto today decided to aggressively push the policy on temperance as adopted by the General Assembly, which includes local vote abolition and suppression of shops, and closing of saloons and the power of retaining shops temporarily, providing the element of private gain is not involved.

Cordial sympathy was expressed with just as the policy effort to improve the life and labor and promoting hearty co-operation in the prevention of labor in mines, shops and factories, and of employment of adults for under 16 hours or more than six days a week and under insubstantial and hurtful conditions, such as are associated with the sweatshops.

Arrangements were made to have the ministers do all in their power with employers and employees towards promoting the practice of the Golden Rule in industrial life, and gratification was expressed over the fact that the conference has been able to secure the board urged should be still more widely instituted.

VETERANS LAND RIGHTS

Major H. B. Blair, of Halifax, sends the following to the Star:

Major H. B. Blair has received further news concerning the value of land selection rights to be granted to South African volunteers. The price has been ascertained as yet. Many men have already lost their rights to get the land for less than \$100. On the other hand, several contracts have been made for delivery of rights of 500 acres and it is probable that \$100 would be a fair price.

Major Blair's informant advises the veterans should not be in a hurry to dispose of their claims. There are numerous speculators looking for these claims at low prices and selling them means a lower price to others who do not sell.

None of the men here who have been secured have received information of such an outrageous nature. In Ontario the rights are selling—often in the larger cities—at from \$10 to \$100. If the veterans were able to go west and settle on the land they would, no doubt, reap large profits in a few years, but at such a distance it is found difficult to do very much. Others, many of them, have been received from parcels in the west who may they will give in the vicinity of three hundred dollars, but when accepted of such offers are made the western men quickly declare they were mistaken in their interpretation of the act and do not feel like giving more than half the original offer.

ABD-EL-AZIZ GIVES UP

AGADEBANCA, Sept. 10.—Abd-El-Aziz, the former Sultan of Morocco, who has been banished by his brother, Mulai Hafid, has written a letter to M. Tugli, one of his leaders, thanking him for his support but saying that he had decided to abandon the struggle.

M. Tugli replied that he would never submit to Mulai Hafid and it is believed that he intends to enter the field against the new ruler of the empire.

PARIS, Sept. 11.—A special despatch from Tangier says that Chief Mougt won a great victory over the Rif forces near Morocco city Sept. 3-5.

BROAD STAIRS ENG., Sept. 11.—The British steamer Lake Michigan, from Montreal, Aug. 28, with passengers for London, which stranded yesterday at the mouth of the St. Lawrence, was stuck at the mouth of the St. Lawrence.

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GOVERNMENT NOTICES

His Honor the Lieutenant Governor has been pleased to accept the following resignations:

Of Basil J. Johnson as commissioner of the Parish of Saint Louis Civil Court in the County of Kent.

Of Charles M. Oakley as commissioner of the Parish of Canning Civil Court, in the County of Queens.

Of Robert Scribner as a revisor for the Parish of Petersville in the County of Queens.

Of J. G. McElman as chairman of and member of the local board of health for the County of York.

His Honor the Lieutenant Governor has been pleased to make the following appointments:

In the County of Gloucester:—George Gilbert, barrister, to be judge of probate, pro hac vice in reference to the estate of Helen Davidson, deceased, in place of James P. Byrne, resigned.

Edward L. O'Brien to be a vendor of probate stamps at Bathurst in the place of John R. O'Brien, deceased.

In the County of Redoubt:—Robert Dawson, of Maple Green, to be a justice of the peace.

John B. Christopher of Campbellton, to be an issuer of marriage licenses.

In the County of Westmorland:—William A. Russell, barrister, to be a referee in equity.

J. Fenwick Taylor, to be superintendent of highways for highway division No. 12, Parish of Boisdale.

John F. Teed, M. D., to be a vendor of liquor under the C. T. A. at Dorchester, in the place of Geo. M. Palmer, removed from the parish.

In the County of Queens:—William Cooper, of Gagetown, and Mayes Case, of Wickham, to be coroners.