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THE WORLD'S WHEAT.

That persistent reports of shortages New Zealand and Chili are first to reap course, only approximate. The actual their crops; then follow India, Mexico and other countries in the same latitude; next come China, Japan, Algeria, Central Asia, Morocco and Texas; then Southern Europe and Southern States; then Roumania, Germany, France, Australia, and the Northern States; then South Africa and Peru, and finally Argentina and countries similarly situated. This continuity of supply, coupled with the vastly improved

1 car.	
1891	2,432,322,000
1892	2,481,805,000
	2,562,913,000
1893	
1894	
1895	
1896	2,506,320,000
1897	2,236,268,000
	2.948,246,000
1898	2,783,885,000
1899	
1900	
1901	2,955,975,00
1902	3,126,624,00
1903	
	3,170,723,90
1904	
1905	
1006	3,407,400,00

crease being extremely rare, as will be

seen from the following table of the

world's production:

At the present time Russia leads the

wheat, in bushels, in the United States had at time of the Civil War.

and cum		
Year.	United States.	Canada.
1890	490,560,000	27,551,816
1900	547,303,846	53,701,000
1901	522,229,505	91,424,000
1902	748,460,218	100 051,000
1903	670,063,008	84,583,000
1904	637,821,895	74,834,000
1905	552,399,517	113,022,00
1906	692,979,489	120,000,00
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tion has not increased proportionately. and the consequence is that Canada's exports of wheat and wheat flour are rapidly gaining on those of the United States. The following comparative wheat, the domestic product of each

Year	United States.	Canada.
1880	180,304,180	7,541,164
	109,430,467	940,219
	186,096,073	20,365,393
	215,990,073	14,867,133
1902	234,772,515	31,098,000
	202,905,598	38,888,006
	120,727,613	24,055,528
1905		20,646,920 47,293,403

A careful estimate places the amount of the wheat crop of the United States exported in 1880 at 40.18 per cent; 22.31 per cent in 1890; 34 per cent in 1900; 18.92 per cent in 1904; 7.99 per cent in 1905, and 14.09 per cent in 1906, showing that, with the exception of last year, there has een a steady decline, and indicating that the neighboring republic must soon cease to be a wheat exporting country. Canada's production, on the other hand, is steadily growing, and will continue to increase for many years, while her exports are increasing at a corresponding ratio. Last year ducts amounted to 39.41 per cent of the production. The ratio retained for home consumption of course varies much between good and bad crop years.

A far greater percentage of United

while last year it dropped to 14.58 per with the fitness of things. The parish decent. Twenty-five years ago very lit-rives its name from Sir William Trolawny. tle of the wheat exported by the United States was ground before shipping; to day nearly all of it is. The explanation of the small percentage of Canadian to handle the vast crops, but the indications are, with new mills starting up in all directions, and the industry offering such a splendid field for invest- caddy for you at the Country Club?" met of capital, each year will see less and less of our wheat sent abroad to be

the United States in 1906. With aid- stairs to his daughters: mirable precision it puts the figures for the continental union at 83,941,510. population of the continental United States last year was probably nearer 88,000,000 than 84,000,000.

of New York 4,113,043. These figures are not very far from the mark, for in this case there was a state census in the preceding year to build on. There is a similar advantage in the case of inhabitants in 1906, the population by 595,380. Chicago is put down at 2,049,185, 595,380. Chicago is put down at 2,049,185, they did long ago. The change is in the Philadelphia, at 1,441,735, and Baltimore man himself, but he thinks it is in the each and three with over one million. ends by returning to the nest from which St. Louis protests that she has over 700,000 inhabitants instead of the 649,-320 the census oracles concede to her. Kansas City shrieks that she has 225,-000 instead of 182,376, and Seattle tearfully accuses the Washington mathematicians of ciphering her down to To these complaints the director of the census bureau humorously responds dividual cases the computations of the

The census bureau allows Pennsylworld in the production and exporta- vania 6,928,575 inhabitants in 1906, Illtion of wheat, and the Argentine Re- inois 5,418,670, and Ohio 4,448,677. These public, on account of its small home estimates certainly do not err on the consumption, is likely to hold second side of exaggeration, so that it may be place as an exporter. Owing to the said with confidence that one member rapidly increasing home consumption, of the American union has at the prethe United States is falling back as sent moment over eight million inhabitants, another over seven, and a third The following table prepared by the over five. Four states have now United States bureau of statistics population of over twenty-five millions shows the comparative production of which is more than the whole north

> The city of Toronto is to spend several million dollars upon beautifying its waterfront. In this city we find it less trouble to make a dump of the break-

This showing is most satisfactory the English-speaking world. There his oareer by antagonizing his friends. Rather he seeks to strengthen

ly that Methodists this side of the Atbe left to secular agencies, or conducted upon non-denominational lines.

POLLY-SYLLABLES. [Judge.] Mrs. Caller—Can your parrot talk? Mrs. Homer—Only in polly-syllables. NEVER HAD EXPERIENCE. [Houston (Tex.) Post.]

"Yes, and they're all bachelors." THE HOURLY HINT. [Detroit Free Press.] Jessie-Why do you keep this hourgi Sne Oh I start it going who

Starlate calls. It gives me a draw attention to the time every hour. GRASPING AN OPPORTUNITY.

[Chicago Tribune.] Talkative Boarder-There's one thing cer-

that the \$2 bill I lent you five years ago

[Pick-Me-Up.]

if you are acquainted with the nature and significance of an oath." The boy, raising his brows in

DRESSED FOR THE CONCERT. [New York Tribune.]

Heinrich Conreid was talking about

of wadding in each ear and I'm all

MORE DIPLOMACY.

[Chicago News.] se photographs." protested "Naturally," rejoined the wise 'Your face is anything but plain." And she went away satisfied.

THE FATAL COMPLICATION.

[Exchange.]

LONGING FOR COUNTRY LIFE.

they advance in life, to get back to the and when they do there is often disap-pointment and things do not appear as back to the old country place to end one's days is very general. Sir Walter Scott refers to it and compares the course of country in the world that possesses man through the world to that of the hare a long chase and making a large circle,

> LOOKED THAT WAY TO HIM. [Chicago Tribune.]

"Miriam," said her mother, "have you ever given young Mr. Stapleford any reason to believe you cared for him enough

"He seems to think so," answered the daughter. "because I told him the other costly flowers, and ought to begin to save

[Meggendorfer Blatter.] "Hello, old man! Haven't seen anything

akers charge!" "So, I suppose you regret it?"

[Le Rire.] "Did you ever make a mistake, doctor?" "Yes, once. I was called in by a patient I only learned the following day that he was rich enough to have appendicitis.'

[Ottawa Journal.]

Canadian commercial agent in land suggests that there is a market for Canadian peaches there. There is one particular brand of "peaches" in Canada which should never be allowed to leave

A SENSIBLE VIEW.

[Toronto News.] There is nothing of hostility to Britain in the idea of Cana an nationalism or Canadian national spirit. Neither is there The death of Theodora Tilton re- anything that conflicts with the best and calls the cause celebre which shook truest imperialism. A young man does not commer e his career by antagonizing are now few who do not believe that old friendships and to cultivate new ones. Tilton was rashly and cruelly mis- Even if there were no ties of commerce and self-interest, we are bound by ties of taken, and there is scarcely a scar on sentiment, fine as silk yet strong as steel. the memory of Henry Ward Beecher. Yet will we shape our own destinies and pick and choose from the nations those Mr. Perks, M. P., the noted British strands of policy which seem to suit us, or if necessary we will be the authors of our Methodist layman, is coming to the own. And it should be said that Canadian United States and Canada to promote sentiment toward Britain does not rest an employment and banking scheme on the event of a shilling duty on wheat.

We would no more dictate Britain's domeswhose benefits are to be limited to the policy than we would submit to have members of his church. It is not like- Britain dictate ours. We are getting too big to be petulant because the motherland is not yet eye to eye with us in fiscal matlantic will give him much support. ters, and we are confident that we will Secular enterprises of that sort should prosper whether or no. And yet, more and more we look to the old land for inspiration and example in social and mora reform, in the higher planes of unselfish citizenship, and more and more we value that heritage of independent speech and spirit and of sober and sturdy temper which enables us to face the future with faith and unafraid.

> THE ORIGINAL "CALENDAR." [London Chronicle.]

To the modern world a "calendar" is Year's Day and consulted in dating letters throughout the year. It has not such dar" of their time was the money lender's first day of each month. That is why Seneca speaks of "calendar" as a word invented outside the course of nature on account of human greed. It is a word

MODERN FORESTRY.

PROPER MATERIAL

[Chicago News.]

Is Utilized for Every Comfort.

London, May 25.—In a builder's yard in Fulham stands the quaintest little home in London, a carayan resplendent with brass and mahogany fittings. During the winter months this snug little home has been occupied by a roung warried couple.

said W. Barron, the proud owner of this house on wheels, "because my wife thinks it is time we settled down, and for that reason I am thinking of selling it. But I shall be sorry to part with our little home, for in spite of its small dimensions, we have been very happy in it."

Mr. Barron believes that his caravan, which is built on Pullman car lines, is the

t with mirrors in the walls and ceiling, and many ingenious devices for saving side door, so that the owner can attach a portable kitchen or a tent to one end. Every inch of space is utilized, and it is really remarkable how many things are to be found in the long, narrow sittingroom and the tiny bedroom. There is a smart little range, which, Mrs. Barron says, cooks splendidly. The coal cellar is a large, deep drawer, which pulls out from underneath the range, and holds at least half a hundredweight. On one side of the chimney-piece, which is furnished with a

nents, is an airing cupboard.
Cupboards are indeed to be found in the nost unexpected places. Cne one side of he end entrance door is a hanging coset for Mrs. Barron's dresses; on the other s'de he china closet with a "wine cellar" up and reveal spacious recesses. The flap of the table folds inward instead of down, and becomes a chest of drawers. In the bedroom, which is about 8 by 8 feet, the bed occupies most of the space, but there

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Secondly, the despised tailthe much-vaunted the best game they have put up this things looked better-but for a minute

At the sound of the gong the Perrins

loined second, and scored on a two- panward. sack hit by "Chink" Ward. Captain 'Wanny" made the initial station on a fluke, and Ward went up a notch. down to third. Sir Edward pinched the Perrinites' staff.

Sippi Wanted To Quit. After the first half of the fifth "Doc" Sippi decided he had enough and proceeded to call his uncouth warriors out of the rain, amidst jeers, cat-calls and roasts from the shivering fans, who apparently were all rooting for the

hitherto unfortunate Perrin nine. Waniess begged Sippi to continue, but the latter only shook his head. Apparently the "skyscrapers" were going to flunk and the crowd renewed its shouts of disapproval. Sympathy was all with the Perrins' crew at this point, and everybody appeared afraid that although having virtually won the contest they were going to lose out on a petty technicality.

Eventually, however, after an eigheen minutes' rest, the whitewashing was renewed in a drizzling rain which chilled both players and spectators to

The Rockets, who had two pitchers ccupying outer-garden positions, could io nothing with the speedy Clark, while Davis proceeded to become as wild as chorus of March hares. Especially was he subject to poor eye-sight when faced by a southpaw batsman. Little times, by acting as receiver-general for his twists, and Wanless performed a series of acrobatic turns and twists par excellence in trying to avoid being punctured each time he came to

More Bingles and Runs.

The beginning of the sixth session found the hungry "Bakers" again piling up bingles and runs. Seltzer received a bender between the third and fourth ribs, and went down, later stealing second and third. Wagner drew a pass and stole second. Brother Perkins got away with a bingle and Seltzer and "Wag" drove in, Perkins go ing to third on a wild throw at the plate to catch Wagner. Ward laced the ball for a sack and Perkins scored on the hit. The "Chink" stole second and third, but got no farther.

In the last half of that round Davis

got the merry ha ha from the crowd, when he hit safely, reached first, and turned and made a dive for the sack. Wanless, who had walked several feet away from the bag, with the ball in his hand, saw him coming, however, and nailed him by a hair.

Stein's Great Play.

Eddie Stein pulled off a clever stunt in the next session, but he carried it too far-by a base. Two strikes had been called on the husky back-stop, when Davis took an ascension and ent one in roof-high over Mines' head. Stein, seeing in the incident a chance of salvation, made a bluff attempt to reach the flying pellet, which he could not have touched with "Jimmie" Bell's famous "Long Betsy," and plodded down to first. So far so good; but the and part of it all has now to be told. Ambition constitutes a large portion of Stein's makeup, and he figured that

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ifax and fancy tweeds,

sizes 8 to 12 years, at\$4 50 Tweed Suits, sizes 12 to 15 years.... \$4 25

Light Homespuns, Hal-

ted, fancy tweed and light Our Boys' Knickers have double seats and

for the next stop-off-and was without trouble. In the last half of the seventh the Sippi crew got busy for a moment, and 18; Sharling, Guelph, 18; Boles, Strat-Event No. 5-Mahler, Ailsa Craig, 19;

It all happened after two men were lassoed a lone point, then rested for a down. Gibson took a ride, and Waud singled. Then the pair pulled off a double steal, and Sir Thomas Hyttennarrow, rode to first on an error, par- ranch, he of the tiny cognomen, strode

When Silence Reigned.

All was absolute silence in the Sippi BASEBALL. dugout. Even the patter, patter of th rambled up to the pan and smote the raindrops as they fell from the grandball gardenward for a sack, driving stand eaves down "Doc" Sippl's neck games of baseball of the season was University junior eight-oared crew af-Ward over the plate, Waniess going could be heard distinctly in the most played here between the Stars and the forded the sensation of the fifth annual second, and the pair drove home on the agony was painful. The awful dis- in favor of the Stars. Spectators were ciation here today by first winning a single by Tozer, a recent addition to grace of a whitewash, and a run so

near! Think of it! "S-t-r-i-k-e w-a-n!" bawled the umpire in a monotone, and the tribe of Sippi shivered in their sweaters. "B-a-1-1 w-a-n!" was next heard.

"S-t-r-i-k-e t-u-h!" howled Reid, and the Rockets looked glum. A moment's suspense-and blng!the ball was going gardenward at an Thompson, third base; Bloomfield, left earlier in the day beat Harvard and station at first, had stuck out his

trusty pair of pins, and the stuff was

Rain Stopped Play. At this stage the rain came down in earnest and another contest had been entered in the city league's baseball

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THE GUN. AUBURN EVENS UP. Goderich, May 25. - At the Huron

The following is the average score per man on the different teams: Wingham, 543010; Blythe, 491010; Auburn, 5102; Goderich- Township, 53108; Goderich,

THE STRATFORD SHOOT. Stratford, May 26. - The shoot a Battershall Park was a highly success ful affair, many crack shooters being present from different parts of the Eight events of 20 targets each were shot and the prize-winners were as

follows: Event No. 1-Spalding, Guelph, oGver, London, 19; Thorold, Stratford, rd, 17; Day, London, 17; Packham,

Event No. 4-Thompson, Harriston,

Boles, Stratford, 19; Packham, Bramp-Event No. 6-Herning, Hamilton, 19 Bissett, London, 18. Event No. 7-Silver trophy, Herning,

Hamilton, 20. Event No. 8-Meyers, Stratford, 17 Beck, Brampton, 17; Savage, Stratford.

Denfield, May 25. — One of the fastest

first base; Cunningham, second base; field; Phillips, shortstop. Umpire, Mr.

Gillies, London. Scorer, James Rus-BRANTFORD LEAGUE GAMES.

was canceled on account of rain. TWIN CITY LEAGUE GAME. Berlin, May 25. - The Scotch Grays were defeated by the Alerts here this Toronto. afternoon in a City League baseball match by a score of 6 to 3. The score:

R. H. E. Cayuga, May 25. - At a meeting of baseball delegates the following sched-New York Athletic Club; second, ule of games was adopted for the Hal-

dimand County League for 1907: June 20-Hagersville at Cayuga. June 20 Jarvis at Caledonia. June 27-Cayuga at Hagersville. June 27-Caledonia at Jarvis. July 4-Hagersville at Caledonia.

July 4-Jarvis at Cayuga. July 11-Caledonia at Hagersville. July 11-Cayuga at Jarvis. July 18-Hagersville at Jarvis. July 18—Caledonia at Cayuga.

July 25-Jarvis at Hagersville. July 25—Cayuga at Caledonia. This schedule is doubled, the seaso nding Sept. 5. HOME TEAM TOOK BOTH.

here, the home team winning both. The morning batteries were: Graysteads, Time, 7:55 4-5. Siddeal and Barnes; Mount Brydges, County Rifle League shoot on the 24th Murray, Fisher and Ike Gibson. The phia B. C.; deadheat for second beat Auburn, the cup was awarded to afternoon batteries were: Mount tween University B. C. and the Undine walk toward the bench. At this point the Auburn league team, although the Brydges, Roy Fisher and Gibson: B. C., Philadelphia. Time 7:22. the umpire cried "safe" and Davis average of the Goderich team was Graysteads, Robinson, Barnes and greater, being 509, counting the aver- Barnes. Umpire, Jack Lamont. The West Philadelphia B. C.; second, Wilgames attracted large crowds and were ages shot for a missing man on the keenly contested.

> TRAVERS DEFENDS TITLE. New York, May, 25. - Jerome D. Travers, the young golfer from Montclair, N. J., defended his title of Pennsylvania; fourth, Georgetown. metropolitan champion, which he won Time, 7:36. a year ago, by defeating Findlay S. Douglas, a former national champion, by 6 up and 7 to play.

GOLF.

KILTIES PLAY AT BARRACKS. F Company of the Forty-eighth following scores: Highlanders started in to play an exhibition game of soccer football with Dr. Banghart50

OF YALE JUNIORS

Furnished Sensation at the Annual Regatta of American Rowing Assn

remote portion of the stend. Verily, Rickets, ending in a score of 21 to 19 regatta of the American Rowing Assopresent from Hensall, Clandeboye, Cen- the races for second eight-oared shells, tralia, Ilderton, Ailsa Craig and Lon- and then defeating the fresh and supdon. The line-up was as follows: Stars posedly strong Cornell juniors. This -Noyes, pitcher; Siddal, catcher; Case, was one of the closest races of the first base; Rasser, second base; Lang, day for the Ithacans lost by only half third base: Marsh, left field; Tedder, a length. Yale's time for the course, 1 right field; Matthews, center field; Lit- mile and 550 yards, was 6 minutes, 36 tle, shortstop. Rockets - Hodgins, seconds, or two seconds slower than pitcher; Cunningham, catcher; Walls, the record for the course made by the Cornell juniors two years ago. Yale

field; Walls, right field; Rasser, center Pennsylvania freshmen by four lengths. The New York clubs carried off the greatest number of first places. The New York Athletic Club was first in the race for first eights, second single Brantford, May 25. - The Veritys de- sculls and first doubles. The Metroeated the Pratt-Litchworth nine in the politan Rowing Club defeated the Brantford City League this afternoon Bachelor Barge Club and the Univerby a score of 5 to 3. The other game sity of Pennsylvania, and in so doing made a new record of 6 minutes, 35 1-5 seconds for this event, beating the record of 6:38 held by the Argonauts of

The weather was cold, but a crow of 5.000 saw the races.

Summaries: First pair-oared shells - Won by 9 Metropolitan Rowing Club, of New HALDIMAND LEAGUE SCHEDULE. York; second, University Barge Club, Philadelphia. Time, 8:26 2-5. First eight-oared race-Won by

> Bachelor B. C., Philadelphia; third, University of Pennsylvania 'Varsity Time. 6:351/4. Second single sculls-Won by Duran do Miller, New York A. C.; second, C. B. Hayward, Nassau B. C.; third, Joseph Daly, Potomac B. C., Washington.

Time. 8:28. Second eight-oared shells-Won by Yale second crew; second, Harvard freshmen; third, University of Pennsylvania freshmen. Time, 6:54 4-5. Octopes, or eight-oared shells-Won by Vesper B. C., Philadelphia; second,

Franklin A. C. Time, 6:46 4-5. Interscholastic eight-oared race-Mount Brydges, May 25. - The Won by Central H. S., Philadelphia; Graysteads, of Lucan, and the Mount second, Georgetown P. S.; third, Cen-Brydges team played two games of ball tral Manuel, Philadelphia. Time, 7:85. First double sculls-Won by New score in the morning game was 6 to 5, York A. C. second, Pennsylvania B. and in the afternoon 13 to 6. The C.; third, West Philadelphia B. C.

First four sculls-Won by Philadel-First single sculls-Won by liams, Philadelphia B. C. Time, 8:33. First four-oared shells-Won by Bachelor B. C., Philadelphia: second

Staten Island B. C. Time, 7:311/2. Junior collegiate eight-oared race Won by Yale; second. Cornell; third,

THE GUN.

DORCHESTER SHOOT. Dorchester, May 25. — The local devotees of the gun celebrated a shoot on the holiday, in which they made the