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UNITED STATES.

A Budget of News from Over the Border.

Secretary Folger on Saturday decided that flower seeds are not dutiable. The estimated reduction of the debt of the United States for October is ten and a half millions.

There was much excitement in Camden, Pa., over five cases of smallpox. It is feared the disease will spread.

The Commissioner of Pensions estimates that \$40,000,000 will be required for the payment of pensions the next fiscal year.

It is reported that Hamilton District of Philadelphia, has sold 4,000,000 acres of Florida land to an English syndicate at \$1.25 per acre.

A society has been organized in Des Moines, Ia., to help discharged convicts to obtain honorable employment and to prevent crime.

Notwithstanding the reduction in the letter postage, the receipts of the Washington postoffice last week were \$1,095 greater than the month last October.

Weld, \$50,000 each. On September 27th, 1883, the British consulate by discharging several barrels of a revolver, was recently sent to prison.

The people of the city and vicinity are greatly alarmed by the report that a fire had broken out on the railroad track.

A special meeting of directors of the London Junction railway was held at London on Monday.

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FOREIGN INTELLIGENCE

General Gleanings from Distant Lands.

Louis Kosuth, the Hungarian patriot, is dying in Turin.

Brigands have captured the Duke of Castellamar at Trapani, Sicily, and demand a large ransom.

Germany has offered her mediation to settle the difficulty existing between Russia and Bulgaria.

The Portuguese Government has issued a circular insisting upon its rights in the Congo territory.

The resignation of the Spanish Minister to France has been accepted.

King Alfonso is suffering from a slight attack of rheumatic fever.

The self-confessed assassin hired by Nikitich to murder Bismarck is considered to be a subterfuge.

Four thousand troops have been sent to Bulgaria to quell the disorders there.

Albanians residing in Upper Albania, Macedonia, and Epirus have sent a petition to the powers.

A Belgrade despatch says that the peasants at Chirka Beka are making violent demonstrations.

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GREAT BRITAIN.

Items of Interest from the United Kingdom.

Lord Northbrook has been elected Member of Parliament.

The municipal elections took place throughout the Kingdom on Thursday.

The Home Government is urged to secure the arrest and extradition of O'Connell.

The Duke and Duchess of Connaught left London last week for Dover, en route to India.

The Marquis of Salisbury at Reading recently criticized sharply the Government.

Cholera is alleged to have broken out at Pekin.

Masani, in Arabia, is besieged by the brother of its present ruler.

The Marquis of Lorne and the Princess Louise are expected to visit the Fenian Brotherhood.

It is stated that had Morris Ranger, the Liverpool cotton king, not succeeded, he would now have had to import cotton.

Mr. Sexton, M.P., spoke at Glasgow on Monday on "Castle Rye in Ireland."

Chamberlain, President of the Board of Trade, will next session introduce a measure making secession in the law of marine insurance.

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AFRICA.

It is reported that a Russian army has a complete state of anarchy prevailing in Afghanistan.

M. de Brazza, Stanley's rival in Africa, is reported to have been killed in a fight in the Congo country.

The French admiral at Madagascar has opened preliminary negotiations with the rebels.

A Paris despatch says an early settlement of the difficulties in Madagascar is expected.

It is reported the Prime Minister of Madagascar and the envoys who recently visited Europe and America have been strategized.

The forces of the Fatah in the Sudan have been defeated and dispersed by Hicks Pasha.

The French Government has ordered the admiral on the West coast of Africa to annex the islands in the southern parts as far as the Congo river.

A battle in the Sudan.

A Khartoum despatch says—Arabs to the number of 30,000 attacked Hicks Pasha's army.

Two thousand Arabs divided into two columns attacked the Egyptian square on two sides.

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Advertisement for contractors, mentioning services and contact information.

DOMINION NEWS.

A Record of the Week's Events in Canada.

ONTARIO.

The Episcopians of Ridgeway will erect a church at a cost of \$2,000.

Wm. Currie, of Montserrat, shipped 11,620 dozen eggs to New York last week.

The petition against the return of Mr. Crighton for North Grey is to be withdrawn.

The proprietor of the Gananoque Reporter has been notified that a fortune awaits him in England.

The 19th inst. is fixed for nomination day in Lennox, and the election will take place on the 26th.

An Australian gentleman will start a beet sugar manufactory in the neighbourhood of Guelph.

The 10th inst. has been fixed as nomination day in West Huron, the election to take place on the 17th.

The Centre street Baptist church, St. Thomas, receives a legacy of \$500 from the late Robert Armstrong.

The factories and mills of the West will be brought forward by the Government at the next session of Parliament.

The members of the Dominion Cabinet have received portraits of the Princess Louise with her autograph attached.

The statement that threatening letters had been received by His Excellency the Governor-General without foundation.

Nearly 2,000 tons of hay have been shipped from the North-West by the season by J. F. Wood & Co. and James King.

Mr. David Mills urged the Reformers to vote for the Conservative Government.

Dr. Wylie, of Stayner, was on Friday nominated for the North-West.

Several rocks have been discovered in the Georgian Bay not marked in the charts, and it is thought they may be removed by dynamite.

The sugar factory at Essex Centre will not do an extensive business this year, owing to many acres of cane having been destroyed by the frost.

Mr. J. C. Becher, Q.C., of London has offered the Synod of Huron his fine residence for a See house, for the new Bishop of Huron, until May next.

The Parkhill creamery is getting 30 cents per pound for its butter, while Parkhill shopkeepers pay 18 cents per pound for their butter.

The Salvation Army has been refused permission to occupy a hall in London South because they refuse to stop beating drums and tambourines.

John Whitfield, of Ancaster, owns a copper coin of one of the Constantines.

An invoice is a portrait of the Emperor, on the reverse side is a portrait of the Emperor's mother.

The contract for building the new depot for the Canada Southern at Niagara has been awarded to Messrs. J. H. H. & Co. of St. Thomas. His bid was \$10,400.

At Merriton the other day, an old stock gambler belonging to an old Irish woman, was seized by some boys, painted a bright red colour, with oil paint.

The Severn brewery at Belleville, which has been in operation for many years, is to be sold to a company composed of London, Ottawa, and Montreal capitalists.

Twenty oxen were turned loose on Hovey's island in Ontario. For some time they were wanted there as wild as buffaloes, and a big hunt is proposed.

Six weeks ago a woman died upon Wolfe Island opposite Kingston, and her body, fearing her grave would be robbed, built a tent over it and has slept on it ever since.

The windows of the Catholic church in Midland have been pelted with stones lately, inflicting considerable damage, as some of them were valuable memorial windows.

A Kingston and Pembroke train ran over a tree which had fallen across the track about three miles from Farham, Tuesday, and was not thrown off the track by the shock.

Dolly Martin, coloured, of Hamilton, was taken to the Mercer Hotel, Toronto, for twelve months on Monday for throwing boiling taffy over her employer, Hiram Simon.

James Armstrong, the hero of the great Grimby "Bideniph" sensation, reports that everything is quiet in his locality now, and that the outrages against him have ceased.

A young son of Esq. W. Krieger, living one mile south of Esq. Wallace, a marble ball was thrown at his head, and he was struck, and a doctor had to be called to remove it.

The Dominion Government have been requested by the United States authorities to furnish further information in relation to the operation of the Postal Savings Bank system in Canada.

On Friday last a small deer wandered into Essex Centre, and an exciting chase took place after it. It weighed seventy pounds and had horns about five inches in length.

The Court of Appeal will sit on the 13th of November, and will hear the following election appeals:—South Victoria, East Northumberland, Lennox, West York, and Muskoka.

John Carroll, aged 65, a hotelkeeper in the township of Tecumseh, near Alliston, who was summoned to attend court at Orangeville on Monday as a witness in the Cardwell election trial, dropped dead as he entered the court-house gate.

The Minister of Agriculture will probably take a steamer to Canada represented in the International forestry congress to be held next year at Edinburgh.

Several colonial Governments have already signified their intention to attend the congress.

Yes, there has been a fall in prices. In West Middlesex Mr. Ross' committee was asked to pay as high as \$20 for a vote, but in February it was only \$15.

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The Ontario and Simcoe counties, writes on Friday in advocacy of a proposal that the Government should undertake the proposed scheme to lower the water of Lake Simcoe, and remove the obstructions in the outlets placed there by mill owners.

Mr. Fraser announced that the request would receive the most serious consideration of the Government.

The other day Mr. Wm. Fray, under-taker of Hamilton, left his three-year-old daughter Edith in a light covered buggy, to which was attached a span of horses usually used for the carriage.

The horses started off in a sore madly through the city, but little Edith showed wonderful coolness, clutching the back of the seat tightly, and as they were turning a sharp corner, she was thrown, and the child was picked up only slightly bruised.

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the manufacture of iron fence posts, invented and patented by him. He says General Manager E. W. Horn, of the C.P.R., proposes them first class for pricing fence.

Mr. Hill, late station-master on the Grand Trunk, who mysteriously disappeared from a hotel in Prescott, Ont., says he has been visiting on West.

It is feared that he has been robbed and murdered by some of the roughs around the city.

A Caldon mother and daughter are both in love with a hotel-keeper with whom the mother is engaged, and the other day they pulled each other's hair and pommelled one another unmercifully.

After which the mother took a dose of laudanum that put her to sleep for 24 hours.

The directors of the county of Oxford Fat Stock Club met in Woodstock on Saturday.

The chairman of the meeting, Mr. J. D. Andrews, has already received the medal; Joseph Wallace, aged 15 years, who reared two lambs from a ewe on the farm, also received the medal.

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The case will probably be argued next week.

On Friday the Mayor of Toronto received a copy of the annual report of the Royal Humane Society of England, in which the names of the donors are mentioned as follows:—John Hickey, who rescued a lady from drowning at Evansville, Ont., on the 28th of August, 1887, for which the Society's testimonial was presented; Capt. W. D. Andrews, who rescued John Paty from drowning at Wiman's Island at Toronto, on the 25th of September, 1887, for which he was granted a testimonial; Capt. Andrews having already received the medal; Joseph Wallace, aged 15 years, who reared two lambs from a ewe on the farm, also received the medal.

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the purpose of swading the Customs officials the Americans resort to the practice of altering their heads and their manes, and in other ways to avoid their undervaluation.

A study of the numbers which resort to this practice, how determined, and how persistent the Americans are in their efforts to themselves, wherever circumstances are favourable, it is necessary that they should get clear of their surplus stock by scattering it through Canada.

Cardwell Election Trial. ORANGEVILLE, Nov. 5.—The trial of the Cardwell election petition commenced at the Court-house here at 11 o'clock to-day before their Lordships Chancellor Boyd and Mr. Justice Cameron. The petitioner is John Wilson Walker, of the township of Caledon, farmer, and the respondent is William Henry Hamill, M.P.

The following named appeared for the petitioner:—S. S. Blake, J. A. Proctor, and Wm. Johnston, all of Toronto, and for the respondent, R. B. Oiler, Q.C. of Toronto, and A. McCarthy, of Barrie. The defendant, for whom the petition claims the seat, is Dr. Robinson, of Barrie. The majority at the election was forty.

As soon as the judge had taken their seats, Mr. Blake, for the petitioner, moved to take issue on the facts of the case, and to have delivered to the respondent under section 50 of the Controverted Elections Act. Section 50 provides that, on the trial of a petition, the respondent may be required to furnish two sureties of \$50 each that she will keep the peace for a year, or in default of that she will be retained in prison for the time specified in the order.

About a month ago proceedings were instituted to quash convictions made at Welland against one Berriman and eleven others, for the offence of being on the banks of the Welland canal on Sunday, contrary to the provisions of the Sabbath Observance Act.

The case was argued before the Ontario Court of Appeal on Monday, and it is expected that the convictions will be quashed.

Mr. G. E. Sabre, of Kingston, Ont., who has just returned from Providence, R.I., reports that the market is glutted with hay of very poor quality.

There were 167 car-loads in that city when he left. He says that there is a glut of hay in the market, and that it is thought they may be removed by dynamite.

The Cabinet met in council from 2.30 to 7 o'clock on Tuesday. The chief subject was the proposed amalgamation of the Government and the Dominion Railway Company.

Mr. Mackenzie Bowden, Mr. Mackenzie, Mr. Mackenzie, and Mr. Mackenzie were present.

Mr. James Young is said to have resigned his position in the Ontario Cabinet on Tuesday.

It is a curious fact that Mr. Crooks retained his office and went abroad because he did not feel well, while Mr. Young retained his portfolio as long as he hoped for the same reason.

There were wheels in the air.

The annual memorial window has been placed in the Episcopal church in St. James, in memory of Miss Beattie Morley and Miss Hattie Arkell, drowned in the lake.

The window was designed by Mr. Morgan, of R. Lewis' establishment, London, and was erected by friends of the deceased in London, Port Stanley, and Westminister.

Mr. Bethune, Q.C., on Friday, made an order nisi to quash a by-law of the town of Orangeville providing for the collection of a tax on the property of the town.

The ground of the objection was that the by-law was in violation of the yearly assessment having been made and the collection of taxes commencing.

The motion in this point will be fully argued this week.

In the number of post-offices established in Ontario ranks fourth, being only exceeded by the United States, Great Britain, and Germany, the latter having 11,088, while Canada has nearly 7,000.

France ranks fifth with 6,000, and the United States has one post-office to every 1,200 of the population, while Canada has one to every 600 of her population.

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instead, \$7,250 pre-emption, and \$11,680 sold-a total for the year of 680,000 acres. The transactions of the present year are expected to be larger.

George A. Laughlin, recently from Montreal, died in Calgary from the effects of a stroke of apoplexy, at the age of 67 years. He leaves a widow and two of a family.

Killed While Drunk. ST. JEAN PORT JOLI, Que., Nov. 5.—On Saturday three men from St. Aubert started on a spree, and when on their way home one of them named Henri Choquet, who was a little intoxicated, and was left on the public road by his companions. Yesterday he was found dead on the floor of a lodge which stands on the shore of the St. Lawrence.

A Veteran Railroadier Killed. PETERBORO, Nov. 6.—This afternoon Mr. Nutter Gray, employed on the Ontario and Quebec railway here, was killed. He was standing on the platform when he fell from the car, and received such injuries that he died two or three hours later. Deceased was perhaps the oldest railway employe in the province, and was known everywhere for his industry and his very popular as "Nuts Gray." He was 39 years of age, and leaves a wife and three children living in Fort Hope.

Accidentally Killed. PETERBORO, Nov. 5.—Saturday night Arthur Tomkinson was accidentally shot by William Phillips, in Canada, yesterday. Phillips was out for a walk, and he and Tomkinson were together. Phillips drew and fired his revolver, and Tomkinson was killed. There was no doctor in the vicinity, and a man had to be despatched to the city to get a doctor. Tomkinson died yesterday, having previously declared that the shooting was accidental. Phillips is in jail.

Drowned Near Midland. MIDLAND, Ont., Nov. 5.—Thomas Harley, a resident of this place, was drowned

INCORPORATION.

Address by Mr. John White, M.P., at a meeting of the Ontario Agricultural Association...

EDUCATIONAL NOTES.

At Laval University Dr. Brochu has been appointed professor of hygiene, and the Rev. Messrs. Gouin and Maguire assistant directors.

Thirty-nine applications were made for the headmastership of a small village school in the county of Grey.

There is a prospect of some warfare between a portion of the residents of Mount Forest and the Council and School Board of that town.

The Durham County Teachers' Association have adopted the following report to the High School Entrance Examination.

At the recent meeting of the Provincial Teachers' Association, Quebec held at Lacoste, Rev. E. J. Rexford, Protestant secretary of the Department of Public Instruction...

There is a growing tendency to abandon the school recess in the Ontario Journal of Education says of the recess experiment, adopted in Rochester, New York.

The schools are utilitarian in their aims, to fit the child for living successfully in the object of their existence.

OUR COMMERCIAL POSITION.

Satisfaction of Sir J. Lubbock and Tilley with the Montreal, Nov. 3.—Sir Leonard Tilley, the Finance Minister, does not fear a misanthropic mood over the commercial situation at present.

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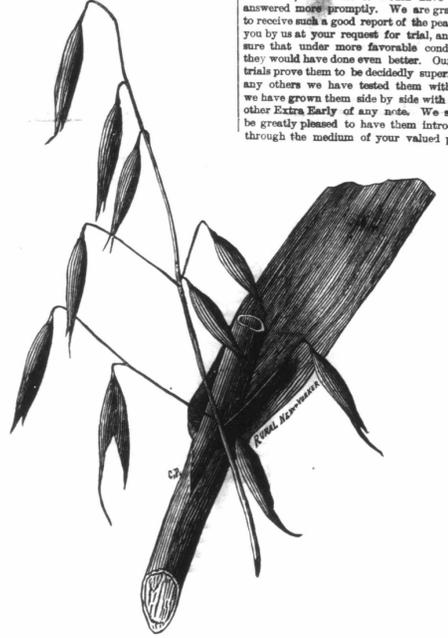
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THE RURAL UNION CORN. The originator of this corn states that it was produced by planting three varieties together in the same field 30 years ago, and continuing to make selections from year to year of the best ears which continued to show the three strains. He further states that he has repeatedly raised over 100 bushels of shelled corn per acre under good care and cultivation; that the stalks are more prolific even than Blount's, often bearing three large ears to a stalk and occasionally four and five; that it will ripen in 90 days in average seasons; that it grows but six feet high; that the cob is small, the kernels large and that the grain makes a meal distinctly superior to that of any other corn.

We do not either credit or discredit these remarkable claims, we do but present them to the reader as they have been made to us. The engraving p. 558 Fig. 614 is drawn from

the best of a number of selected ears sent to us by the originator and true to nature both as to the ear, kernel cross-section and cob. We have about one acre of this corn growing at the Rural Experiment Grounds, but at the time we are obliged to make these notes it is not far enough advanced to justify us in arriving at any conclusions. Our readers may rely at harvest upon an impartial report



BLACK CHAMPION OATS—FIG. 612.

from the RURAL whether it may greatly disappoint the hopes of the originator or realize his expectations.

SECOND. CLEVELAND'S RURAL NEW-YORKER PEAS.

The following correspondence will explain itself: MR. A. B. CLEVELAND, CAPE VINCENT, N. Y.

Dear Sir:—We hear that through several years you have been making careful selections from the earliest peas in cultivation, and that the resulting improved strain is really earlier

and better than any other. Would you kindly send us a few seeds that we may test them? Respectfully, Ed. R. N.-Y.

Dear Sir:—I have much pleasure in complying with your request for a sample of the New Extra Early Peas we have for some time past been engaged in perfecting, and we should be very glad to have you place them in your trial grounds and compare them with any other peas of the same class you may have obtained. They will bear close comparison and we are confident you will find them a great acquisition. We have been working at them for several years, and are more than satisfied with the results obtained. Very profic (please note size of the pods), we claim them to be the earliest and most even in maturing of any peas yet introduced, and know the pea itself will substantiate every claim we make for it. Hoping that at the earliest practicable moment you will favor us with your opinion of them. I remain Yours respectfully,

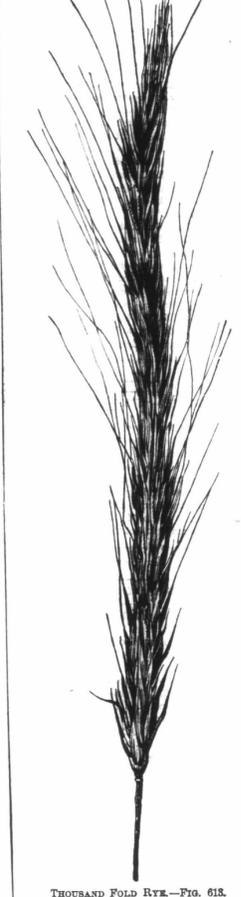
A. B. CLEVELAND per J. E. NORTHERP. Dear Sir:—We received May 4 or 5, 50 seeds of your new pea. These were planted May 6. A severe spell of dry weather followed. June 20, the vines were 2 1/2 feet high, slender but remarkably uniform in height and habit. One hundred pods weighed 19 ounces, containing 604 seeds which weighed eight ounces. The peas ripen very nearly all at once. We are disposed to regard them as really the "First and Best" in cultivation and would be pleased to secure a quantity large enough to send to RURAL subscribers in our next Free Seed Distribution if not too costly. Hoping to hear from you at once. Respectfully,

RURAL NEW-YORKER. Dear Sir:—Your favor of the 23d ulto. at hand and noted. At this time of the year we are obliged to be among our pea crop constantly, and have until now been unable to give your communication the consideration it demanded, otherwise it would have been answered more promptly. We are gratified to receive such a good report of the peas sent you by us at your request for trial, and feel sure that under more favorable conditions they would have done even better. Our own trials prove them to be decidedly superior to any others we have tested them with, and we have grown them side by side with every other Extra Early of any note. We should be greatly pleased to have them introduced through the medium of your valued paper.

takes one thousand (\$1,000 dollars) a bushel for what we now have. We hope the proposition as above will meet your approval. Should it do so please to let us know at as early a date as possible the number of peas you will require and we will send you all we possibly can spare. Yours respectfully, A. B. CLEVELAND per J. E. NORTHERP.

THIRD. THE CROSS-BRED DIEHL-MEDITERRANEAN WHEAT.

We received last year from several persons a small quantity of this wheat to test. Through some mistake one drill was marked as having been received from Sir J. B. Lawes, of England. It was sown not until October and every plant passed the Winter without harm, tillered more than any other



THOUSAND FOLD RYE—FIG. 613.

kind and ripened with Clawson. The other plots which proved to be the same were equally hardy, but as they were sown in September this was deemed the hardiest and in our report was the only variety ranked at 100. The illustrations Figs. 613-9 show a front and a side view of the average head as raised in our experiment plot. There are 10 breasts or spikelets to a side, each containing from three to four grains which are of a dark amber color. In our soil and climate the Clawson or Fultz will average but a fraction over two grains to a spikelet. The following letter written July 15 in response to our request, is by Mr. E. H. Libby, the agricultural specialist of Hiram Sibley & Co., of Rochester, N. Y.

"We send you by express to-day two stools of the Hybrid Mediterranean Wheat from our test garden plot. The rust you will see on the leaves is due to excessive wet and alternate hot days, but no harm has resulted to the

straw or grain from it. Below is a statement of our observations:

The Hybrid Mediterranean Wheat was planted September 23rd, 1882, in Hiram Sibley & Co's test grounds, in very rich garden soil, seed four inches apart in drills two feet apart. The seed vegetated October 3 very evenly. The young plants grew vigorously until snow came. During the Winter the ground was bare much of the time, and on several occasions ice rested upon the plot for a number of days. The wheat came through the Winter all right, being thoroughly hardy, and in early Spring appeared the best of any of nine varieties, among which were Martin's Amber, Lovett's White, Red Mediterranean, Turkey, Velvet Chaff, etc., and it has kept the lead throughout, being at this time nearly ready for harvest. The varieties all had an equal chance being planted in the same manner. The growth of the wheat in the Fall was no special advantage as protection against frost, because the distance between the plants prevented any protection of the soil. To-day we counted 12 stools, selected as near as possible, to obtain an average. One had 73 stems and heads; one 49; one 46; one 48; one 41; one 39; one 34; one 33; one 30; two 28; one 27. The average height was about five feet; the average length of head about three inches, some of them running three-and-a-half to four inches. The excessively wet weather seems to have prevented some of the blossoms from fertilizing, and the birds have picked out so many kernels that it is impossible to get a fair count of the grains in the heads. The heads of this wheat being grown in lighter soil and more exposed situations near Rochester, show much better sample heads than this garden plot, although the yield will be less, probably 25 and 30 bushels per acre.

A friend at Vermont writes as follows: "The so-called Mediterranean Hybrid Winter Wheat I think very favorably of, and now expect to sow a quantity of it next Fall. If we can find a Winter wheat that will yield as well as Clawson and give us better flour, and stand our Winters, we shall feel pretty good about it. I think this variety fills the bill well. It stands up well under our heavy winds and does not lodge."

FOURTH.

A NEW RYE—"THOUSAND-FOLD."

In our Fair Number of last year were given the results of our test of this rye, received through a friend from Germany. They were sown October 5 and yielded heavily, though being but a single drill, no fair estimate of the yield per acre could be given. The illustration Fig. 613 is taken from an average head while still green. Some of the stools had 19 stems measuring six feet three inches in height.

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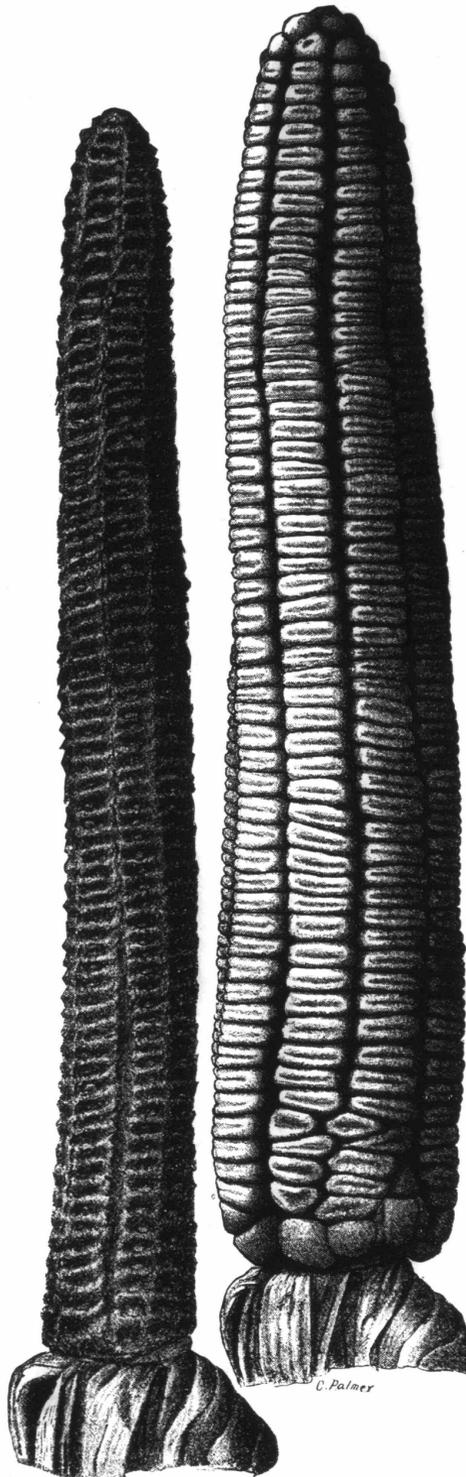
HORSFORD'S MARKET GARDEN PEA.

This was sent to us to be tested by Mr. F. H. Horsford of Charlotte, Vermont, the originator. It was grown in a plot among many other kinds and selected by us on account of its productiveness, the size and quality of the seed, though, as will be seen from our accurate engraving, Fig. 616, the pods are not large. But they are borne in pairs. Mr. Horsford writes: "I made the cross in the Summer of '79 by using the pollen of Laxton's Alpha on the American Wonder. There were three peas one of which produced the Racket, the other two the Market Garden. Unlike most of my crosses, the Market Garden has shown almost no variation since the first two plants came up. They were so nearly alike that I put them together. I compared the quality of it with the Wonder and could see no difference. I quote from Prof. S. M. Tracy's (Mo.) report: 'Ripened about with McLain's Advancer and have a full crop ripening entirely within eight days—quality excellent. I think the fact that the crop ripens within so short a time is one of its best points for the Market Garden.'"

SIXTH.

BLACK CHAMPION OATS.

THESE oats also were sent to us to be tested by Mr. Horsford. He received them with 14 other varieties from Europe under a foreign name, and being the most promising of all in his climate (Vermont) he reared them as above and raised a stock. Our own plants grew to the height of five feet and over with heavy stems and broad leaves, as shown at Fig. 612. The panicles are spreading and the size of the oat is shown in the figure. The remarkable thing about this oat is that it tillers more than any variety we have ever raised, so that half the quantity of seed usually sown per acre would suffice. The RURAL merely sends out this black oat for



RURAL UNION CORN.—Fig. 614

trial, without any further knowledge of how it may behave in other parts of the country. Mr. Horsford writes us: "If you will compare its panicles with others, you will find, I think, that its shape is apt to mislead and that the average number of grains in a panicle will compare favorably with other kinds. I have selected five of the best heads I could find of each of five varieties of oats, including the Black Champion, and have counted and averaged the grains per head:

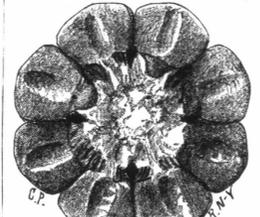
Number of panicles in five heads	Total number of grains	Average number of grains per panicle
Black Champion	844	168.8
White Probestier	818	163.6
White Belgium	798	159.6
White's Pedigree White Canadian	827	165.4
White Challenge	800	160.0

The White Probestier and White Belgian have the advantage from the fact that they have had good cultivation and been selected for several years. The Black Champion is less inclined to rust with us than most sorts, though quite late in maturing."

SEVENTH.

THE RURAL GARDEN TREASURES.

FOR our lady friends it is proposed to make this collection of mixed seeds as valuable as possible and to send to each applicant a quantity sufficient to fill a little garden with all the most desirable bedding plants in cultivation, not including, as we did last year seeds of hardy shrubs, which, requiring a longer time to germinate, should not be sown



RURAL UNION CORN, CROSS SECTION.—FIG. 615.

with those which germinate freely. Many of our subscribers have already kindly offered to furnish the RURAL with seeds of rare or choice varieties which they have gathered and are gathering for the purpose, and we shall hope from this source alone to make up a varied and rare collection which, without such aid, it would be difficult to do. The rest of the seeds will be gathered at the Rural Grounds and imported from Europe.

EIGHTH AND LAST.

TOMATO SEEDS OF ALL THE LATEST AND BEST VARIETIES.

FOR the past seven years we have made selections from our best strains of tomatoes with a view to increase their solidity, keeping qualities and smoothness. No cross-breeding has been attempted; neither have we endeavored to produce earlier kinds. The largest and smoothest specimens of fruit have been spread out on boards and the seeds have been saved from those alone which remained sound and firm the longest. Besides our own strains, the collection will be made up of Livingston's Favorite, Perfection and Paragon (Acme is excluded because it rots in many places), Rochester, Mayflower, Cardinal, Climax, etc., etc. Thus it will be seen that every applicant for this Seed Distribution will have the opportunity without expense, of raising a few plants of all the best kinds of tomatoes known as well as of a number of kinds not yet offered for sale, and in this way be enabled to make his own selections for another season from those which he deems in all respects the best for his soil and climate.

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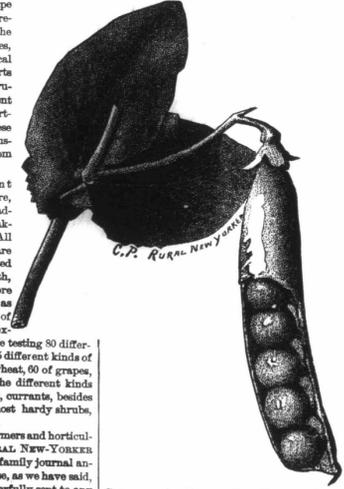
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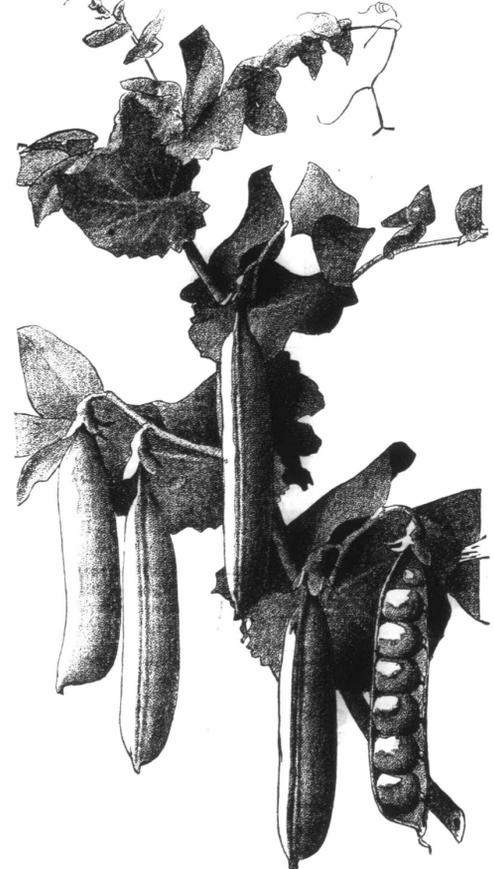
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HORSFORD'S MARKET GARDEN PEA.—FIG. 616.

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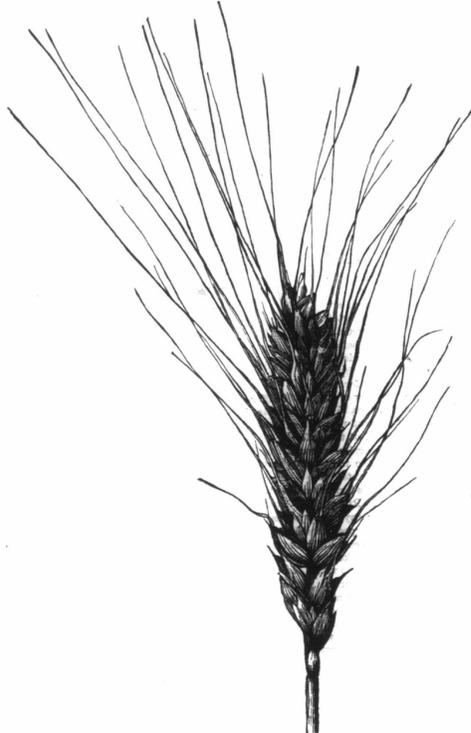
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