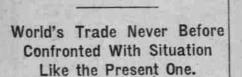
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TO BE FELT LATER

SHORTAGE OF WHEAT

BUYERS HAVE HELD OFF

United States Has No Actual Sur plus in Sight and Depends on Carry - Over for Export. High Grades Scarce.

CHICAGO, Aug. 13 .- (Special.)-The wheat trade of the world has never been confronted with a situation like the present. The world's crop is short and there is the closest adjustment the trade has known.

trade has known. There is no actual scarcity at present, but there is likely to be later in the season. What prices will do no one can tell. They are abnormally high. It is a supply and demand situation, but with increased speculation in this country and Europe it is difficult to hear prices down.

country and Europe it is difficult to keep prices down. The Government report given to the trade last Tuesday was the most sen-sational known. To have the crop cut down 104,000,000 bushels in 30 days was not expected. Early in the sea-son theae who figured on a crop of 750,000,000 bushels were thought to be low, but the August report of the De-partment of Agriculture suggested 654,000,000 bushels and there is a prob-ability that the figures will be cut down next month. down next month.

Export Surplus Small.

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Consumers Have Nothing Ahead. To make the situation hard on the consumer is the failure of the millers, and particularly the flour distributors and large consumers, to buy their sup-plies ahead, as they have for several seasons.

Flour buyers early in the season flour buyers early in the season thought they would get their flour on the basis of \$1 for wheat and held off. The advance in wheat has been so rapid that they became frightened and have been afraid to buy, except as required, and it looks as though they will con-tinue this policy.

and it looks as though they will continue this policy.
This may slightly increase the price of bread, but the producer is greatly breaking even.
Wheat prices have advanced 25 cents from the low price of the previods week and 44 cents from the low set of the season.
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EIGHT-YEAR-OLD GIRL WHOSE LIFE HAS BEEN COMPLICATED BY

SERIES OF DOMESTIC INTRIGUES AND KIDNAPINGS.

Heroine of Many Kidnapings Makes Merry in America.

BRIEF CAREER IS EXCITING in regard to the war and their peace aims should be stated.

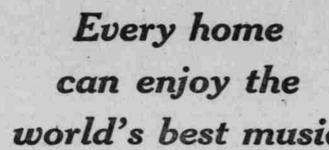
Duchess, Who Formerly Was Eleanor Patterson, American, Lives in Dread, However, of Los-

ing Daughter Again.

STOCK SWINDLE.

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ant warning. Victor Records can be safely and satisfactorily played only with seedlas or Tungs-tone Stylus on Victors or Victorlas. Victor Records cannot be played on machines with jeweled or other reproducing points

New Victor Records demonstrated at all dealers on the 25th of each mo

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ble John Bright, of Courtland, Cochise County, drawing his gun as he lay prone on the ground beside the body of his horse, killed the two Mexicans to-day near Courtland. Bright will recover

After emptying his revolver at the Mexicans who had ambushed him. Bright, not knowing that he had killed his assailants, crawied a distance of iwo miles on his hands and reported to a ranch house that he had been am-bushed by the suspected burglars. A posse of cowboys was quickly formed and went in pursuit of the Mexicans. They found that . John Bright's aim had been better than he thought. YOUNG MAN ACCUSED OF \$20,000

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 ANGRY EDITORS APOLOGIZE
 Alabama Publishers Forget Duel and Retract Personal Charges.
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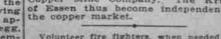
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Europe is unusually large, and Broom-hall estimates that the world's supply taking wheat in every position, is 200,000,000 bushels more than last system. Much of this, however, is not available.
CONSTABLE'S AIM IS TRUE
Posse Finds Officer Killed Men Who Ambushed Hims
TUCSON, Ariz, Aug. 13.—After his bor the class of the class that the busple as the stand of the class that the class the state of the class that the busple as and the the class that the class that the class the state of the class that the busple as the state of the class that the busple as the state of the class that the class the state of the bicycle as traveling of the bicycle as traveling of the bicycle as the state of the class that the bicycle as the class that the the state of the class that the the state of the bicycle as the state of the class that the bicycle as the class the state of the bicycle as the state of the class the state of the bick of the state of the

MISSOURI VOTE INCREASED BRIDEGROOM IS IN JAIL OFFICIAL COUNT IN RECENT Primaries

Is Announced.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Aug. 13.--A total of 234,896 votes were cast for Governor by the Democrats in the re-cent state primary and 191,549 by the Certificates That Should Have Been Republicans, a marked increase for both parties. The plumality of F. D. Gardner, the



FUND IS PRORATED

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Basis for Distributing Federal Road Money Found. The Walsh amendment appropriates \$1,000,000 a year for roads in reserves, as a recompense to the states for the loss of taxes, and accepting the For-est Service estimates Oregon receives \$127,758 in lieu of taxes it could collect if its forest reserves were in pri-vate ownership. This is equivalent to a tax of one mill on the dollar. The Forest Service, before announc-FOREST RESERVES VALUED

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