

COLUMBIA COUNTY IN SISTER STATE TO HAVE FAIR CROPS OF GRAIN

Yield of Barley Estimated at
About 900,000 Bushels;
Wheat 1,100,000 Bushels.

PROSPECTS MAY CHANGE

Conditions Are Much the Same as in
Other Districts of Pacific North-
west Grain Belt; Less Pessimism.

By Hyman H. Cohen.
Dayton, Wash., July 13.—Columbia county resembles other counties of the northwest already visited, so far as the grain crops are concerned. There is the same sort of climatic conditions to report, a similar decrease in the area planted, and a very backward season, together with a plentiful supply of "Jim Hill" and other crop-killing weeds.

Nevertheless, there is less pessimism in this section regarding the crops than elsewhere. Columbia county will not have the crop of a year ago, and not to this time has the yield of few sections that will equal the 1915 production.

While Columbia county barley is perhaps the best known of the cereals, there is more of it than of any other grain in the county. The former being approximately 55,000 acres, compared with perhaps 40,000 acres of barley.

Season Is Backward.
Despite this handicap of area planted, there is going to be about as much barley produced in the county this season, barring accidents to the crop prior to harvest, as of wheat. While the season is still very backward, and it is possible for the crop to decrease or increase somewhat from its present showing, indications point to a 900,000 bushel barley crop, compared with about 1,000,000 bushels a year ago. The wheat crop for the season will approximate 1,100,000 bushels, compared with 1,750,000 bushels a year ago.

The better showing of the barley crop on the area reported planted is due to the fact that the barley acreage this season shows a smaller percentage of loss as compared with wheat of a year ago, and that the spring barley is making most excellent progress at this time.

It would be a repetition to say that the crop prospects of Columbia county have improved materially during the last few weeks. Practically every section of the Pacific northwest already visited showed a similar trend.

Timely Rains Aid Barley.
Timely rains have come to the rescue of barley growers just at the time that aid was most greatly needed. The season is later by several weeks than normal, and the chief reason for fear for the future.

In some portions of Columbia county the barley is setting near the cutting stage, and the wheat crop has in similar sections begun to take on its reasonable golden glow.

Shoe Styles Should
Not Change He Says

Tacoma Health Officer Declares 17
Per Cent of People Have Foot Trouble
Due to Wearing Modern Shoes.

Seattle, July 13.—(P. N. S.)—"There should be less changes in style of shoes than in false teeth," Dr. E. H. Rich, health officer of Tacoma, declared the prevalence of foot troubles in the United States and particularly the northwest. He addressed the twenty-seventh annual convention of the Washington State Medical association yesterday. Two hundred doctors are in attendance.

Dr. Rich said that 17 per cent of the people were afflicted with foot trouble due to the modern shoe. Dr. J. R. Brown, of Tacoma, presided at today's session.

London Car Jumps Track; 70 Hurt.
London, July 13.—(L. N. S.)—Seventy passengers were injured when a double-decked streetcar jumped the tracks and crashed into a building in the northwestern part of London Tuesday. The accident occurred in front of an army hospital, and the whole staff of doctors and nurses gave first aid so quickly they probably prevented fatalities.

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Park space in center field \$1.00.

FIREHOUSE FRONT CUT TO WIDEN STREET



The jog in Washington street at Sixteenth will soon be a thing of the past. Work has already been started in cutting off the fronts of buildings on the south side of the street and it is expected that this work will be completed within a week.

One thing is certain, however, that the result of widening the street is the old firehouse at the intersection of Sixteenth and Washington streets.

It has been there since 1884. Ten feet will be torn from the front of the building, and a new face erected. The station will be continued as a firehouse, however, with motor drawn apparatus instead of the present horse drawn apparatus.

Bridge Carpenter Falls 45 Feet and Dislocates Elbows

Tacoma, Wash., July 13.—(P. N. S.)—A little thing like a 45 foot fall doesn't bother Victor Swanson much. While working on a bridge at the Upper Sound Logging company yesterday afternoon, Swanson dropped 45 feet and only dislocated his elbows. He is a bridge carpenter, 39 years old.

Demonstration Still to Be Decided Upon

Trustees in Charge of New Women's College of the Northwest Unable to Reach Conclusion at Tacoma.

Tacoma, Wash., July 13.—(P. N. S.)—No decision had been arrived at today as to whether the new women's college of the northwest, to be established in Tacoma, on the old Wallworth college campus, should be Presbyterian or non-sectarian. At a meeting of the trustees Tuesday night the articles of incorporation were read and the question of denomination taken up with Attorney A. C. Dresbach, of Seattle, insisting that unless the new college is under some denomination any endowments given might be withdrawn. Many were sold for a non-sectarian institution. It was concluded to lay the question before Dr. C. P. French, of New York, a member of the national college board, who is expected about August 1.

Fifth Company to Go to Fort Stevens

Albany Military Organization Has 95 Officers and Men—Will Leave Home Sunday Morning.
Albany, Or., July 13.—With a membership of 95 officers and men, most of whom will make the trip, Fifth company, Coast Artillery corps, will leave here Sunday morning for Fort Stevens, where they will join the other seven companies of the coast guard in the annual two weeks' maneuvers and rifle practice with the big guns.

Last year the Albany company won an enviable reputation in handling the 10 inch gun, standing fourth in the entire United States in firing this size rifle. The company is commanded by R. R. Knox, captain; A. C. Baker, first lieutenant; and C. C. Collins, second lieutenant. The company has been drilling every night this week preparatory to leaving for camp.

To Prepare for Encampment.
Eugene, Or., July 13.—Lieutenant T. B. Harris, of the headquarters staff in this city, accompanied by a detail from the two companies of the Coast Artillery here, left last night for Fort Stevens to prepare the camp for the eight companies of the Coast Artillery corps, which begins July 17. The men accompanying Lieutenant Harris are: Sergeant Alfred H. Willoughby, Privates Edward Himes, William Morgan, Clyde Crosby, Marion Pennington and Lloyd Joseph, of the second company; Corporal Frank M. Bennett and Privates Barney Miller, Charles Walker, Delbert Dick, William G. Gibbs and Mechanics Orin Albore of the third company.

Wires Ordered Off Street in Pendleton

City Attorney Serves Notice on Local Management of Two Companies to Comply With Order of the Council.
Pendleton, Or., July 13.—City Attorney Fee today served upon local managements of the Pacific Telephone & Telegraph and the Pacific Power & Light companies formal request to remove poles and overhead wires from Main street. He took this action in conformance with a motion passed by the council last week. Whether or not the companies will make a fight against the wishes of the council is not definitely known, but it is believed they will.

Iowa Democrats Are Strong for Wilson

Keynote Speech at Des Moines State Convention Devoted Largely to Praise of Man in the White House.
Des Moines, Iowa, July 13.—(U. P.)—Praising the Wilson administration and denouncing Republican rule in Iowa, E. W. McManus of Keokuk delivered the keynote speech to 2000 Democrats, half of them delegates at the state convention at the Coliseum.

Chicago Cubs Secure Outfielder J. Kelly

Chicago, July 13.—(U. P. S.)—Joe Kelly, said to be the star outfielder of the American association, has been purchased from the Indianapolis club by President Weeghman of the Chicago Cubs and will probably be seen in action against Philadelphia today at the north side park.

President Weeghman paid the Indianapolis club one of the largest sums ever paid to a minor organization for a young ball player and in return also gives two Cub players to be delivered soon but whose names cannot be made public until time for their transfer to the Indianapolis team.

President Weeghman refused to name the figure paid for Kelly but admitted that it was between \$12,000 and \$15,000.

McGinnity to Protest Award.
Butte, Mont., July 13.—(P. N. S.)—The awarding of "Lefty" Schroeder, the young pitching phenomenon, to Seattle by order of League President Ewing, will be contested by Iron Man McGinnity of the Butte team of the Northwest league. McGinnity declared today that Blewett has no authority to award Schroeder to any club and that the matter was one that rightly would come before the national commission and until such a time as the matter might be passed upon he would protest against Schroeder playing with Seattle while at the same time that Schroeder may not be able to play with Butte.

Dillon to Meet Levisky.
Baltimore, Md., July 13.—(U. P.)—With both men fine and fit, Jack Dillon, Indianapolis, and Battling Levisky, New York, were slated to meet here late this afternoon in a 15 round bout. Fight fans, including numerous Elk conventioners, had the seats all rounded up far in advance of the fight.

Arbogast Wants Players.
San Francisco, July 13.—(U. P.)—In telegram to Henry Berry, Seal owner, and Walter McCredie, Portland manager, Charley Arbogast, former Los Angeles and Oakland catcher, states that he can pay big money to a first baseman, infielder and outfielder in the Arizona Copper league.

Welsh Leaves for Match.
Los Angeles, July 13.—(P. N. S.)—Freddie Welsh, the world's champion lightweight boxer, is now en route to Minneapolis for his match on July 21 with Charley White. Welsh was several pounds overweight when he left here.

Vernon Purchases Infielder.
Los Angeles, Cal., July 13.—Infielder Calahan of the Sioux City Western league team was purchased yesterday by the Vernon Pacific Coast league team. Vernon paid \$2000 and turned Don Rader over to Sioux City for Calahan.

Women Fight Like They Revel in It

North La Grande Battle Aired in Court, Was Not of the Ordinary Variety of Such Affairs.
La Grande, Or., July 13.—Yesterday afternoon the La Grande scene of an old-style women's fight involving hair pulling and fist fighting. But this one outbawled the ordinary fight, the participants resorting to bating one another.

The main fight was between Mrs. Jesse McIntosh and Mrs. Coverdale. It was alleged that Mrs. Coverdale was related to the McIntosh family. Mrs. McIntosh in the police court yesterday testified as follows:

"She hauled off and poked me in the mouth and then I slammed her beside the nose. The next time she knocked me one in the stomach that tipped me over into the B. M. Rogers yard. Prior to that we had been in the streets."

Mrs. Coverdale, the defendant, is alleged to have started the fight, which was alleged to be a domestic one. It was said four women and a boy were mauling Mrs. Coverdale at the same time. The case has just begun, having been given its first airing.

Government Timber Sale Is Authorized

Tract Lies on West Fork of Hood River; New Road Is to Be Constructed.
District Forester George H. Cecil, Portland, Or., today received a wire from the forester, Washington, D. C., announcing that the application to purchase 320,000,000 feet of timber on the west fork of Hood river in the Oregon national forest has been approved.

The timber will be advertised for sale at once. The minimum prices per thousand at which bids will be entertained are \$120 for Douglas fir, western red cedar and noble fir, \$250 for western white pine, and \$50 cents per thousand for all other species.

The forest service has a road planned extending from the main road through Hood River valley near Dee to Lost lake.

CLEVELAND NOT SO BUSHY AFTER ALL BY RECORDS

Indians, With Crippled Pitchers, Supplant Yankees as League Leaders.

New York, July 13.—(U. P.)—Showing that nothing is impossible to a team with a fighting head the Cleveland Indians have four out of five games from the New York Yankees since Sunday and today lead the league by the scant margin of half a game.

On paper the Yankees should have fattened at the expense of the Forest City club swingers. They had eight pitchers all ready for action—Cleveland had but three of its consistent winners in shape. The Yanks were up from coming strong, while Cleveland, leading most of the time since the opening of the season, was supposed to have been pretty well shot. But they were far from it.

In the National, the Dodgers, leading the league, have been losing ground and today hold their place by but three games as against four and one half on Monday.

Philles and the Braves are still having their merry battle for second place, with the honors going to Pat Moran and his men by a game and a half. The Cubs have been pushed from fourth to sixth place, New York and Pittsburgh each moving up a notch.

Hard on the heels of the Donovan crew in the American league are the Red Sox outfit. The White Sox and Senators, Tigers, Browns and Athletics remain unchanged in the standings and prospects.

Pinelli to Get Another Trial.
San Francisco, July 13.—(U. P.)—Manager Walter McCredie of Portland has announced that he will take "Eabe" Pinelli, local semi-pro infielder into spring training with him next season. Pinelli had a short stay with Portland early this season, his inexperience forcing McCredie to let him go. He signed him for next season, however.

U. S. Bank Wins League Title.
As the result of defeating the First National bank team in the deciding game of the Bankers' league, 5 to 1, the United States National bank team will clash with the winners of the Seattle Bank league. The pitching of Fisher and heavy hitting aided the U. S. boys in winning.

Mixed Foursomes Saturday.
A mixed foursome handicap golf tournament will be staged over the Wawley Country club Saturday. Chairman C. H. Davis Jr. of the handicaps committee is looking forward to a big entry list. Play will start about 1 o'clock.

Cleveland Backstop Surprises McCredie

San Francisco, July 13.—(U. P.)—The Cleveland club has put over a good one at the expense of Walter McCredie, Portland manager. Yesterday a healthy looking individual reported to McCredie and informed him that he was Catcher Bradley.

"What can I do for you?" asked McCredie. "Where have you been playing?"

"Manager Lee Fohl of Cleveland sent me out here," replied Bradley. "I thought you knew all about me."

"The Cleveland club sent you here?" exclaimed McCredie. "I was never informed about it."

As long as Bradley came so far to get a chance, McCredie intends to give him the "once over," although he does not need any catchers. Bradley is a graduate of the University of Illinois, having signed with Cleveland only a few weeks ago.

Howard or Dillon to Take Rowdy's Place

Oakland, Cal., July 13.—(U. P.)—Frank Dillon, former leader of the Angels, and Del Howard, until recently boss of the Seals, were considered today as likely successors to "Rowdy" Elliott, who has resigned his job as manager of the Oaks.

As Frank Leavitt, owner of the Oaks, is in Los Angeles at the meeting of the league directors, no choice is likely to be made immediately.

Elliott will continue as acting manager until a good catcher is secured to take his place behind the bat. Elliott, it is understood, can go to any one of four clubs in the big brush. He is said to have offers from two in the National and two in the American league. Elliott will be released to one of them as soon as a trade can be negotiated.

Breaks 25 Straight at Albany.
Albany, Or., July 13.—For the third consecutive time the medal for the semi-monthly shoot at the Albany Gun club was won by a straight score of 25 targets. Dr. H. A. Heisinger won the medal. Other scores made by those who took part in the recent state shoot were: Grant Froman, 22; P. Dodele, 22; W. G. Ballack, 20; P. A. Baltimore, 20; F. Dodele, 17. The shoots are held on the first and third Friday of every month.

CRACK GOLFERS ARE PRACTICING OVER DEL MONTE

Few Easterners Entered Are Expected to Arrive by Tomorrow.

Del Monte, Cal., July 13.—(U. P.)—Crack Golfers of California arrived here today and immediately began practice play preparatory to the western championship tournament which begins next Monday on the Del Monte Country club course.

Tomorrow a team will be selected to represent the California Golf association in the Olympic cup four ball team match Saturday. Ervin Armstrong, Jack Neville, Douglas Grant and Heinrich Schmidt are generally picked for the team.

On Saturday the eastern entrants who will be comparatively few, will arrive. Hoover Bankhead and Ned Sawyer are expected to be the best of the easterners. Because of his performance in previous western championship, Sawyer is picked by many as the favorite for the trophy. With Neville, Grant, Armstrong and Schmidt all going strong, however, the Chicago cack is expected to receive a strong run.

Travis Favorite in N. Y.
New York, July 13.—(U. P.)—With a field of 130 of the country's foremost golfers teeing off, the Metropolitan open championship tournament opened over the links of the Garden City club today.

Walter Travis is the favorite. Settle Women's Title Today.
Chicago, July 13.—(U. P.)—Miss Mildred Smith of Evanston and Miss Melvin Jones of Glen Oak met today in the deciding match of the women's Western Golf association championship.

King Wins Trapshooting Title.
Casper, Wyo., July 13.—The Wyoming state championship trap shooting title was won by R. A. King of Delta, Colo., with a perfect score of 109 targets.

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Society began to gather today for the content and one of the most brilliant assemblies Del Monte has ever seen is expected to make up the gallery next week.

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