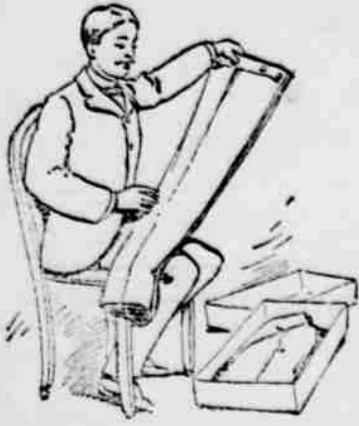


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CORN IN HISTORY.

The interest which the United States is taking in making an interesting corn exhibit in the Paris exposition of 1900 is chiefly economic, of course. Corn is the most valuable of all the products of the United States. It represents more money than any other one article produced in this country. Moreover, its lead is lengthening instead of shortening. Corn crops which pass the 2,000,000,000 bushel mark have grown common in recent years. They will undoubtedly occur still oftener in the near future. It is to the interest of the country to popularize this article of food in the rest of the world to the greatest possible extent.

But corn at one time may be said to have figured in the political history of the United States just as it does in the economic development. The fiercer white men on this continent record their surprise at the extent to which the Indians used this cereal as an article of food. The length of time which the red men could conduct campaigns through the forests on a small supply of dried corn, which they would sometimes pound into a meal with stones and eat raw, and at other times bake into a sort of bread, or roast it on the ear, was a revelation to the Spaniards, French and English visitors to the present territory of the United States two or three centuries ago. The new comers, however, quickly adopted the usages of the aborigines in this particular, and corn was thus made to figure with a good deal of conspicuousness in American history.

One of the reasons why the French of Canada could never hope to maintain themselves in the contest for supremacy with the English and the residents of the thirteen colonies was that corn could be grown north of the lakes and the St. Lawrence in limited quantities only. This valuable American product, which the Indians with their stone implements could plant between the stumps of their rude clearings or on the prairies, could be utilized to an important extent by those Indians who resided in what is now the United States. The more northern tribes could grow it only in trifling quantities, and their French allies were thus deprived of a valuable aid in the maintenance of their power. Corn was one of the factors which gave the victory to the English and the Americans in the war which expelled the French from North America in 1755-63. It thus reserved the better part of the continent to the younger and more progressive branch of the Anglo-Saxon race, who appropriated it a dozen years after the French were driven out. Here is an additional reason

why Americans should take an interest in the expansion of the market for corn, and happily they are introducing it to a larger and greater portion of the world. The exports in 1899, 186,000,000 bushels, have been four times as great as they were five years ago.—Globe-Democrat.

The official spelling of the United States' new possessions in the Gulf of Mexico is declared to be Puerto Rico. This is how the name will be spelled on government documents. It is a concession to the feelings of the islanders which is well enough to gratify. Nevertheless, the ultimate spelling will be Porto Rico. When the inhabitants of that island become Americanized they will simplify the orthography of their locality. For the time being, however, Puerto Rico "goes."

England's national debt will probably be increased \$100,000,000 by the war with the Boers. The debt at present is nearly \$3,000,000,000. In the year 1815 it was \$4,500,000,000. Since 1883 the reduction has been \$640,000,000. If the British win the gold mines will furnish an indemnity.

Stray Notice.

Came to my place on Five Mile, about two weeks ago, a buckskin saddle horse, branded with an earlock on right hip and an M on right shoulder. Said horse has been on the range near my place for the past two years. Owner can have same by proving property and paying all charges.

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Dated December 13, 1899.
R. F. GIBONS,
Administrator.

GUARDIAN'S NOTICE.
IN THE COUNTY COURT OF THE STATE of Oregon, for Wasco county.
In the matter of the guardianship of George Klumt, Frank Klumt, Annie Jordan, Katie Jordan and Mary Jordan, minors.
Now on this 22d day of December, 1899, came William Jordan, the duly appointed, qualified and acting guardian of the above named minors, and presented his petition praying for an order authorizing and directing him to sell the interest of said minors in certain real property therein as described, and it appearing to the court from said petition that it is necessary and beneficial to said wards that their interest in the south half of the southeast quarter of section 18, township 2 north, range 15 east, W. M. be sold; therefore it is ordered that Theresa Klumt, the mother and next of kin of George Klumt and Frank Klumt and said William Jordan, father and next of kin of Annie, Katie and Mary Jordan, and all persons interested in said estate, should and there to show cause why a license should not be granted for the sale of such estate, and that this order be published at least three successive weeks in The Dalles Chronicle, a weekly newspaper printed in said county.
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