

An Irrigation Theory.

PORTLAND, Sept. 24, 1901.

To THE EDITOR—Mr. E. B. Dunn, formerly an official in the U. S. weather bureau, in a recent article in the Washington Star, advances the rather startling theory that the severe hot spell which occurred in the Middle West last July was due to the increased area now under irrigation along the east slope of the Rocky mountains. Mr. Dunn puts the blame for the burning up of the corn crop on the shoulders of the irrigation companies and the small farmers who are trying to make the desert bring forth sustenance for man and beast, and he argues that the farmer who raises small crops by means of irrigation must be suppressed that the farmer who raises large crops without irrigation may prosper.

He says that low pressure, trough-shaped areas occupy this semi-arid region and that the moisture evaporated from the soil is commensurate for their existence, but insufficient to propel them onward, and warm air is thus drawn from the south, which for days at a time flows over the corn belt and withers the crops.

This theory is illogical and is condemned by the entire scientific staff of the weather bureau. It is, in fact, unworthy of serious consideration and its publication is calculated to injure the cause of irrigation not only in Eastern Oregon, but in all of the rapidly-growing states in the sub-arid west.

The weather of the United States is controlled by the passage of low and high pressure areas and these disturbances are carried eastward by the general movement of the upper atmosphere. The general movement of the upper atmosphere is controlled by the differences in temperature between the poles and the equator. When these differences, as in the winter time, are great, the upper currents move rapidly, but when they are slight, as in the case during the mid-summer season, they move slowly and sometimes become stagnant. Last July the upper air currents were sluggish and the high and low pressure areas drifted very slowly and their inaction was not in any way caused by the moisture element they contained.

Severe droughts and heat waves have occurred in the past long before irrigation was practiced, and they may be expected in the future as long as the difference between the temperatures at the poles and the equator decreases in the summer time, as it now does, and no efforts on the part of man can change this order of events.

EDWARD A. BEALS,
U. S. Forecast Official.

The Nose Indicates Character.

"A large nose is always an unflattering sign of a decided character," writes Blanche W. Fischer in an article on "Reading Character from the Face" in the October Ladies' Home Journal. "It belongs to the man of action, quick to see and to seize opportunity. A small nose indicates a passive nature, one less apt to act, although he may feel as deeply. He will have many theories, while the possessor of a large nose will have deeds to show. Persons with small noses are most loving and sympathizing, but their friendship is not the active kind.

"A nose with the tip slightly tilted is the sign of the heartless flirt. A long nose shows dignity and repose. A short nose indicates a love of gaiety. An arched nose—one projecting at the bridge—shows thought. The straight nose shows an inclination toward serious subjects. A nose that turns up slightly indicates eloquence, wit and imagination. If turned up much it shows egotism and love of luxury. A nose that slopes out directly from the forehead, that shows no indenting between the eyes, indicates power. If the nose is indented deeply at the root the subject will be weak and vacillating. A nose that turns down signifies that the possessor is miserly and sarcastic.

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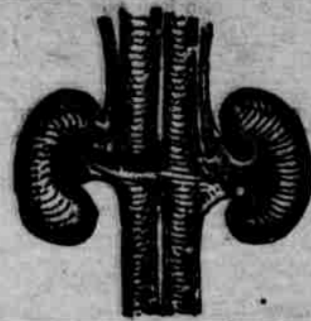
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MRS. FRANCIS PASTLOW.
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