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Portland, Sept. 1.—Portland today is the greatest wheat shipping port in the country. Over transportation lines coming into the city more wheat was sent in than to any other shipping port in the United States. The shipping records for Portland show that 219 cars of export wheat were received in the city. This is nearly double the record of 113 cars established Saturday last, when the wheat shipping records of the port were shattered.

On several different occasions recently Portland shipments have topped those of Chicago, which is the record wheat shipping port of the world. The Saturday shipment of 113 cars went ahead of the Chicago receipts and established Portland as a record holder. Today's record, however, puts Portland far in the lead, even over Chicago, and establishes the pre-eminence of the port as a wheat shipping center of world-wide importance. The rapid climb in the size of the shipments is shown by the record of 63 cars for Friday last, not a small shipment by any means.

Figuring from a basis of 210 cars shipment, it is seen that approximately 79,800 sacks of wheat reached Portland, since there are on an average of 380 sacks to the car. The sacks as they are shipped from the field weigh from 100 to 110 pounds to the sack. Estimating the average weight to be 105 pounds to the sack, it will be seen that a great flood of 8,379,000 pounds, or 144,465 bushels of grain, reached the city. The average price of the wheat is 92 cents a bushel, making the aggregate value of the shipment alone reach the enormous sum of \$1,588,980. To put the vast shipment in a shape where its size can be readily grasped, it might be noted that the 210 cars which reached the city, if put together in one train, would reach in a solid line for 13-5 miles.

ULTIMATUM IN STRIKE.

Canadian Pacific Employees Threaten General Walk Out.

Vancouver, B. C., Sept. 1.—A special from Winnipeg says the crisis is approaching in the mechanics' strike on the Canadian Pacific railway. The committee now in session in Montreal, representing all the orders and unions to which employees belong, have given the company this week to decide whether it will meet this committee in conference with the object of settling the strike or have the entire system tied up. The committee in Montreal represents not only the machinists, boiler-makers and carmen on strike, but also the engineers, firemen, conductors and trainmen. It seems to be a fight between the unions and the Canadian Pacific railway, the company having made up its mind to test their strength.

Former Master Mechanic Cross, of Winnipeg, is now in England, having been sent there by the country to hire mechanics.

JAP FAIR POSTPONED.

Economical Ministry Wins Controversy With Commercial Interests.

Tokio, Sept. 1.—The Tokio exposition has been postponed until 1917, according to the official statement issued today by the minister of agriculture and commerce. The action is taken over the protests of all the chambers of commerce, and is indicative of the determination of the new cabinet to carry out its policy of retrenchment.

The officials of the exposition were called together and the decision of the government was announced to them. It is expected that the postponement will result in a great benefit to the exposition.

Break Ground for Institute.

New York, Sept. 1.—John D. Rockefeller, Jr., will officiate tomorrow in the ceremony of breaking ground for the main hospital building and isolation annex of the Rockefeller institute for medical research. Plans for the new hospital were filed last week, and work will be begun on it immediately. It is to cost about \$400,000. The building will have seven stories, with a brick and Indiana limestone front. The isolation wards will be in a two-story building connected with the main building by steel bridges.

Traffic is Delayed.

Winnipeg, Man., Sept. 1.—Trains are delayed throughout the west on the Canadian Pacific lines as the result of the strike of the machinists, and the general demand for action looking toward a settlement is increasing. The railway commission will meet here September 16, and it is said the unions will bring before that body strong representations showing a violation of the alien labor law by the railroad company.

Washout on Canadian Road.

Winnipeg, Sept. 1.—The worst washout in the history of the Canadian Pacific road on this division occurred yesterday. Rain fell in torrents, and is still falling. Hundreds of yards of track between here and Kenora have been washed away, and dozens of trains have been held up.

BLACK ALKALI.

Professor Elliot Makes Suggestions for Overcoming Trouble.

From Washington State College, Pullman.
In a letter addressed to a farmer residing near Walla Walla, Professor Elliott discussed black alkali, and its interference with the growth of alfalfa; plants which are tolerant of alkali; grasses and plants which tend to crowd out alfalfa, and means preventive of this; and a certain pest which is damaging the leaves of apple trees grown by this farmer. Briefed somewhat, the letter follows:

"I understand from your letter, that you are having difficulty with the black alkali, which interferes with the starting of alfalfa. The land in question is undoubtedly so supplied with water near the surface that there is considerable evaporation, which has caused the alkali to rise to the surface. This trouble would be observed in all such land, and the best way to prevent it is by surface draining. This would permit the washing out of the alkali from the surface through the drains, and I think you would have sufficient rainfall in the winter to accomplish this. The drains should be from two to three feet below the surface, which would not interfere with the cultivation of alfalfa, as the water level would be at the distance beneath the surface of the lower level of the drains.

"I suspect that if you are able to get a start of alfalfa, it would be able to overcome the effect of the alkali, which I assume is strongest near the surface; but with the water level so near the surface as it is, the roots would not have any encouragement to penetrate deeply, and would probably stop at the water table. It might be possible to counteract the effect of the alkali by the use of considerable manure, or some chemical fertilizer, but I very much doubt the value of such treatment.

"We have seen some excellent stands of alfalfa secured by seeding alfalfa in the fall. Fall seeding should be done early enough to secure the full benefit of the fall rains, and thereby make a growth, which would insure that the alfalfa would pass safely through the first winter, while the plants were somewhat tender. I think that in the warm section of the state, where you are located, that this would be perfectly possible; and it would have the further advantage of starting during the time when the alkali would be less abundant, due to its being washed out by the winter rains.

"Regarding plants which might be tolerant of alkali, the station would inform you that there are several, but that it is quite difficult to obtain the seed of such in any quantity. There is a plant known as salt grass (*Distichlis Maritima*), which has a small seed, and is very coarse, which is somewhat common, but which seeds very sparingly; consequently, getting a start of this grass is very difficult. It does not make first class forage but stock will eat it. Its chief value is its ability to grow in alkaline places, thereby absorbing the alkali.

"It is said that the Australian salt bush will do the same. This plant resembles tumble weed, and the station has been informed that it is becoming quite a pest in the neighborhood of Walla Walla. Therefore the experiment station does not advise you to try it.

"The salt grass to which you refer is entirely different from the Iowa quack grass. You will find that blue grass, as well as other grasses, will frequently crowd out alfalfa; in fact, throughout this region we find that after six or seven years the alfalfa becomes so crowded out by other grasses that the ground has to be worked over, or plowed up. Frequent disking will control this to some extent. I doubt if alfalfa will grow in any soil where the water table is as near as three feet to the surface.

"The pest which you mention is undoubtedly the aphid, or apple lice, which affect the leaves. They are sucking insects, and absorb so much of the sap that the leaves curl up and ultimately die. It is difficult to control wire worms when they once get a start. It is possible that a treatment of air-slacked lime around the plants, or even an application of salt, might have a beneficial effect. Either of these applications would need to be made with great care."

Query—Will you kindly advise us concerning the use of dust sprayers in the fruit raising sections of the Pacific slope? Has their success been uniform, or otherwise?

Ans.—There is a peculiar condition existing at the present time relative to the use of dust sprays in the several fruit growing sections of the Northwest. Quite a number of orchardists are using the dust sprays at the present time, and are successful to the extent of keeping their fruit almost entirely free from insect pests, reducing the amount of injury to less than one per cent. Other experiments have failed entirely. Where successfully used, this method of spraying is very satisfactory, especially in hilly orchards where it is almost impossible to get around with a gasoline outfit. In the opinion of W. S. Thornber, horticulturist of the state experiment station of Washington, the matter of dust sprays is a good field for further exploitation. — From the Washington State College, Pullman.

Her Generosity.
He—I wish that you were poor, so that you would be willing to marry me.
She—Evidently I am far more generous than you. I wish you were rich, so that I might be willing to marry you.

Sad Oversight.
How many persons who go away on vacations to roam Take trunkfuls of perfectly useless things And leave their manners at home!

John Has Become a Sightseer.

"John Chinaman, as a race, has become fired with municipal zeal," said a New Yorker who likes to watch the sightseeing wagons. "Also John has become financially reckless. Several times this spring I have seen 'rubber-necks' go by with two or more Chinamen among the passengers. I don't remember ever to have seen that phenomenon until this season, except, of course, in the case of traveling Orientals. But the sightseeing Chinese that I have noticed lately are residents of New York out for the first time in their lives probably to see something of the town they live in."

CONSCIENTIOUS ABOUT IT.

"Mr. Glizzard," asked the caller, "are you carrying all the life insurance you can afford?"
"No," answered the man at the desk. "I can afford more, and I had expected to take out more, but from a note I got from my employer this morning I have begun to suspect that I'm carrying a good deal more than I am worth."

A Sporting Event.

Mrs. Peck—Henry, do you see anything in the paper about Blinker running over his mother-in-law?
Mr. Peck—Not yet. I haven't come to the sporting news.—Puck.

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