

BURBANK PERFECTS NEW GRAIN NAMED SUPER-WHEAT TO CHECK WORLD FAMINE AND AID TO VICTORY

Plant Wizard's Contribution to War Is Propagation of New Variety of Wheat Which Will Quadruple America's Output and Yield Five Times as Much as Ordinary Wheat.



Luther Burbank.

SANTA ROSA, Cal., July 10.—Luther Burbank, the world's greatest scientific agriculturist, today announced the perfection of a "super wheat" which he believes will go far toward solving the universal problem of grain shortage.

Its yield is five times as much per acre as the average production throughout the United States today.

Where 15 bushels are now garnered, 40 to 70 bushels is the measure of the new Burbank variety. It is as if this genius of the plant kingdom had suddenly extended many fold America's wheat acreage.

The promise of this achievement for a hunger-threatened world can scarcely be over-estimated.

Experiment Ten Years.

It is the product of 10 years' extensive and very expensive experimenting to combine into one new grain the best food qualities, hardhood and fecundity of many strains of wheat selected from all parts of the earth.

It has been carefully tested in comparison with 68 of the world's best wheats and excels every one of them in productiveness.

Burbank told me about this wonder grain here for the first time today. Until now he has kept it secret for fear the result of his labor would be appropriated by exploiters.

"I have," he said, "perfected and ready for the market the most productive wheat ever evolved by man—you may say that without qualification, and I'll back it up.

"The average yield will run about 50 to 70 bushels to the acre. It is hardy, barless, smooth and milky, and will grow anywhere in the temperate zone.

"Were it universally planted, the same acreage today under cultivation should yield many times as much wheat."

Working Against Time.

No man's time is of more value to the nation than Luther Burbank's.

Identified with the National Emergency Food Garden Commission, he is working feverishly against time in his home and experiment gardens here—living on his nerve, toiling often far into the night; giving the world freely the benefits of his genius.

He gave me half an hour from his precious tasks; a quiet, smiling man whose face is as gray as his hair and

whose clothes were stained with the dust from his garden.

"This country has raised over 500,000,000 bushels of Burbank potatoes since I produced them in 1873," resumed the former Massachusetts farmer lad who has become the world's plant wizard. "Twenty-seven million carloads!"

"According to official statement more than 85 per cent of all plums and prunes annually shipped out of California in fresh state are my own creations.

"But I make the confident prediction that my new wheat will do as much or more for the nation than the Burbank potato and the fruits."

Like Cotted Gold.

He showed me a sheaf of the super grain, fondling it with the scientist's passion for his creation. The heads were like cotted gold—long, heavy and amazingly big grained.

"Protein," he resumed, "is the important food element in wheat. I am still working to increase the protein in this new type and in other western varieties of grain which are particularly lacking in it.

"With that element now improved and the yield per acre greatly augmented, a big step forward has been taken in meeting the world's cry for bread.

"And now you'll have to excuse me," he concluded, hurrying back into the garden which is far more precious than any arsenal to the government that must feed the legions fighting to make the world safe for democracy.

MOST PROPOSED TO MAN MARRIED TO 'QUIET LITTLE LADY'

CHICAGO, July 10.—Colonel Edward H. H. Green, son of the late Hetty Green, and probably the most proposed-to man in the United States, was married here today to Miss Mabel E. Harlow of Highland Park, a suburb. The ceremony was performed at Trinity Episcopal church.

The bride is wealthy in her own right. The couple have been acquainted 15 years.

Colonel Green gave his bride a wedding gift of \$625,000. \$500,000 was in a check and the remainder in liberty bonds.

CHICAGO, July 10.—Colonel Edward H. R. Green, son of the late Hetty Green, who in her lifetime usually was spoken of as the "richest woman in America," will be married today. His bride will be Miss Mabel E. Harlow, who since the death of her mother or five years ago, has resided with relatives in Highland park, a suburb of Chicago.

Colonel Green, who shares the \$100,000,000 estate left by his mother with his sister, Mrs. Matthew Astor Wilks, said that he was marrying for something millions can't buy—"a real home."

"The most proposed to man in the world," who declared that the newspapers had cleared him to receive 9000 letters of proposal in the past 15 years, showed a human and democratic side in discussing his marriage.

"I am marrying the best and most sensible little lady in the world," he said. "I am marrying a quiet little lady to whom I can go when I am burdened with the troubles of the world; I am marrying for a real home. I want to say right now that I am not marrying a society bud. I am marrying a truly sensible woman. I do not know who is going to be the boss. All I can say is that I am going to try to be."

Colonel Green gave his age as 48 years and Miss Harlow's as 47.

300 CANDIDATES OUT OF OFFICERS' RESERVE

SAN FRANCISCO, July 10.—With the discharge of 19 men today from the officers reserve corps training camp at the presidio here, it was announced that since the camp opened May 15, 300 candidates have resigned or have been dismissed for manifest unfitness and physical disability. This camp will close in five weeks with the second camp scheduled to open August 27.

SLAVS NEAR LEMBERG.

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east of Oosttaverne, a mile northeast of Wytshaeete.

BERLIN, July 10.—The German war office today announced that the German forces fighting in the Stanislaw sector of the Galician front were yesterday withdrawn behind the Lomnica river.

Near Riga, Dvinsk and Smorgon, on the northern end of the Russian front, the official statement added, fighting between the Germans and Russians had increased.

Russians Take 1000 Men.

PETROGRAD, July 10.—General Korniloff's offensive in eastern Galicia continues, despite the energetic resistance and stubborn counter-attacks of the Teutons, the war office announced today. Additional villages have been captured. More than 1000 prisoners were taken yesterday. The Russians also captured three field guns, many trench mortars and machine guns and a quantity of war material.

The statement says the enemy has retreated to the Lomnica river. In two days the Russians penetrated to a depth of six and two-thirds miles the enemy positions west of Stanislaw.

Germans Repelled.

PARIS, July 10.—The Germans returned to the attack on the Aisne front last night and again met with defeat, the war office reports. A strong assault on the French positions at Hurbetise monument and the Dragon was repelled. The attacking waves suffered severely and were unable to reach the French lines.

Local Attacks at Laffaux mill, Ailles, Corbeny, Courcy and Auberville were unsuccessful. The French took prisoners.

LONDON, July 10.—"Last night we advanced our line slightly east of Oosttaverne (one mile northeast of Wytshaeete)" says today's official announcement. "South of the Ypres-Comines canal we carried out a successful raid. We captured some prisoners."

HINDUS ARRESTED FOR CONSPIRACY TO FOMENT UPRISING

SAN FRANCISCO, July 10.—Six Hindus were arrested in a raid on the offices of the Hindustan Gadar, a vernacular newspaper, today by a posse of deputy marshals led by United States Marshal James B. Holohan. Four of the men were among those named in more than 100 indictments returned last week against San Francisco business and shipping men, German consular agents and Hindus, charging world-wide conspiracy to foment in America an uprising against British rule in India. The other two have not been indicted.

The officers searched the \$10,000 residence of Ram Chandra, editor of the Gadar, who is under indictment as one of the ring leaders of the alleged conspiracy, and now at liberty on bail, without discovering new evidence, according to their report to Marshal Holohan.

United States District Attorney John W. Preston, who presented the evidence to the federal grand jury, after months of investigation, expected that many of those indicted would voluntarily surrender today and secure release on heavy bail, which it is believed will be \$10,000 in each case.

In addition to the indictments charging conspiracy to overthrow British government in India, true bills were returned against more than two score "others" throughout America and foreign countries charging plots to violate American neutrality during the first two years of the war by supplying German warships in Pacific waters with food and ammunition from San Francisco.

ROOT'S COMMISSION LEAVES RUSSIA SOON

WASHINGTON, July 10.—America's commission to Russia, headed by Elihu Root, virtually has completed its work in the new democracy and soon will start for home.

Administration officials expressed the greatest satisfaction today over what has been accomplished by the mission.

CENTRAL POINT

Lowell Grim arrived here the first of the week and will remain in the city for a short time.

Frank Ernest returned to his home in Klamath Falls Thursday morning after a short visit in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Buick and young son of Myrtle Creek stopped on their way from the roundup at Ashland to spend a few hours with their friend, Mrs. Maria Purkeypile.

Mr. David C. Grim, respected and loved resident of Central Point, passed away at his home here Wednesday morning, July 4, at 5:20 o'clock. Mr. Grim was a resident of Central Point for thirteen years and his upright business principles, cheery voice and ever ready smile won him a host of admiring friends, which few men can boast of. The passing of Mr. Grim has caused much sorrow in this community. Mr. Grim leaves a wife, two daughters and four sons to mourn his loss. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Grim of this city, and sisters also survive him. The sympathy of the entire community goes out to the bereaved family in their loss.

Central Point was almost deserted July 4th, the majority of the people going to the celebration at Ashland, others going to the river and back to nature, while still others motored to Crescent City.

Miss Jessie Chauncey who has been employed as nursery girl in the Ruhl home for the past month, is home for a visit with her mother and sisters.

Mrs. Daisy Stidham and Pat Stidham of Grants Pass are spending a few days at their residence in this city.

Mrs. L. L. Norcross and daughter, Miss Alta left Friday morning for North Dakota, where they will make a lengthy visit to relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. George Messner and children are among the out of town visitors here this week. The above

There is more catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Release has proven catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.

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mentioned people are from Klamath Falls and are paying a visit to Mrs. Stidham, Mrs. Messner's mother, and other relatives.

W. E. Price Jr., left Friday evening for Portland, where he expects to join the navy.

Mr. C. S. Sanderson, Mrs. Sanderson and small daughter, Miss Dorothy, took leave of Central Point Thursday morning, going to Tacoma, Washington, at which place Mrs. Sanderson and daughter will spend the summer with relatives. Mr. Sanderson returning home after a fortnight's visit.

Mrs. George Wilcox, sister of the late David C. Grim, of Corvallis, Oregon, spent the past week in Central Point.

W. H. England of Nelson, Nebraska, arrived here Friday evening to spend a few days with relatives here. Mr. England is the father of Mrs. D. C. Grim.

Mrs. W. E. Kahler, who spent the past seven days in Oregon's metropolis, has returned to her home here.

Ernest Minuth of Ashland attended the funeral of the late David Grim Sunday afternoon.

Prof. E. B. Stanley and Mrs. Stanley left the last of the week in their car for Washington, where they will spend several weeks among relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Scott and Mrs. Robert Reames were among the Medford residents who were here Sunday at the burial services of David C. Grim.

The funeral of the late David C. Grim, held at the Methodist church here Sunday afternoon was one of the largest attended funerals ever held in Central Point. Friends, laden with beautiful flowers, from all over the valley sadly walked into the church as early as 1 o'clock, to gaze for the last time on one whom the citizens of our valley loved dearly. David Grim will be greatly missed here, not in one way, but in many ways. For many years he was drayman for Central Point and vicinity and in that business was always upright, honest and just. He also served as a member of the city council for six years, fire chief for a number of years, and prevented many fires here by burning the grass on the vacant lots and around empty houses. That Central Point appreciated all of these services was shown by the great crowd of sorrowing friends who gathered at the church here Sunday. It was truly said of this noble man that he was a fine type of manhood in every respect of the work.

Mrs. Laura Grim and children and Mr. and Mrs. John Grim desire to thank the many friends who were so kind and solicitous to them in their great sorrow.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Grim accompanied their daughter, Mrs. George Wilcox to her home in Corvallis Tuesday morning. Mr. Lowell Grim also went to the same place to resume his work there.

COURT HOUSE REPORT

Reported by Jackson County Abstract Co., Sixth and Fir Sts.

Marriage Licenses.

Elmer E. Simmons and Louie M. Sweet.

John M. Ballou and Leatha Brown.

Circuit Court.

E. S. Davis vs. Riley Allen et al. For money.

Mary Ellen Marlon vs. Griffin Fletcher Marlon, Divorce.

State vs. Sylvester Decker. Transcript from justice court.

State vs. Floyd Diekey and Vester P. Decker. Transcript from justice court.

M. S. Johnson vs. Samuel Bertelson et al. Demurrer.

Effie L. Reeves vs. A. B. Reeves, Summons.

Axel E. Runo vs. P. A. Watson et al. Summons.

Probate Court.

Olaf Rye Bjernegaard Estate. Order to sell realty.

Edward Henry Estate. Inventory and appraisement. First notice to creditors. Final report.

Ritter & Dunlap (partnership estate). Petition for guardian ad lib. Order for same. Petition to reduce bond. Order reducing bond. Answer of guardian ad lib. Report of sale of realty.

Gust Nygren Estate. Affidavit of mailing.

John W. Wells Estate. Admitted to probate.

Matthew P. Blockert (minor) Estate. Undertaking.

SOME CAR

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J. W. Hook et al to J. C. Glead, mining claims in Steamboat Mining district. 1000

W. H. Turpin et ux to Arnold LeTissier, undivided one-fourth interest in mining property. 30

Walter King to Henry LeTissier, undivided one-fourth interest in mining property Jackson County Building & Loan Association to Clarence E. Eads et ux, lot 10, block 52, Medford. 10

United States to Dald N. Birdseye et ux, D. L. C. No. 42 in T. 36-4 west. 10

Gold Hill Irrigation district to Clara Reames et al, land in T. 36-4 west. 10

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FOR SALE—Five good grade dairy cows, three already fresh, two will soon be. Geo. Irwin, Talent, Phone 371-R4. 94

FOR SALE—25 head stock cattle, for all they are worth. W. Wagner, Traill. 96

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

FOR SALE—Bing cherries at orchard or delivered. Potter & Gould, Phone 25-R2. 95

FOR SALE—Good Royal Ann and May Duke cherries. Very reasonable. Phone 834-L. 98

FOR SALE—Bing and Royal Ann cherries, tree ripened. Berkeley orchards. Phone H721. 94

FOR SALE—Buffet, golden oak, 54 inches. Phone 553-J. 96

FOR SALE—Sewing machine, dresser, dining chairs, couch, leather rocker, library table and baby bed and chair. Must be sold at once. 1211 West Tenth St. 93

FOR SALE—Royal Ann cherries, 50 on trees. Bing, 60 and 70. Hamilton Orchards, Phone 881, Medford. Central Point 383. 97

FOR SALE—Two Fords, excellent condition. Inquire W. R. DeLay. 93

FOR SALE—Loganberries. Phone 86-Y. 97

FOR SALE—Or trade, Sharples No. 4 cream separator. Cad Ellis, Talent, Oregon. 94

FOR SALE—25 tier dry wood. Phone R-13W. 93

FOR SALE—Cheap, second hand one-cylinder Excelsior motorcycle. Inquire Rogue River Fruit & Produce association. 96

FOR SALE—One Edison Dictaphone, Model "D", practically new; also supply unused records. Inquire Rogue River Fruit & Produce association. 96

HELP WANTED—FEMALE

WANTED—Woman for general house work. 132-Y. 93

HELP WANTED—MALE

WANTED—Half-dozen good laboring men to leave for Crater Lake July 11. Wages \$2.25 per day and board. Court Hall. 94

WANTED—Man and wife for work on ranch. Phone 468-J1. 94

WANTED—Young men eighteen years and over. All summer work. Good pay. Box factory. Fruit-growers Supply Co., Hill Cal. 98

WANTED MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—To buy good second-hand refrigerator. Phone 197. 94

WANTED—To buy stock hogs. Phone W. R. Lamb, Medford. 97

WANTED—Teams for orchard work. Mira Vista Orchard. Phone 597-J2. 94

WANTED—Fruit press in good order. Phone 1475 evenings. 95

WANTED—Stockmen, wanted beef and feeders. Those having same phone J. H. Carlton, 12-F-2. 100

WANTED—Hay to bale for power baler. First class work. Call H. D. Powell, Phone Ashland 4F13, on Mira Vista orchard. Phone 597-J2. 94

WANTED—Bring us your eggs and poultry. We pay cash. Medford Poultry and Egg Co. 94

WANTED—Houses to move. Phone 488-M. or 488-X. 94

WANTED—SITUATIONS

WANTED—Position as housekeeper or nurse. Phone 470-Y. 93

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FOR SALE—Stock of seasonal merchandise. Will invoice around 25,000 with fixtures. I will rent building for a term of years at a very low rent, or sell at option of purchaser. Good country trade and a bargain for the right man. Address: Box 71, Butte Falls, Oregon. 117

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FOR RENT—One completely furnished apartment at Hotel Holland. 94

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FOR RENT—Six-room modern bungalow, big sleeping porch, all modern conveniences. Dr. E. H. Porter. 93

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FOR RENT—Modern five-room house and garage. Phone 370-W. 94

FOR RENT—Furnished and unfurnished houses. Employment Agency. M. A. Rader, 123 East Main. 94

LOST

LOST—Columbia bicycle, repainted, from alley by long distance telephone office, Sunday night. Tel. phone 553-J. 95

LOST—Red bill book containing \$20 gold piece, one \$10 bill and one \$1 bill. Two clippings containing the drawings of James Roberts. Notify: W. A. Beck, Rogue River, Ore., and receive reward. 94

MONEY TO LOAN

TO LOAN—Small sums to loan on A-1 farm property. Carlin and Taylor. 94

MONEY TO LOAN—On good security. Phone 647-J. J. H. Anderson, Medford Business College Bldg., Room 2. 94

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