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Reports show the wheat crop of the United States to be only two-thirds of what it was last year.

There seems but little doubt that the Federal election law will be promptly repealed at the next session of Congress.

The banks of the State are preparing to resist the provision of the new revenue law which authorizes cities and counties to levy an additional tax, over and above the State tax, of forty-two and one-half cents.

According to the Maysville Ledger it requires only "confidence" and not money to run this government. All right. Now please tell us what you folks did with the hundreds of millions of dollars which were in the treasury 1. March, 1893, and which were not there in March, 1892.

At Hawaii political affairs have reached such a heated state as to suggest some sympathy with the mid-summer mercury. Three Englishmen have been arrested charged with conspiracy to overthrow the Provisional Government.

The following announcement in the Whitley County Advocate, if true, will send joy to many hearts all over this broad land of ours: "Please Remit, a son-of-a-gun, died at his home on Jellico creek, this county, Wednesday night."

A Card From the Superintendent of Public Instruction. The following communication has been received for publication from Hon. E. Porter Thompson, Superintendent of Public Instruction:

To County Superintendents:—After consultation with the Attorney General relative to the question as to whether the County Superintendent now in office will have to be re-examined for certificates of eligibility, I have to advise you as follows:

1. He construes the language in section 28, providing for exemption from re-examination in case a Superintendent has been continuously in office, etc., to apply solely to those who may obtain certificates of eligibility under the revised school law, and that all candidates who mean to stand for election to the office of County Superintendent in November, 1893, must be examined on the last Saturday in this month.

2. The County Board for the examination of candidates will be constituted as heretofore, of the County Judge, County Attorney and a competent person selected by them.

3. Those who prefer to do so can be examined by the State Board of Examiners at this office, on the same day. The questions used here will be the same as those used by the County Board, and the same regulations will obtain.

4. The questions will be sent under seal and in registered packages, as prescribed by law, in about three weeks from this date.

5. It is not discretionary with the State Board of Examiners to sit for this examination any other day than the one named above, or to grant special licenses.

The fee will be only \$2 instead of \$1 as heretofore. Yours truly E. PORTER THOMPSON, Superintendent of Public Instruction.

To The Pon For Life. In the Pike Circuit Court Johnson West was last week convicted of the murder of Constable Jacob Runyon and sentenced to the penitentiary for life. West killed Runyon while the latter was trying to arrest him for shooting Albert Blackburn. The criminal docket is being rapidly disposed of by the court.

Monthly Crop Report.

FRANKFORD, Ky., July 8, 1893. Since my last report I made a short visit to the Columbian Exposition at Chicago. I wish every farmer in the State could see the great show. I was only there three days, and spent the greater portion of the time in the agricultural department. My aim being to find distribution. I found a sample of wheat in the Australian exhibit which I consider extra fine. But after examining the geography of the country as to its climate, I fear it will not suit our State. I will go back, not so hurried, and try it again.

The wheat harvest is about all in the shock; the weather has been all that was required to shock it in excellent shape. If it continues favorable, we will soon hear the threshers at work, and we will then know with more certainty the comparative yield with last year. There are some few counties in which complaint is made from injury from rust; in some other counties there is complaint of midge. One report is of two fields of wheat, one about a week earlier than the other, a fence dividing the fields. The early field was not injured at all; the late field badly injured.

The average condition July 1st is 90 per cent. Corn was planted very late, but the weather has been very favorable for plowing, and although it is very small, the color is good and looks well, and bids fair to make a fine crop. Some planting was not finished until the latter part of June. The season for our corn crop last year was very similar to this so far, and if we succeed this year in making as good a crop as last, we should be satisfied. Average 98 per cent.; condition July 1, 86 per cent.

Planting is about completed. In some few localities there are yet some planters who have some tobacco to set. The bulk of planting however, is over. The late rains enabled the farmers to finish setting, and the work of cultivation has fairly commenced. I have noticed some fields of early setting that are looking fine. Plants have been abundant; no complaints have reached us, from insects or otherwise, from any quarter. With a fine prospect for a good crop of corn and tobacco; meadows of all kinds never better; all kinds of live-stock bearing good prices, surely the outlook for the farmer is not altogether discouraging, although he has to take a very nearly unprecedented low price for his wheat.

The cat crop is nearly ready for the harvester. I doubt if ever there was a better crop raised in the State. Some few correspondents place the per cent. as high as 150. The average per cent. is 105. Not many counties report sorghum—the growth is small as yet—percent. 91. Average of potatoes over an average crop, and the yield will be very large. Average per cent. 93, condition 104.

The amount of wool shorn as compared with last year, 98 per cent. There has been a very large crop of clover harvested; very heavy and fine weather for saving it; the per cent. is 103. Some few farmers commenced cutting their timothy meadows. They are very fine; per cent. 98. The condition of all grasses good; per cent. 96.

Some correspondents report not a sound apple to be found; the crop will be very short. The per cent. is 53. The average condition of peaches is better than apples, but the crop will not be good. The per cent. is 65. The average condition of grapes is placed at 87.

NICHOLAS McDOWELL, Commissioner.

GLENWOOD.

Our Sunday School is progressing nicely.

Our public school began last Monday with J. W. Woods as teacher.

The farmers are rejoicing over the prospects of good corn crops.

The hay crop as a general thing will be only about half the usual crop.

The excitement caused at our late school election has not altogether abated, as one can see the effects nearly every day. This is not as it should be. The trustees congratulated themselves that they have secured the services of a good teacher, one that gives general satisfaction in every respect.

We will stand badly in need of an M. I. but no one seems interested enough to bring one into our neighborhood.

Mrs. Mary Parsons, of Cattleburg, was here on a visit the most of last week at her brother's Frank Twain.

Harvey Mix and wife left here yesterday to visit Mr. Burton at Pleasant Gap.

George Friley, of Spring Creek, was here a few days ago and bought up a lot of calves for the World's Fair.

Our enterprising merchant Wesley Webb has put up a set of scales near his store, which in a God send

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place. Mr. Perkins will look into the matter. Robert Holbrook, of Looper's Glory, recently got an increase of pension to \$12 per month. Rev. Wm. Hunter, of Catsfork, will hold services every Sunday at the Knotty Poplar Church until cold weather; commencing services at 10 a. m. William Briard has recently purchased a new set of blacksmith tools and will open up a shop near this place in a short time. RUBEN RYAN. In the Libby Glass Works at the World's Fair there is now on exhibition a spun-glass dress made for the Princess Eulalia. It was fabricated from 12,000,000 feet of fine glass threads spun and woven into cloth in the Libby Building, the garment being subsequently fashioned by a New York modiste, who fitted the costume to the Princess and then sent it back to Libby for approval. The gown in appearance resembles white satin, with a lustrous superior to that of ordinary silk. The skirt is made demi-train, and is plain, with the exception of a row of glass fringe about the bottom and four bows of the same material falling from the middle of the skirt to the hem. The waist is cut décolleté, and soft glass ruching appears about the sleeves and neck. The dress will eventually be sent to Spain.

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Sheriff's Sale for Taxes. On Monday July 17, 1893, I or one of my deputies will offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder the following property, for each in hand, to satisfy taxes held against it as indicated: Noah Peters 40 acres land adjoining John Peters, for the year 92. Jacob Peters Jr., 23 acres land adjoining Van Wellman, for the year 92. K. F. Prichard (heirs) 172 acres land adjoining Louisa Prince on the waters of Big Blaine for the year 92. John M. Rice and Prichard 25 acres of land adjoining G. Wilson, for the year 92. Sarah See 25 acres of land adjoining Charles Peters for the year 92. Ella See 14 acres of land adjoining Rod Dawson for the year 92. James See 1 lot in the town of Louisa for the year 92. Roland Sammons 1 house and lot in the town of Louisa for the year 92. Lucy Sammons 1 house and lot in the town of Louisa for the year 92. Frank Hartman 1 house and lot in the town of Louisa for the year 92. Ellen Compton 1 hundred acres land adjoining William Little on Lick creek, 92. V. B. Dawson 27 acres land adjoining James Peters on Three Mile creek, 92. Daniel Fox 23 acres land adjoining Vinasa and Northup on the waters of Three Mile creek for the year 92. William Hurley 1 of an acre of land adjoining Jake Felton on Three Mile creek for the year 92. S. B. Justice heirs, 1 house and lot in Louisa for the years 1891-92.

George Clark 16 acres of land adjoining Sank Hall for year 91-92. Moses Farler 10 acres adjoining G. F. Johnson for years 91-92. Laura Freese one lot adjoining J. H. O'Brien for year 1892. Patsy Fieble one lot in town of Louisa for year 92. Chat Vinson one lot in town of Louisa for year 91. George Williams one lot in town of Louisa for year 92. Hall Preston, Jr., 100 acres adjoining James Cocker and David Rose, 92. A. J. WILSON, S. L. C. Jackson Moore 46 acres of land, adjoining Doc Carter on Dry Ridge for the year 1891. Belle Hubbard 89 acres of land adjoining Sarah Carter on Cherokee for the year of 1891. Richard Sparks 25 acres of land adjoining Henry Hicks on Caines creek for the years 1891-92. Henry Hicks 75 acres of land adjoining Walt Edwards on Caines Creek, for the year 1892. Lewis Perkins 1 acre of land adjoining Martha Perkins on Cherokee for the year of 1892. Robert R. Hunt 52 acres of land adjoining J. R. Dean on Dry Ridge for the year 1892. A. J. WILSON, S. L. C. O. J. W. SHANNON, D. S. Louisa Adkins 120 acres adjoining John Powers, for 1892. Harrison Adkins 20 acres adjoining Jeff Meeks, for 1892. Thomas C. Burton, one town lot in the town of Fallburg, for 92. Pernelin Cucksey heirs, 34 acres of land as J. M. Riffe, Adm'r, for the year 1892. Richard Jordan, one town lot in the town of Fallburg, for 92. Elizabeth Lovejoy 80 acres adjoining Ben Burdett for 92. Rachel Lovejoy, 120 acres adjoining Jeff Meeks, for 92. Jas. McNole 30 acres adjoining Frank Burton, for 1892. Henry Wilson, one house and lot adjoining Mill Dalton, 1892. A. J. Wilson Sheriff by T. W. Don D. S.

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Quarterly Report

Table with columns for various financial items and their amounts, including 'Loans and discount how due', 'Capital stock paid in cash', and 'Profit and loss'.

STATE OF KENTUCKY, COUNTY OF LOUISIANA: G. R. Vinson, Cashier of the Bank of Louisa, a Bank located and doing business in the town of Louisa in said county, being duly sworn says that the foregoing report is in all respects a true and correct statement of the condition of the said Bank before the transaction of any business on the 1st day of July, 1893, to the best of his knowledge and belief; and further says the same is a true and correct statement of the condition of the said Bank as of said date, and that the above report is made in compliance with an official notice received from Secretary of State designating the 1st day of July, 1893, as the day on which such report shall be made. Subscribed and sworn to before me by G. R. Vinson, Cashier, this 10th day of July, 1893. M. S. RYAN, Notary Public for Louisa Co., Ky.

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