

CITY NEWS.

FACTS ABOUT FLAX

Agricultural Dep't Year-Book Exhaustively Reviews the Culture of This Product.

Minneapolis and the Northwest Are Prominent in the Citations Used.

The northwest, which produces more than nine-tenths of all the flaxseed grown in the United States...

According to advance sheets of this report, just received by The Journal, "the flax crop" says Charles M. Daugherty...

At the present time Europe, and especially Russia, produces flax for its fiber. The United States, Argentina and British India cultivate the plant almost exclusively for seed...

The invention of the cotton gin, in 1793, put a permanent stop upon American production of flax for fiber...

During many years, nevertheless, the flax seed mills of America were largely dependent upon seed imported from India. The greater expense of transporting the foreign seed was more than offset by the increased quantity and the superior quality of the oil obtainable from the Indian product...

Not only has the flaxseed crop increased from year to year, but it has also migrated annually toward the west. In a certain degree, the soil of one district, the crop was abandoned there, as no longer profitable...

In 1849 the United States produced 500,000 bushels of flaxseed. Ohio, with one-third of all the crop, was the leading national state. Twenty years later the national crop had doubled. Then Ohio, still the principal producer, was almost eclipsed by Indiana.

North Dakota Holds Record. In 1879 Illinois led. In 1889 Minnesota grew more flaxseed than any other state. Ten years afterward North Dakota reported much the largest crop...

Meantime two flaxseed districts had become defined. In one was grown the so-called northern crop. In the other the southwestern crop. Among the northwestern states North Dakota, as mentioned, was most productive last year.

The northwest district, producing more than nine-tenths of the American crop, has enjoyed a further advantage over the southwestern district in the superior quality of the northern seed.

There is practically no waste in either process. Each bushel (66 pounds) of flaxseed produces about 18 1/2 pounds (2 1/2 gallons) of linseed oil, and 37 1/2 pounds of flaxseed cake...

L. C. Rains, general agent of the Great Western, was at the office Tuesday after a three weeks' illness from rheumatic gout.

PRIZE GOWN OF THE CARNIVAL QUEEN

—Photo by Opsahl.



The \$200 gown to be presented to the winner of the queen of the carnival voting contest is of cafe au lait crepe de chine, Paquin's latest shirred model. The bodice has an elaborate bretelle of Tarquary lace and a batiste yoke, shirred girde and low shoulder effect. The skirt has a shirred yoke and three bands of lace over chiffon. The petticoat is of French taffeta. A counterpart of the dress is shown in the window of the Young-Quinlan company...

MILES' LONG BOW

A Former Commissary Dep't Official Says the General Exaggerated Insular Conditions.

Admits There Was Cruelty, but Says Tagalos Made It Necessary.

Captain E. B. Fenton of Detroit who, as a prominent official of the commissary department for one year in Cuba and two years in the Philippines, helped feed the soldiers of Uncle Sam in two hemispheres, during the late wars with Spain and the Tagalos, is at the Hotel Rogers...

Not far from 70 per cent of the flax seed "crushed" in the United States goes to the four great linseed-oil centers—Buffalo, Minneapolis, New York and Chicago. Of the forty-odd oil mills in the country, three at Buffalo, two each at New York, St. Louis and Toledo, Ohio. There are single mills in various cities.

Except at one mill American linseed oil is manufactured by the "old" process, that is, by crushing the seed in hydraulic presses. One mill, at South Chicago, uses the "new process," which extracts the oil from the seed by the volatile solvent, naphtha.

There is a great field in the islands," said he, "for young men. But for my age, I would not have remained in the Philippines after being mustered out at the end of my three years' service. I am surprised that more young Americans who want to do the same of what our fathers did not remain. It is not true that only the trusts and capitalists stand any chance of bettering their fortunes in the islands."

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS. Central Bank of Rochester to Annie H. Woerner, lot 1, block 33, Calhoun Park \$300. Frank H. Barry and wife to Catherine J. Wells et al., lot 1, block 63, Minnetonka, Arlington Heights addition, \$2,700. Melissa A. Butler and husband to M. R. Tomlinson, lot 12, block 4, Wyant & Kitchell's addition, \$300. Andrew Renckens and wife to Con Sullivan, lot 6, block 9, Marshall's addition, \$400. William H. Deper and wife to Joseph Plande, in section 36, township 121, range 23, \$125. Wohlmuehle Kohlsattel to Pennsylvania Oil and Sugar company, whole part of lot 20, Auditor's subdivision 31, \$400. Fletcher L. Walker and wife to William T. Pauly, lot 7, block 35, Calhoun Park, \$1,250. Western Realty company to Vincent Neumann, lot 5, block 8, Fair Grounds addition, \$400. Henry S. Payson et al. to Minnesota Debutante company, undivided one-half lots 7 and 8, block 9, lots 9 to 12, Stinson's addition, \$1,000. James Quirk and wife to Henry L. Little, undivided one-half lots 19 and 20, block 2, \$1,000. Edward J. Davis and wife to Charles O. Lampe, lot 7, block 3, Twenty-sixth street addition, \$1,000. Frank H. Hill and wife to John Knight, lot 5, block 18, Baker's fourth addition, \$1,800. Mary Halasek to Emil G. Halasek, in section 2, township 118, range 22, \$500. John Knight and wife to Arthur E. Eblehorn, lot 6, block 18, Baker's fourth addition, \$1,800. Charles Barry and wife to John Crowder, block 8, Baker's addition, \$900. Elizabeth L. Lusk and Robert R. Atkin, lot 32, block 19, Forest Heights, \$450. Alex Henry and wife to Charles Burrows, lot 3, block 8, Baker's addition, \$900. Frank T. Gilpatrick and wife to John Bendholz, east half of southwest quarter, section 10, township 117, range 22, \$2,500. Michael Becker and wife to Charles Becker, in section 15, township 115, range 21, \$2,000. Emma L. Lathrop and husband to Edgar H. Bass, lot 46, revised Cottagewood, \$1,000. Lida A. Butler and husband to Frank H. Barry, lots 1 to 5, block 62, Minnetonka, Arlington Heights addition, \$2,700. Seven minor deeds, \$284. Total, 28 deeds, \$37,950.

There never was a case of temporary or obstinate constipation that...

The Sale of Left Overs

Ends Friday—The whole store contributes. There are hundreds of little groups of things in every department left from the Reorganization Sales that will be yours Friday for but little of their cost.

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White Goods

Only Worthy Goods. Persian Lawn—An especially fine and sheer quality, 48 inches wide, the 59c grade; Friday 39c. Batiste—One of the most popular of the thin dress materials of the season, 48 inches wide, the 79c quality; Friday 59c. French Lawn—Handsome for graduating dresses. This kind will wash well, 48 inches wide, regularly \$1.25; Friday 79c. Pique—For shirt waists, suits and skirts. Few materials will equal it in popularity this summer. This 30c quality, Friday at 21c. Swiss Mull—A fabric that is in high favor this summer, the 35c quality; Friday at 25c. Long Cloth—For Friday we have fifty pieces of the English Imperial brand, chamois finish, of the \$1.39 quality, the pieces of twelve yards, at \$1.19. Nainsook—Soft finish, 36 inches wide, very sheer, the 25c kind, Friday, 17c. Long Cloth—This by the yard, full 36 inches wide; a quality that is just right for women's and children's uses, the 15c value, Friday, at 11c. Table Damask—Satin, bleached, patterns handsome and new, 72 inches wide, \$1.75 value, Friday at \$1.38. Napkins—Size 24x24, to match the above damask, always \$5 a dozen, Friday at \$3.98. Linen Pillow Cases of good quality, 45x36 inches, the \$2.00 value, Friday, the pair, \$1.68. Bedsreads—One case of our crocheted quilts, in Marseilles patterns, \$1.50 value, Friday, at \$1.19. Damask Tray Cloths—Hemstitched and new patterns, 20x30 inches, the 60c quality, Friday at 48c. Damask Lunch Cloths in plain and openwork, 45x45 inches, the \$1.10 quality, Friday 88c.

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