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STATE'S CROP REPORT NOV. 1

Crop estimates and forecasts as of November 1, 1913, with comparisons for West Virginia and for the United States, as made by the United States Department of Agriculture, are given below; condition estimates are given in percentages of a normal:

	West Virginia.		United States.	
	1913	1912	1913	1912
Corn:				
Yield per acre..... bu.	31	33.8	23	29.2
Production..... thousand bu.	22,692	24,505	2,463,017	3,124,746
Old on farms Nov. 1.. thousand bu.	931	332	137,932	64,764
Quality, 1913 crop..... per cent		92	89.2	85.5
Potatoes:				
Yield per acre..... bu.		112		113.4
Production..... thousand bu.	3,930	5,264	28,550	420,647
Quality..... per cent	80	94	87.8	90.5
Tobacco:				
Yield per acre..... lbs.	680	760	790	785.5
Production..... thousand lbs.	10,200	12,008	903,875	962,855
Quality..... per cent	88	94	84.7	87.4
Apples:				
Production..... per cent	9	89	94.6	69.9
Quality..... per cent	67	90	70.2	83.0
Prices to producers Nov. 1:				
Corn..... cts. per bu.	81	72	58.4	
Potatoes..... cts. per bu.	95	66	69.6	45.5
Hay..... dols. per ton	14.50	15.20	12.26	11.80
Prices to producers Oct. 15:				
Hogs..... dols. per 100 lbs.	8.00	7.70	7.60	7.70
Apples..... cts. per bu.	110	50	85.6	61.3

AN APPEAL MADE BY MRS. BELMONT

For the Abolition of the Useless Christmas Gift, at Meeting of the Spugs.

NEW YORK, November 12.—A country-wide appeal for the abolition of the useless Christmas gift and a plea for intelligent and thoughtful giving instead were voiced tonight by Mrs. August Belmont, President of the Spugs, at the last opening meeting of the 1913 campaign to be waged by that organization against insincerity, compulsion and waste in Christmas giving.

rolls of the Spugs "the Society for the Prevention of Useless Giving" were thrown open to all residents of the United States who might want to enroll against the foolish Christmas gift. Having grown from a handful to more than 5,000 within a few weeks during the last Christmas season, the Spugs have outlined for this year a national campaign and hope to establish societies in all cities and towns throughout the country.

Mrs. J. Gordon Harriman presided at tonight's meeting. District Attorney Whitman, newly enrolled as a member, and Francis Cronin-shield delivered addresses. Mrs. Belmont was the orator of the even-

ing. The original purpose of the society, she said, was to prevent compulsory giving by girls in stores and factories to their employers, the custom of collective giving which the girls felt they could not afford but which they could not avoid without embarrassment and possible loss of their positions. This was one of the chief objects of the society, she added, but not the only one. Another prime attainment sought, she said, was a general cultivation, by all classes of givers, of more thoughtfulness and expression of personality in making Christmas gifts.

"We do not disapprove of collective giving when it is done on the spur of the moment," she said, "or for some particular cause, because then it means that you have collected a sense of human fellowship of which the money collected is but an expression." We do approve of it when it is for the man lower down instead of for the man higher up.

Some persons think that we oppose giving. Far from it, we do not oppose giving, but we advocate intelligent giving—giving that is done with the Christmas spirit of goodwill as distinguished from giving that is compulsory, from fear or with the hope of obtaining reward—whether that reward be the favor of the man higher up or advancement. The world at large should put more of the Christmas spirit into giving. Christmas should be a time to every person to do his or her share.

"Some folks say to us: 'Of course you want to promote useful giving.' The word useful has many changes of meaning. Usually when one thinks of a useful present, it is a present decidedly middle-class or commonplace. So we do not attempt to promote useful giving in the commonly accepted definition of the word. The thing we are really out to do is to abolish something. We feel that when we have done that there will follow good sense in giving and that everybody will be profited thereby.

"We propose to decrease the cost of the gift and increase the goodwill; to make the heart of Father Christmas rejoice by little acts of kindness, unselfishness, by putting thought into the gift, we send our dear ones. Give generously; but from your heart, with all you thought. Don't make a business of giving, make it an art. Don't waste what should be a season of goodwill freely given."

REPORT

Of An Official Character is Made on the Mesa Verde National Park.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 12.—The widening and repairing of the roads in the Mesa Verde National Park is what is most needed to make that reservation accessible to tourists, according to the annual report of the superintendent recently made to Secretary Lane. This park is in southwestern Colorado and has an area of about seventy-six square miles.

The southern half of the east boundary of the park is formed by the Mancos river, whose general direction at this place is southeast, although the general direction is southwest. This river flows through a deep canyon and forms the southern boundary of the Mesa Verde, all the canyons on the mesa flowing into it. The southern boundary of the park is about two miles north of the river. The steep northern face of the Mesa Verde forms approximately the northern boundary of the park. The entire mesa is cut into narrow mesas by deep canyons from 800 to 1,000 feet in depth, with many short tributary canyons, forming promontories, capped with rim rock seventy-five to 200 feet thick and covered with a thick evergreen forest of piñon and cedar.

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Very truly yours,
E. B. PITNEY,
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Personally appeared before me this 7th day of June, 1912, Mr. E. B. Pitney who subscribed the above statement and made oath that the same is true in substance and in fact.
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The principal canyons containing ruins on the park are Navajo, Cliff, Soda, Lee and Horse. Cliff Palace is in Cliff Canyon, Balcony House in Ruin Canyon, and Spruce Tree House in Spruce Tree Canyon, a tributary of Navajo Canyon. Enconced in caves under the rim rock and very nearly inaccessible are the cliff dwellings, large and small. On top of the mesas are numerous mounds, which at one time were large pueblos, and which contained a numerous population. Some of these have an area as high as 750 acres each. There are over 400 ruins in the park.

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EXHIBITS

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SAN DIEGO, Calif., Nov. 12.—A statement issued on the first day of November by the officials of the San Diego exposition inform those interested in the progress of the work on the exposition grounds that the exposition was more than one-half completed, and that the division of works was six weeks in advance



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