

WHEAT THRESHING ABOUT COMPLETED.

Farmers report that the threshing of wheat is practically completed in Bourbon county, and that the yield is very satisfactory. Millers and farmers say the quality of the grain this year is good and that it weighs heavier than last year.

The acreage was a trifle smaller this year, but the production is larger. The yield ranged from ten to forty bushels per acre, the average being from ten to twenty-five bushels per acre.

Paris millers are still offering \$2.35 per bushel for wheat, but the amount sold on the market continues to be small. Much brought in is stored, and only a comparatively small amount is placed on the market for sale.

SHIPMENT OF TOBACCO FOR U. S. TROOPS LOST.

The Young Men's Christian Association's shipment of tobacco for the American troops in France has been lost. Word came from Paris from the Red Cross Commission in France, saying no suitable tobacco to replace the lost shipments was obtained there, and urged that ten tons of tobacco be shipped at once.

The Red Cross War Council immediately accepted an offer of the Liggett & Myers Tobacco Company to donate 1,500,000 cigarettes, 20,000 packages of smoking tobacco and 10,000 cuts of chewing tobacco, which will be forwarded to the American troops at once. France has agreed to admit the tobacco free of duty as well as all other articles for the American soldiers.

DRAFTED MEN TO RECEIVE PROPER CONSIDERATION.

Men called for military services under the selective draft law will receive consideration of a nature vastly different from that governing the conscription of the War Between the States or the methods employed in Germany or other nations in forcing men into ranks of the army. In the regulations governing the mobilization of selected men in their home districts for transportation to the cantonments, the President has urged every precaution to dispel the notion of enforced or unwilling service. These regulations, approved by the President, were announced Friday night.

MUSICIANS BADLY WANTED BY NAVY.

Recruiting by the United States navy at its Frankfort station has been discontinued and Chief Gunner's Mate L. L. Hallam, who has been in charge, is now at the Lexington station. Chief Gunner's Mate Manegold, director of the activities, reports that a number of men are enlisting with the idea of becoming ship's cooks, but that musicians are apparently scarce. These are the men most wanted at present.

SUMMER COMPLAINT.

During the hot weather of the summer months some member of almost every family is likely to be troubled with an unnatural looseness of the bowels, and it is of the greatest importance that this be treated promptly, which can only be done when the medicine is kept at hand. Mrs. F. F. Scott, Scottsville, N. Y., states, "I first used Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea Remedy as much as five years ago. At that time I had a severe attack of summer complaint and was suffering intense pain. One dose relieved me. Other members of my family have since used it with like results."

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CHAMBERLAIN SAYS OPPOSITION TO DRAFT WORK OF GERMANS

Much of the opposition to the draft being stirred up in the United States is the work of German propagandists and vigorous means should be employed to curb the activity of the enemy within, as well as without, declared Senator Chamberlain, chairman of the military affairs committee, in an address at Jacksonville, Florida, before the lawyers and citizens of Jacksonville.

"I do not believe," he declared, "that America has yet been aroused to the dangers which confront her on account of enemies within and without."

Senator Chamberlain defended the right and authority of Congress to enact legislation providing for the selective draft. He pointed out that Washington wrote time after time to the continental congress urging the necessity of draft and telling of opportunities lost for victory after victory because of an inadequate army.

NEAR PERPETUAL MOTION

A German inventor has perfected a clock which seems to be the nearest thing to perpetual motion that has so far been devised. The clock gets its power from a revolving shaft which is impelled by a wheel, whose spokes are capped with hollow glass balls. Each ball is covered with cloth and contains a little ether. As the wheels revolve, the lower balls are dipped in water. The balls that are out of water are cooled by evaporation from the damp cloth. This cooling condenses the ether, which runs down in such a way as to disturb the equilibrium of the system and turn the wheel over.

SEPTEMBER COSMOPOLITAN

Robert W. Chambers' new novel, "The Restless Sex," a new story by Fannie Hurst, "Get Ready the Wreaths," a thriller, "The Purple Flask," by Gouverneur Morris. Other great features by Theodore Dreiser, Cynthia Stockley, Herbert Kaufman, C. N. and A. M. Williamson, Lillie Langtry, Jack London, Arthur Reeve, Mary Roberts Reinhart, Ella Wheeler Wilcox, George Ade and many others.

CONFEDERATE VETERANS TO MEET AT OLYMPIA, SEPT. 5.

The fourteenth annual meeting of Morgan's Men Association will be held at Olympian Springs, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, September 5, 6 and 7. The sons and daughters of Confederates are invited. Special Meslone, Ilgrarians of the Paris Public over the C. & O. railroad.

Commissioner of Pensions Stone has sent out checks amounting to \$790,622 to Confederate veterans or their widows. The total amount spent by the State annually now on this source is more than \$3,000,000.

THE SIXTH SENSE.

Human beings have a real sixth sense, says science, in the shape of a sense of equilibrium. This sense is coming in for much intensive study to-day, because it is probably the most important qualification for a successful aviator. It has been found to reside in the three tiny canals in the inner ear. These three canals are located in the bone of the skull, and are filled with a liquid in which nerve filaments from the auditory nerve terminate. In some way not yet clearly understood, through these canals and nerves, the individual can tell, without being able to see or feel, just how nearly upright his position is. The sense is much more keenly developed in some people than in others.

FIENDISH WORK OF DEVILS IN HUMAN FORM.

British medical officers are trying to determine the nature of the new poison used, it is believed, for the first time by the Germans on the French town of Armentieres, near the Belgian frontier. The poison bore a certain resemblance to the gas which temporarily blinded a large number of British troops a fortnight ago, but its effects are infinitely more serious.

A number of persons taken from Armentieres are in a grave condition. Many have died in hospitals at Hazebrouck, Aire-on-the-Lye, and particularly at St. Pol-on-the-Ternois where more of the victims were taken.

The first time the new poison was observed it coincided with the firing into the town of a hail of small shells of a caliber insufficient to break the paving. These contain neither powder nor gas, but a colorless liquid which spreads over the soil. In the streets and in courtyards and gardens, where the shells burst, traces of the noxious liquids may be found hours afterward.

As the liquid evaporates it produces a heavy gas, which penetrates from room to room and descends into cellars. It is tenacious in character and seems to make more victims among women than men, closing about their hair. The fumes of tobacco seem to act as an antidote in the case of men.

The odor is variously described as resembling that of acetylene, mignonette or pungent mustard. Its effects are not imminent. Some inhabitants of Armentieres who inhaled the emanations in the forenoon returned home without experiencing any ill effects and took luncheon, but five or six hours later they were obliged to take to bed, and their condition became rapidly worse.

The victims at first were affected in the bronchial tubes, then their eyes swelled and eventually they lost their sight. These symptoms were accompanied by a feeling of burning inside and an incessant cough and fever. The skin turned an earthy color and in several cases death followed rapidly. Occasionally, in addition to the symptoms mentioned, the victims were affected by terrible hallucinations and delirious laughter.

CRABS WITH HUMAN FACE.

A crab with a human face is one of the oddities to be found in Japanese waters. Not only that, but the face is surprisingly like that of a Japanese warrior in the "old, unhappy, far off days of the past." This face is formed by the strange figuration of the crab's neck. To see one of the creatures crawling on the sand is to see what apparently is a human face moving across the beach.

According to Japanese history the nation was beset by a plague of piracy a few centuries ago. The coasts were ravaged, vessels sunk and terror spread generally by marauding sea rovers. Then the people organized a fleet and set out to exterminate the pirates. A great battle followed, in which all of the freebooters were slain.

At this point legend steps in. It is said that not long after the battle the first of the crabs appeared. With advancing years the crabs increased in numbers until they are quite common. And not only do they bear the face of a fierce old warrior, but it is strangely like that of a dead man who had been drowned. The superstitions among the natives say that the souls of the pirates entered into the forms of the crabs.

CURIOSITIES OF VISION.

Lecturing on the "Effect on the Eye of Varying Degrees of Brightness and Contrast," before the Illuminating Engineering Society recently, Dr. James Kerr, of the public health department of the London County Council, referred to some effects which may be surprising. Having to examine long lists of figures in black type, he tried to facilitate his task by drawing vertical and horizontal lines in red ink, but the different focusing of the black and red strained his eye and gave him a headache, which did not trouble him when all the figures and lines were either black or red. Dr. Kerr questions whether a target is more distinct when a brilliantly illuminated white disk appears on a dead black background than when the surroundings were diffusely illuminated.

LINES BEING TIGHTENED ON MARRIED MEN.

The district draft boards have received instructions regarding married men who are filing claims for draft exemption. It is indicated that the rules are being tightened to prevent married men, with only flimsy excuses, from being exempted.

The rules show that if the wife is not entirely dependent upon his mental or physical labor; if she has relatives who will support her, if he has an independent income, the married man must not be exempted. If a wife can live on rentals from property owned by the husband, he must serve. If his employer offers to pay his salary or enough of it to support the wife, during the husband's absence, that husband must serve his country.

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EFFORT TO REPEAT THE MONTGOMERY FAIR.

Efforts are being made to hold an agricultural show in Mt. Sterling this fall, probably the last week in October and prizes from \$30 down for tobacco and from \$75 down for corn and other farm and kitchen products will be offered. Much interest is being manifested in the project and the show will undoubtedly be held if the farmers will show any inclination to back the movement. It is proposed to open the show to farmers of Clark, Bourbon, Montgomery, Bath, Powell and Menifee counties.

PAINTING BRIDGES WHITE.

This interesting item recently appeared in Service Bulletin of Iowa: "A Tama county bridge on the Lincoln Highway in the Indian Reservation and over the Iowa River is painted white. People who cross this bridge at night who are accustomed to the black or red bridges of the majority of Iowa counties, are struck with the ease with which the outlines of the bridge are noted. As a matter of highway safety it would seem to be a good thing to paint bridges white. The same color should prevail on guard rails erected on fills and at dangerous turns where such safe guards are erected. In South Dakota it is becoming a customary practice in some sections to paint all bridges white."

"WAR IS HELL."

A soldier in the English army wrote home. "They put me in barracks; they took away my clothes and put me in khaki; they took away my name and made me 'No. 575'; they took me to church where I'd never been before, and made me listen to sermon for forty minutes. Then the parson said: 'No. 575. Art thou weary, art thou languid?' and I got seven days in the guardhouse because I answered that I certainly was."—Christian Register.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and for years it was supposed to be incurable. Doctors prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions and therefore requiring constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Medicine, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., is a constitutional remedy, is taken internally and acts through the blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the system. One hundred dollars reward is offered for any case that Hall's Catarrh Medicine fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75c. Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

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TRAINS	FROM	ARRIVAL
No. 34	Atlanta, daily	5:25 am
25	Cynthiana, daily except Sunday	7:35 am
10	Rowland, daily except Sunday	7:36 am
11	Maysville, daily except Sunday	7:38 am
40	Lexington, daily except Sunday	7:40 am
211	Maysville, Sunday only	8:00 am
210	Rowland, Sunday only	8:05 am
240	Lexington, Sunday only	8:10 am
37	Cincinnati, O., daily	10:05 am
12	Lexington, daily	10:02 am
33	Chicago, daily	10:17 am
18	Lexington Daily Except Spnday	12:00 m
9	Maysville, Daily Except Sunday	3:00 pm
138	Lexington, Daily	3:07 pm
38	Knoxville, Tenn., Daily	3:15 pm
19	Maysville, Daily	5:40 pm
39	Cincinnati, Daily Except Sunday	5:50 pm
14	Lexington, Daily Except Sunday	6:18 pm
32	Jacksonville, Fla., Daily	6:33 pm
239	Cincinnati, Sunday only	9:30 pm
31	Cincinnati, O., Daily	10:38 pm
130	Lexington Daily	10:33 p m

TRAINS	FOR	LEAVE
No. 34	Cincinnati, wally	5:30 am
40	Cincinnati, daily except Sunday	7:45 am
11	Lexington, daily except Sunday	7:47 am
10	Maysville, daily except Sunday	7:48 am
740	Cincinnati, Sunday only	8:20 am
13	Lexington, daily except Sunday	10:25 am
37	Knoxville, daily	10:32 am
33	Jacksonville, daily	10:32 am
218	Maysville, Sunday only	12:04 pm
129	Lexington, daily except Sunday	3:25 pm
38	Cincinnati, daily	3:20 pm
39	Lexington, daily except Sunday	5:57 pm
9	Rowland, Daily except Sunday	6:00 pm
14	Maysville, daily except Sunday	6:33 pm
32	Chicago, daily	6:38 pm
30	Cynthiana, daily except Sunday	6:48 pm
214	Maysville, Sunday only	9:30 pm
239	Lexington, Sunday only	9:38 pm
209	Rowland, Sunday only	9:40 pm
19	Lexington, Daily	6:35 p m

F & C. TIME-TABLE

NO.	TRAINS ARRIVE FROM	
2	Frankfort, Ky., Daily Ex. Sunday	7:38 a. m.
4	Frankfort, Ky., Daily Ex. Sunday	5:50 p. m.
TRAINS DEPART FOR		
1	Frankfort, Ky., Daily Ex. Sunday	8:25 a. m.
3	Frankfort, Ky., Daily Ex. Sunday	6:26 p. m.

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