

INCREASE IN COTTON SPINNING

Census Report Shows More Staple Consumed than During Same Month Last Year; Larger Amount in Storage

REPORT GINNINGS OF OKLAHOMA COUNTIES

Total 2137 Bales Handled Up to Sept. 25 Compared with Over 100,000 Last Year; Boll Weevil Warning

By United Press. WASHINGTON, Oct. 4.—The report issued by the census bureau today shows that during the past month over a million more cotton spindles were active than during the same month a year ago. The report also shows increased consumption and a larger quantity of cotton in storage than during the corresponding period a year ago.

Exclusive of linters, the amount of cotton consumed in September was 498,219 running bales as compared with 414,864 bales in September, 1914. According to the report the total amount held in consuming establishments on September 30 was 1,089,619 bales against 556,812 on the same date last year. On the same date there were in public storage 2,796,500 bales against 1,663,625 so held last year.

The total number of cotton spindles in operation during the month was 21,295,104 as compared with 20,307,154 last year.

Boll Weevil Warning.
By United Press. WASHINGTON, Oct. 14.—The department of agriculture today issued a warning to Texas and Oklahoma cotton growers to begin vigorously to combat the boll weevil.

The unusual storms in August, the department says, caused a tremendous spread of the pest in Texas. Over half of Oklahoma is now infested. Immediate picking and destruction of plants is recommended.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 14.—Sam T. Rogers, director of the census department of commerce, today announced the preliminary report of cotton ginnings by counties in Oklahoma prior to September 25, 1915, together with the figures on ginnings up to the same date last year. The total for 1915 is 2,137 bales, while the total last year was 104,154. The report is as follows:

County	1915.	1914.
Adair	28	36
Atoka	28	933
Beckham	3	2,227
Bryan	368	2,788
Caddo	1,684	1,684
Canadian	—	—
Carter	27	2,342
Cherokee	80	2,157
Choctaw	158	2,410
Cleveland	3	536
Coal	(1)	1,898
Comanche	102	2,224
Cotton	19	2,488
Creek	—	320
Custer	—	2,908
Garvin	13	1,042
Grady	—	2,880
Greer	17	1,781
Harrison	(1)	1,591
Haskell	33	4,433
Hughes	64	2,908
Jackson	83	2,917
Jefferson	54	1,839
Johnston	104	133
Kingfisher	—	3,444
Kiowa	45	173
Latimer	(1)	3,551
LeFlore	111	4,969
Lincoln	5	1,962
Logan	—	1,762
Love	65	1,934
McClain	6	1,903
McCurain	281	4,505
McIntosh	70	1,765
Marshall	164	(1)
Mayes	—	996
Murray	18	2,615
Muskogee	(1)	3,867
Oklfuskee	(1)	1,231
Oklahoma	—	1,262
Oklmulgee	—	167
Osage	—	192
Pawnee	—	834
Payne	—	2,920
Pittsburgh	19	1,544
Pontotoc	22	—

SMASHED BY A ZEPPELIN BOMB



What the bombs dropped from the German Zeppelins in their recent raids over London did to the buildings where they fell is well illustrated by this photograph of a house in Shakespeare road, badly wrecked and seemingly about to collapse.

Potomac	29	4,892
Pushmataha	24	876
Seminole	20	2,429
Sequoyah	64	2,691
Stephens	31	2,463
Tillman	63	2,628
Tulsa	—	429
Wagoner	—	857
Washita	(1)	3,061
All Other	26	285

(1)—Included in all other counties, to avoid disclosure of individual operations.

END COMES SUDDENLY TO VETERAN

J. W. Norris, a confederate veteran and one of the oldest and most highly respected citizens of Chickasha, fell dead at his home, 712 Chickasha avenue, at 6:30 yesterday evening. Deceased has been in usually good health up to the time of his death and had gone about as usual during the entire day yesterday. He had, shortly before death overtook him, milked his cow and performed other light tasks about the premises. After supper he had gone to the coal shed and was bringing in a scuttle of coal when he fell. Medical aid was summoned, but death had been instantaneous. Mr. Norris was born in the state of Arkansas in the year 1837 and was 78 years of age at the time of his death. A wife and three children, one son and two daughters survive. The funeral was conducted from the late residence of the deceased at 4 o'clock this afternoon, Rev. G. Lyle Smith of the Christian church officiating. Interment was in the Odd Fellows' cemetery and confederate veterans acted as pall bearers. Mr. Norris was a soldier of the confederacy and fought during the entire term of the civil war in the armies of that cause. He came to Chickasha about fifteen years ago and had resided here ever since.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY.
By United Press. LONG BEACH, Cal., Oct. 14.—B. M. Scott, commercial agent for the Salt Lake railroad, is an automobile owner who inclined his ears to the purr of the motor. While driving here today Scott noticed a peculiar sound emanating from beneath the hood. He worried him. He turned into a garage and told the mechanic to look for the trouble. The mechanic opened the hood. Out-stepped an angry Maltese cat.

SERBS SAY ENEMY IS HELD BACK

Attacks in North Repulsed; Paris Reports Teutons Hard Pressed on Western Front and Losing Wounded to Slavs

NO AMERICANS HIT IN ZEPPELIN RAID

Late Reports Say 41 Killed and 100 Injured in Attack on London Last Night; Most Costly Invasion Yet

By United Press. NISH, Oct. 14.—The Serbians are still holding their enemies at bay, according to the official statement issued today.

It is reported that two attacks north of Pajarevets were repulsed Sunday night and that a village that had been taken by the enemy was recaptured. The statement said the Germans were using asphyxiating gases.

Paris Report.
By United Press. PARIS, Oct. 14.—According to reports received today, the Germans are hard pressed by the allied forces along the western front and are losing ground to the Russians.

The Austrians are reported to be retreating in Galicia. The Austro-Germans are making progress in their campaign in the Balkans but slowly. It is believed that the Serbians will be able to hold them back until reinforced by Anglo-French troops from Salonika or by Russians either via the Black Sea or Roumania.

A dispatch from Rome says Premier Viviana told the senate that Italy had decided to join in the Balkan campaign. The Rome correspondent of the "Petit Journal," however, quotes "good authority" as saying that Italy will not aid the allies in the Balkans with troops.

German Vessels Missing.
By United Press. COPENHAGEN, Oct. 14.—Only ten out of twenty-seven German steamers that are overdue at Stockholm had arrived today. It is believed that British submarines have destroyed the others.

Many Killed in Raid.
By United Press. LONDON, Oct. 14.—It was officially admitted today that forty-one persons were killed and 101 injured in the raid made on London by Zeppelins Wednesday night. It was the most costly raid that has occurred thus far.

Results of Raid.
By United Press. LONDON, Oct. 14.—Consul General Skinner called to the state department in Washington that there were no American casualties in the Zeppelin raid on London Wednesday night.

It is known that one soldier and five civilians, including two women, were killed. Thirty-four persons were injured. The official report says a number of fires were started in the city, but no material damage was done.

The near-east with the Austro-German and Bulgarian invasions of Serbia, the Anglo-French landing at Salonika, the promised active intervention of Russia and the diplomatic possibilities in Greece and Roumania continues to be the center of interest throughout the belligerent countries.

The Serbians, although greatly outnumbered by armies with superior equipment, are making a stubborn defense of their country, and while the Austro-German progress is steady, it is very slow and probably will become slower still when the mountains.

Verdict for Plaintiff.
In the matter of A. J. Waldoek vs. E. B. Johnson, tried in the district court yesterday by jury, the jury returned a verdict shortly preceding the court's adjournment for the day, finding for the plaintiff in the sum of \$500. The suit was to recover rents on certain farm lands in Grady county.

WEATHER FORECAST

For Oklahoma.
Tonight fair and warmer. Friday, fair.
Local Temperature.
During the twenty-four hours ending at 8 o'clock a. m.:
Maximum 78
Minimum 41

GRIDIRON WARRIORS TO BATTLE

Midst plaudits of admiring friends, who will shout the slogan, "Hail to the chief, who in triumph advances," the football boys of the Chickasha high school will meet the El Reno squad tomorrow afternoon at 3:30.

And they are going to meet them with the intention fully grounded and the plans fully matured to take them to such a trouncing that they will remember the field of Chickasha as their Waterloo for the balance of the 1915 season. It will be a case of "McGregor on his native heath, with McGregor's clan about him."

The Chickasha warriors are in good trim and perfect practice. Their grounds have been put in tip-top shape for practice before the game and the lads have practiced. They know they are better players than the El Reno lads and they are going to prove this to their friends.

The line-up for tomorrow's game, for Chickasha, follows:
Goetting, fullback; Joyce, left half; Poole, right half; Luffter, quarterback; Riddle, center; Collier, right guard; Baile, left guard; Shock, right tackle; Griffith, left tackle; Hill, left end; Wilson, right end; Arthur Griffith, Gardner, Harris, Duncan, Raspberry, substitutes. Changes may be made from time to time during the game in this line-up.

The El Reno punters of the oblong will carry a small army with them in their trip to defeat. Among those who will play with the El Reno knights of the gridiron, will be the following:
Ben Keith, J. Crowley, Bonebrake, Ira Brown, Bailey Benson, Luther Lightel, Lester Barnes, Forrest Conkling, Edward Roberts, Eugene Harris, Kirk Rice, Dewey Levy, Floyd Gataka, Louis Messer, Warren Smith, Lloyd Cambers, Victor Bunch, Morris Stock, Carr Mayfield, Albert Schooling, Tracy Gilbert, Francis Gilbert, Douglas Emmett et al.

ELECTRIC DRIVE FOR WARSHIP

By United Press. NEW YORK, Oct. 14.—The keel of the dreadnaught California, the first warship to be propelled entirely by electricity, was laid today at the Brooklyn navy yard. It is one of the three war vessels authorized by the last congress.

Secretary Daniels said the installation of the electrically-driven type of vessel ushered in a new era in navigation, as important as that which was entered upon when steamers succeeded sailing vessels.

Daniels said the combination of electric drive and oil as fuel would enable the California to travel nine days longer or 2,950 miles further than a coal burning dreadnaught. He predicted that eventually the navy department would own its oil lands, producing, transporting, refining and storing its oil supply.

NOTED PASTOR IN TROUBLE



Rev. Dr. Newell Dwight Hillis, successor to Henry Ward Beecher and Lyman Abbott in the historic Plymouth church, Brooklyn, is involved in financial difficulties which, as he admitted to his congregation, are due to his ambition for wealth and power. Doctor Hillis is here seen in his pulpit.

CARLISLE IS ORDERED TO ASYLUM

Victim of Self-Attack is Adjudged to Be of Unsound Mind by County Board; Story of Career Revealed

Frank Carlisle, who attempted suicide Wednesday on a farm in the eastern portion of this county by cutting his throat and stabbing himself repeatedly in the left breast, was adjudged insane in a hearing yesterday evening before Judge Davenport, Dr. Emanuel, A. K. Swan, members of the county insanity commission.

The facts as brought out at the hearing showed that Frank Carlisle came to the home of his brother, B. F. Carlisle, in this county; that the brothers had not met for 36 years; that he told his brother he had become separated from his family; that the brother and the family welcomed him to their home; that he later became subject to "spells"; that he threatened to kill his brother and other members of the family; that in view of the fact that the wife of the brother was afraid of the man, his brother asked him to leave; that a number of years ago he had been severely injured about the head in leaping from a third story window of a burning building and had not been "right" since that time.

Carlisle when put on the stand stated that he had been brooding over his lonely condition until life seemed unendurable; that he had written repeatedly to members of his family and none of his letters had been answered; that when his brother told him he must leave his home he felt he had not a friend left in the world; that he was 49 years of age; that he believed he had not less than fifteen or twenty years of loneliness and want yet before him and thought he would end it all that he stabbed himself with the knife and afterwards cut his throat; that he threw the knife away and told the story of being attacked by some unknown person fearing if the truth were known he would be sent to the asylum; that he would freely give a thousand dollars if he had not attempted suicide because he felt the scar upon his throat would disgrace him for the balance of his life.

Dr. Emanuel, county health physician and member of the insanity board, stated that he considered the man insane; that suicidal mania was dangerous, not alone to the patient, or sufferer, but to the general public for the reason that it frequently assumed a homicidal form of dementia. Following the hearing of the above testimony the board adjudge the man of unsound mind and ordered his transfer and detention in the state insane asylum at Norman.

BIG MOVE BEGUN BY LAYMEN

First of Series of Hundred Conventions to Further Progress of Churches is Held in Chicago

FAILURE OF HILLIS FIGURES IN TALK

Plans for Education of Ministers in Finance Discussed; More Missionaries Needed; Noted Men on Program

(U. P. staff correspondent.)

CHICAGO, Oct. 14.—Causes underlying the financial failure of Dr. Newell Dwight Hillis, eminent Brooklyn divine, and scientific plans for the education of all ministers in finance as well as divinity, to prevent Dr. Hillis' fate befalling his lesser brethren, was one of the first things considered at the opening of the Laymen's Missionary Movement convention here today.

This is the first of a series of one hundred conventions of this organization in one hundred American cities, which will follow one another at intervals of a few days from now until next April, closing with the national missionary congress at Washington, April 26.

The particular problems of the churches of each city will be outlined and threshed over and remedies therefor suggested at each of the conventions.

"We are looking for inspiration and information to give to others," said H. B. Dickinson, Philadelphia, Pa., secretary.

"We want more missionaries. But we want them for the homes as well as for the Chinese. We need missionaries here. We also want to help those ministers who need help. We want to show them how to put their church on a successful financial basis. This is a laymen's movement. We want all the laymen to be missionaries and co-operate with the ministers." The convention held in the Medina temple, will continue until Sunday afternoon, closing with a big prayer meeting.

J. Campbell White, president of [Wooster, Ohio, college, opened the convention with an address on "What Must America do under the New World Conditions?"

Others who will speak are: Bishop H. C. Strutz, South America; Bishop C. P. Anderson, Chicago; Bishop A. C. Kinsolving, South America; Col. E. W. Halford, New York; Dr. C. H. Patton, Boston; Dr. C. E. Burton, New York; Dr. C. B. McAfee, Chicago; Dr. F. B. Fisher, New York; Fred B. Smith, New York; Rev. James McNaughton, Japan; W. G. A. Miller, Pittsburgh; Charles G. Trumbull, Philadelphia; Dr. J. A. W. Haas, Allentown, Pa.; Dr. E. A. Steiner, Grinnell, Ia.

A quarter of a million delegates are expected to attend the one hundred conventions. The campaign is scheduled as follows:

October 14-17, Chicago; 17-20, Buffalo, N. Y.; 21-24, Detroit, Mich.; 24-27, Pueblo, Col.; 27-31, Pittsburgh, Pa.; 31-November 5, Denver, Col.; 5-11, November 5-11, Topeka, Kan.; 11-17, Wichita, Kan., and Baltimore, Md.; 17-19, Philadelphia, Pa., and Mitchell, S. D.; 19-23, Milwaukee, Wis., and Portland, Me.; 23-27, Boston, Mass., and Cincinnati, Ohio; 28-Dec. 1, Wheeling, W. Va., and Waterbury, Conn.; Dec. 1-5, Manchester, N. H., and St. Louis, Mo.; 5-8, Cleveland, Ohio, and Albany, N. Y.; 8-12, Toledo, Ohio; Jan. 19-21-25, Houston, Texas, and Duluth, Minn.; 23-26, New Orleans, La., and Minneapolis, Minn.; St. Paul, Minn., and Rochester, N. Y.; 26-28-30, Jackson, Miss., Fargo, N. D., and Reading, Pa.; 30-Feb. 2, Wilmington, Del., Billings, Mont., and Birmingham, Ala.; Feb. 3-4-6, Atlanta, Ga., Butte, Mont., and Newark, N. J.; 6-9, Spokane, Wash., and Columbia, S. C.; 9-11-13, Seattle, Wash., Dayton, Ohio, Tacoma, Wash., and Greensboro, N. C.; 13-16, Portland, Ore., and Davenport, Ia.; 15-17, Richmond, Va.; 18-20, Sacramento, Cal., and Kansas City, Mo.; 20-23, Lexington, Ky.

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