

GOVERNMENT CROP REPORT.

Washington, March 8.—A summary of the March crop report for the state of North Dakota, and for the United States, as compiled by the bureau of Crop estimate (and transmitted thru the Weather Bureau) U. S. Department of Agriculture, is as follows:

Wheat on Farms.
State:—Estimated stocks on farms March 1 this year, 39,500,000 compared with 15,502,000 a year ago, and 14,982,000 two years ago; Price on March 1 to producers, \$1.00 per bushel, compared with \$1.34 a year ago and .80 two years ago.

United States:—Estimated stocks on farms March 1 this year 242,000,000 bushels compared with 152,903,000 a year ago and 151,795,000 two years ago. Price on March 1 to producers \$1.03 per bushel, compared with \$1.34 a year ago and .88 two years ago.

Corn on Farms.
State:—Estimated stocks on farms March 1 this year, 980,000 bushels, compared with 2,660,000 a year ago, and 2,160,000 two years ago. Price March 1 to producers, 68 cents per bu., compared with 65 cents a year ago and 57 cents two years ago.

United States:—Estimated stocks on farms March 1 this year 1,140,000,000 bushels, compared with 910,894,000 a year ago and 866,352,000 two years ago. Price March 1 to producers, 68.2 cents per bushel, compared with 75.1 cents a year ago and 69.1 cents two years ago.

Corn of Merchantable Quality.
State:—The percentage of the 1915 crop which was of merchantable quality is estimated at 15 per cent, compared with 76 per cent of the 1914 crop and 68 per cent of the 1913 crop.
United States:—The percentage of the 1915 crop which was of merchantable quality is estimated at 71.3 per cent, compared with 84.5 per cent of the 1914 crop and 80.1 per cent of the 1913 crop.

Oats on Farms.
State:—Estimated stocks on farms March 1 this year 52,900,000 bushels, compared with 27,909,000 a year ago and 27,178,000 two years ago. Price March 1 to producers, 35 cents per bu., compared with 45 cents a year ago and 31 cents two years ago.

United States:—Estimated stocks on farms March 1 this year 597,000,000 bushels, compared with 379,369,000 a year ago and 419,481,000 two years ago. Price March 1 to producers, 42.7 cents per bushel, compared with 52.1 cents a year ago and 38.9 cents two years ago.

Barley on Farms.
State:—Estimated stocks on farms March 1 this year, 13,400,000 bushels compared with 7,069,000 a year ago and 6,885,000 two years ago; Price compared with 60 cents a year ago and March 1 to producers, 50 cents per bu., 40 cents two years ago.

United States:—Estimated stocks on farms March 1 this year 60,500,000 bushels, compared with 42,889,000 a year ago and 44,126,000 two years ago. Price March 1 to producers, 59.6 cents per bushel, compared with 67.7 cents a year ago and 51.1 cents two years ago.

EDITOR WORLD:

Last Sunday evening a Reverend gentleman from Starkweather, N. D., delivered a speech at the court house on the subject of peace and non-preparedness. Some of us were present and listened to him with much interest, expecting to hear and learn something that might throw some light on this important and pressing subject. To say that we were surprised and chagrined at the nonsensical rhapsodies that we did hear is putting it very mildly indeed.

War at its best is horrible and not to be thought of if it can possibly and honorably be avoided. No one recognizes this to be true more than the men who fought from '61 to '65, and thus have personal experience in that matter. However, to be told that the boys who responded to the call of that Christian leader, Abraham Lincoln, to engage in the war for the preservation of our Country as a Nation: for the right of free speech, a free press and for the liberty of an enslaved race, were murderers, grated upon our sensibilities and led us to believe that the man who could utter such senseless twaddle as that certainly did not know what he was talking about. Many, many thousands of those boys are sleeping peacefully under the sod at Arlington, Antietam, Gettysburg, and all over the land. They cannot answer for themselves but a few of us are here yet and in their behalf we hurl back such base accusations and say before God that they were not murderers but patriots. They were not devils but God fearing men who loved their country more than they did their lives.

The speaker intimated that he was a graduate of some University. We advise him to return to the cloisters of his Alma Mater and remain there until he shall have learned from history and experience of men that war is sometimes righteous: Until he

shall learn there is a difference between a war of defense and one of aggression and conquest.
Post No. 33, G. A. R.

BARTHOLOMEW IS A CANDIDATE

There are 29 contestants for the office of delegate to the Democratic national convention at St. Louis. But of all the candidates there are none that stand out more prominently than Fred Bartholomew, proprietor of the Hotel Frederick of this city. Mr. Bartholomew was the Democratic candidate for Congress from the first district two years ago and made the most thorough and complete campaign that was ever made by a democrat in the state. In the primaries he overcame his adversary by more than two to one vote, while in the final election he was beaten by a small majority. The run was phenomenal from the fact that he carried every large city, including Grand Forks, Fargo, Devils Lake, Wahpeton, Casselton, Lisbon, Langdon, Park River, Lakota (Sen. Gronna's town), and many others. On account of his square campaign, he hasn't an enemy in his own party and is conceded one of the most popular men in the state.—Grand Forks Independent.

MARKET REPORT

Quotations for Wednesday, Mar. 15, 1916, as furnished by the Farmers' Mill and Elevator Co., Devils Lake, North Dakota.

- Wheat—
 - No. 1 Hard \$1.04
 - No. 1 Northern \$1.03
 - No. 2 Northern .96
 - No. 3 Northern .91
- Durum—
 - No. 1 durum mixed wheat .91
 - No. 2 durum wheat .87
- Flax—
 - No. 1 Flax \$2.08
 - No. 2 Flax \$2.06
- Barley—
 - "C" Barley .56
 - "D" Barley .54
 - "E" Barley .53
 - "F" Barley .51
- Rye—
 - No. 2 Rye .75
 - No. 3 Rye .72
- Oats—
 - No. 3 Oats .34
 - No. 4 Oats .32

The latest and neatest thing in the way of stationery at the World office.

WARWICK

Mr. Joe Orchard and others from Warwick were Devils Lake visitors last Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. S. A. Baker is still out scouting around looking up business interests

Little Helen Anderson was brought home from Grand Forks last Saturday, much improved in health. It is hoped that she will soon be able to return to her school work.

The meetings which were conducted by Mr. Denley and Mr. Crabbe last week at the Lutheran church were a great success, the house was packed. The last meeting and the evening offering amounted to \$45.45. Dr. Crabbe is a man of rare ability and is bound to leave good results wherever he preaches.

Roy Richardson and Joe Orchard will give a St. Patrick's party in the basement of the new high school. All are invited to attend.

The "Parish Priest" show played in the opera house last Thursday was good.

Rev. Denley preached to a full house Sunday evening. He will spend the next two weeks in a series of meetings at Hillsdale school house.

Dr. Carter has purchased the old barber shop and will carry a full line of drugs. We hear that he is planning to move his office to the drug department.

Bud Burton will give a dance at the hall on the 30th.

The ladies aid lunch given by Mrs. J. Heimarck was the best ever and of the best quality.

DO YOU KNOW THAT

Four percent of the inhabitants of certain sections of the South have malaria?

The United States Public Health Service has trapped 615,744 rodents in New Orleans in the past eighteen months?

The careless sneezer is the great grip spreader?

Open air is the best spring tonic? Typhoid fever is a disease peculiar to man?

Measles kills over 11,000 American children annually?

There has not been a single case of yellow fever in the United States since 1905?

WANTS

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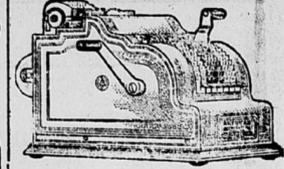
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