

REPORTER Supplement.

St. Louis, June 15.—The first regular shipment of new wheat arrived here today, being a lot of fourteen cars from Southeast Missouri, eight cars of which is graded as No. 2 wheat. Samples of flour from Texas and Tennessee new wheat were exhibited on Change to day.

—Summer goods, new stock, and new styles, just unpacked, at the well-known headquarters for store goods, at Dinges' store. Ladies, new goods there, for you. Go and see them.

Topton, Pa., June 16.—During a heavy storm this evening the barn of Henry Benfield, about two miles from here, was struck by lightning and entirely destroyed with its contents, twelve horses, a large lot of hay, harness and other farming articles. Loss estimated at \$15,000. Insurance unknown.

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Bats.

One of the most wonderful cases of a large bat roost came to light in a town of New Jersey, where a house and fine lot were deserted by tenants, who were unable to stand the encroachments of these midnight marauders. As soon as the sun went down the house seemed surrounded by them, and was a window left open, the room would soon be the scene of wild confusion; the very air seemed alive with them. The place was called the "Bat-ery," and they were left in undisputed possession of the place, until within a few months, when a gentleman taking possession, determined to unearth the mystery. He soon traced the bats to an unused barn, and a thorough investigation brought to light a wonderful sight. The carpet of the barn had never been read, so was boarded up, leaving only a few small holes of access, and through these the bats had passed, and for 50 years or more had lived there and multiplied. There was one living mass of them, piled upon each other and hanging in every possible position. When the roof was broken off, they rose thousands upon thousands, in a cloud. The floor was covered to a depth of four feet with guano, mingled with myriads of bones of those that had died. It was a combined birth and burial place for all Jersey bat-dom. The owner, in relating the occurrence in a report to the Smithsonian Institution, at Washington, states that without exaggeration there must have been over 500,000 bats in the place. The old building was destroyed, and since then only the ordinary number of bats have been seen.

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