

1915 WHEAT OUTLOOK BEATS ALL RECORDS

Number of Bushels Produced is 1,011,150,000, Washington Report Shows

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—The Crop Reporting Board of the Department of Agriculture today issued estimates of important crops for 1915 as compared with 1914. The grain estimate shows that 1,011,150,000 bushels of wheat have been produced during the year. This is the largest yield in the history of the United States.

PHILADELPHIA MARKETS

GRAIN AND FLOUR
WHEAT—Receipts, 24,612 bush. The market steady with a good inquiry from millers.

PROVISIONS

The market ruled steady, but trade was quiet. Corn—City feed, in sets, unshelled and air-dried, 18.25.

DAIRY PRODUCTS

BUTTER—The market for fancy stock ruled steady with a fair demand. Creamery, Western, 19.75.

POULTRY

OFFERS—Offers were moderate and the market quiet. Chickens, 12.00.

FRESH FRUITS

Market ruled steady with moderate inquiry. Apples, 1.50.

ANGLO-FRENCH BONDS DECLINE TO NEW LOW

Syndicate Banks to Take 85 Per Cent. Sales to Public Small

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—Bonds of the \$500,000 Anglo-French loan dropped to a new low mark today when they sold on the Stock Exchange at 94 3/4. The life of the underwriting syndicate, headed by J. P. Morgan & Co., expired yesterday.

SAMUEL T. BODINE ELECTED TO LEHIGH VALLEY BOARD

President of the U. G. I. Replaces Abram Nesbitt, Resigned

At the meeting of the board of directors of the Lehigh Valley Railroad Company this morning, Samuel T. Bodine, president of the United Gas Improvement Company, was elected to the board.

SECURITIES AT AUCTION

The following stocks and bonds were sold today by the Public Trust Co. at 100 3/4. Goldfield Dairy Mining Syndicate, par \$1,000, bid \$1,000.

NEW YORK BUTTER AND EGGS

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—BUTTER—Market ruled steady with a fair demand. Creamery, 19.75.

LIVE STOCK QUOTATIONS

CHEAGO, Dec. 15.—HOGS—Receipts, 60,000. Market ruled steady with a fair demand. Pork, 10.00.

PORT OF PHILADELPHIA

Vessels Arriving Today
Str. American Transport (Str.) Santiago, Steamer to arrive.

ST. ANTHONY'S HALO TO GLOW IN PLAY AT THE LITTLE THEATRE

Maeterlinck's Drama, "Overruled," and Bernard Shaw's "Three Women" to Be Presented Tonight

REHEARSAL IS PROMISING
"Must a saint scratch? Is it part of the play?"

THEATRICAL BAEDERER

LYRIC—"The Dumb," with Louis Mann, a three-act comedy-drama by Edward Locke, which deals with the divorcee dealer.

PHOTOPLAYS

THE GARRICK—"The Birth of a Nation," with Henry H. Walthall, Max Baer and Spottiswoode and Wainwright.

CONCERT TICKETS "SOLD OUT"

Free Supply to Hear Philadelphia Orchestra Next Sunday Exhausted

Subscription Certificates Taxable

ALBANY, Dec. 15.—Called "certificates of subscription" issued by a corporation to subscribers for the stock of the corporation in advance of the payment of the subscription price.

TO LECTURE ON ANCIENT GREEK ART

The first of a series of illustrated lectures on recent art excavations in Greece by Americans will be given today by Stephen R. Luce.

FIRST PERFORMANCE OF ROSENKAVALER

Strauss' "Comic Grand Opera" Excellently Produced and Sung

The years have apparently dissipated the resentment which Dr. Richard Strauss has against Philadelphia, and as a result the Metropolitan last night was the scene of the local premiere of "Der Rosenkavalier," the great composer's comic drama with music. It was a notable occasion.

Remembered Her Sufferings
One day little Flora was taken to have an aching tooth removed. That night, while she was saying her prayers, her mother was surprised to hear her say: "And forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors."—Everybody's.

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THOMAS DEFEATS M'HAON IN BATTLE AT DOUGLAS A. C.

The Kid's Early Lead Enabled Him to Win From Hoosier

Charley Thomas, the Southwark singer-scrapper, earned a shade the better of the decision in his battle with Patsy McMahon, of Indianapolis, in their mix at the Douglas Club last night. Despite the rally made by McMahon in the latter periods of the fight, Thomas' early advantage enabled him to leave the ring on the winning end.

KULTUR DISCIPLINE EVEN AMONG BABOONS

A Perfect Military Camp Established When Jungle Animals Are Busy Feeding

The baboons of Africa probably have the best military regulations of any of the animals, says the Youth's Companion. While they are feeding in a dangerous place, they set sentries on every side—big, wise, veteran baboons that sit perfectly quiet and keep a vigilant watch.

HID IN HOLE FOR FORTNIGHT

Police Finally Find Man, Who Confesses to Theft

SUNSHINE AND SHADOW

In life sunshine and shadow succeed one another as quickly as in an April day. If we turn our backs on our blessings and magnify our troubles we make ourselves miserable.

TIED OF HIS CONDITION

"My husband and I do trifling nigger in his dirt now," declared Sister Mamma Waters. "He's been convalescent ever since we was mar'd, and I sho' wish he'd get over it!"

DUSTIN FARNUM NOW AT WORK ON A NEW PARAMOUNT PICTURE

LORD ALVERSTONE, FRIEND OF U. S., DIES

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Commission. His vote in support of the chief claims of the United States gave America the practical victory. Many Canadians professed to believe, and with bitterness asserted that the American Government went into the arbitration only after it had reached an understanding that the American case should win, and that Alverstone was put forward to carry out the diplomatic bargain.

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PROMINENT PHOTOPLAY PRESENTATIONS

CHESTNUT ST. OP. HOUSE
CONTINUOUS PERFORMANCE
SEE TODAY'S AMUSEMENT COLUMN

ALHAMBRA 12th, Market & Passyunk Aves.
PAULINE FREDERICK
"STILL WATERS"

ARCADIA CHESTNUT ST.
STELLA ROZETTO
"THE CIRCULAR STAIRCASE"

APOLLO 52D AND THOMPSON MATINEE DAILY
FRODO B. MANTELL
"THE UNFAITHFUL WIFE"

PATHE SECURES SAVAGE'S SHOWS

Will Film Plays Controlled by Him—Other Photo-play Notes

On the heels of the announcement of the acquisition by Pathe of the A. Z. Woods plays, there came the news yesterday of a similar arrangement between Pathe and Henry W. Savage. By the terms of the transaction Pathe acquires the long list of plays controlled by Mr. Savage for the purpose of screen production.

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STANLEY BOOKING COMPANY
THE FOLLOWING THEATRES OBTAIN THEIR PICTURES THROUGH THE STANLEY BOOKING COMPANY, WHICH IS A GUARANTEE OF EARLY SHOWINGS AND BEST PICTURES.

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