

TOBACCO CROP TO BE LARGER, CIGAR LEAF SHORTAGE EXPECTED

Unless all signs fail the United States tobacco crop of 1920 will be larger than that of last year. The first official government estimate put out by the department of agriculture indicates a total area planted to tobacco this year of 1,539,700 acres, as against 1,774,300 acres reported July 1, 1919. This is an increase of 85,400 acres, or about five per cent.

The estimated yield for 1920, based on the actual condition of the growing crop July 1, is placed at 1,500,800,000 pounds, an increase over the final estimate of the 1919 crop of 111,342,000 pounds, or 8 per cent.

Prospects for a shortage in the cigar leaf crop of the country is clearly indicated by the reports for the five important cigar leaf producing states—Massachusetts, Connecticut, Pennsylvania, Ohio and Wisconsin—the estimate for the current year being close to 20,000,000 pounds short of the final estimate of the 1919 crop.

The following is a summary of the acreage planted to tobacco in the United States in 1920 and forecast production therefrom, as estimated by the department of agriculture:

State	Acreage	Production
Massachusetts	24,800	15,100,000
Connecticut	24,800	35,000,000
New York	2,400	3,000,000
Pennsylvania	38,100	51,800,000
Maryland	31,900	25,800,000
Virginia	24,100	18,300,000
West Virginia	13,800	11,200,000
North Carolina	581,700	386,400,000
South Carolina	125,000	92,600,000
Georgia	26,700	20,900,000
Florida	4,200	4,100,000
Ohio	75,500	68,900,000
Indiana	17,900	16,400,000
Illinois	700	600,000
Wisconsin	49,000	55,400,000
Missouri	3,900	3,700,000
Kentucky	495,000	437,600,000
Tennessee	97,900	80,800,000
Alabama	2,700	1,600,000
Louisiana	500	300,000
Arkansas	700	500,000

Totals 1,539,700 1,500,800,000

The condition of the 1920 crop on July 1 is given as 84.3 per cent of an average, as against 83.6 reported a year ago. According to the published figures North Carolina will outrank Kentucky for the first time as a tobacco producing state.

The 1920 acreage of the former is given at 581,700, with an estimated yield of 386,400,000 pounds, as against 460,000 acres in 1919, estimated on July 1 of that year to produce 301,760,000 pounds. Kentucky is credited with an acreage of 495,000 acres this year, estimated to produce 437,600,000 pounds, while on July 1, 1919, the planting was placed at 351,000 acres and the production 468,893,000 pounds.

BUBONIC CASE REPORTED.
AUSTIN, Texas, July 23.—Another case of bubonic plague has developed at Beaumont, Dr. O. J. Goddard, state health officer, announced, following the receipt of a telegram from authorities there.



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DISCUSSING WARREN'S CHANCES



Loren Harding (left) and Amos Harding.

Loren and Amos Harding are here shown discussing their cousin Warren's chances of winning the presidential election in November. They were byword chums of the Republican presidential nominee, and if he's elected they're going to take a run down to Washington and look the old White House over.

The Farm and the Farmer

By William R. Sanborn

The manager at the elevator at Castine, Ohio, stated on Tuesday afternoon that he had taken in about 6,000 bushels of wheat, that it was coming in right along, and that he had so far been supplied with all the cars needed. He said that he had been able to ship out closely and that his grain had been headed east over the Nickel Plate, for export.

Paul F. Bittner of Fountain City, reported on Tuesday evening that he had been forced to stop taking in wheat for lack of room. But one car had been loaded out so far and no cars had come in for several days, although he is on the waiting list for cars.

The Losantville elevator reported but one car of wheat shipped up to Tuesday night and a promise of a car for Wednesday. The manager says he has but little more room for wheat, owing to having a lot of old oats in storage and no show to ship them out. They are harvesting oats around Losantville, some being cut for hay; other fields will thresh out well but the crop is estimated at but about half of last year's.

Choking Up at Lynn.
Earl Adamson, of the city mills and also the elevator at Lynn, says the elevator is choking up and that they are prepared to load five cars at once, with no one in sight. Mr. Adamson is rather pessimistic over the price outlook, stating that they had offered wheat in all directions on Tuesday, with no satisfactory bids. Said that one Cincinnati grain firm had offered but \$2.51 for July shipment, which was under what they were paying on Tuesday. He believes that we are to see still lower prices for wheat before the market settles. Most of the oats are cut in the Lynn district, are very promising and good returns are expected from the machines next week.

Four Elevators Almost Full.

"Our elevators at Camden, Collins-

ville and Hamilton, are fast filling up for lack of cars," said E. C. Eikenberry, Wednesday. "The only cars in sight at either point are now being unloaded and there are but a couple of these. We are just about full to the roof here at Camden, having but little room left in either elevator." The Eikenberry firm have four elevators in their "line" and are large handlers of grain. They report the oats outlook excellent in the Camden section and expect some threshing to be done next week.

Thirty Bushel Wheat at Crete.
George Thornburg delivered 400 bushels of 64 pound wheat at Crete, Ind., on Monday, and was paid \$2.60. Manager Bowen, of the Crete elevator says it was "the best crop of wheat



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Crete has been very lucky as to cars. One car was shipped out on Monday and five loaded on Tuesday, according to Manager Bowen.

Decrease in Live Stock.
The Indiana and Illinois crop bulletins state that there are now smaller numbers of hogs, cattle and sheep on feed than for several years. Southworth & Co. report to Chicago that there is a decrease of 22 per cent in live stock on feed in Ohio, compared with one year ago. This scarcely seems to be a reasonable conclusion. It doesn't square with conditions in nearby Ohio counties.

Sixth District Farm Men Hold Meeting at Newcastle

County agents and presidents of the various county farm bureaus met at the office of the county agent at Newcastle on Tuesday afternoon to discuss the car shortage problem, the fertilizer situation, and for the selection of a permanent member of the Grain Growers' committee.

Earl Crawford, of Milton, presided and called the meeting, which covered the Sixth District Farm Bureau district. Seven counties were represented.

Plans and means to increase the membership in the various counties were also considered. An active campaign to bring all farmers into the organization next fall is being outlined.

PALMER'S ASSISTANT QUILTS

WASHINGTON, July 23.—Judge C. B. Ames will retire August 31 as first assistant to the attorney general. It became known today that he had submitted his resignation to President Wilson and would resume his law practice in Oklahoma City.

ATTEND CO. MEETING, IS URGE TO FARMERS

The Wayne County Farm Federation meeting at the high school on Wednesday night promises to be of unusual interest. Earl Crawford, of Milton, who has been attending the special session at Indianapolis, will discuss farm legislation. C. F. Patterson will tell of the program of the state federation for the coming year, and E. G. McCollom, secretary of the Indiana Grain Dealers' association, will present the co-operative side of buying coal and fertilizer in quantity for the township memberships.

Theodore Davis, of Greensfork, county president, will preside and matters of purely local interest to the Wayne membership will be discussed. A large attendance is expected and every farmer and his family will be welcomed.

LINEMAN IS ELECTROCUTED.

ELIZABETHTOWN, Ky., July 23.—Hanging helplessly in mid air while 2,200 volts of electricity passed through his body, Arthur McMurry, 25 years old, an employee of the Home Telephone company, was electrocuted here Tuesday. McMurry was fastened to the pole with a life belt and was held suspended, writhing in pain for more than half an hour.

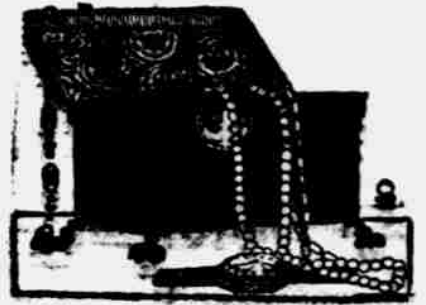
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SHELBYVILLE PHYSICIAN SENTENCED TO PENAL FARM
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Farm Federation

The farmers of Abington township had a get-together meeting on Tuesday night, at which C. F. Patterson, a state federation speaker, gave the principal talk. His address was timely and related mostly to the aims and work of the federation. He will also address the county meeting at the high school on Wednesday evening.

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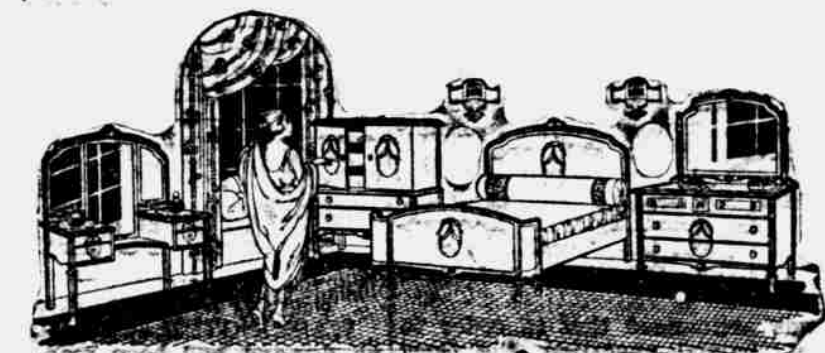
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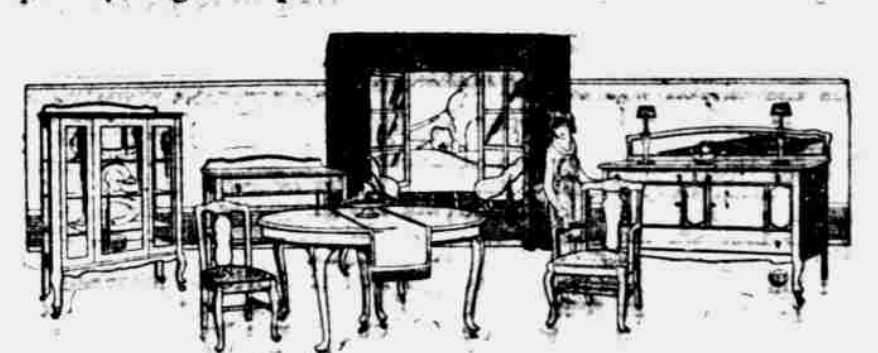
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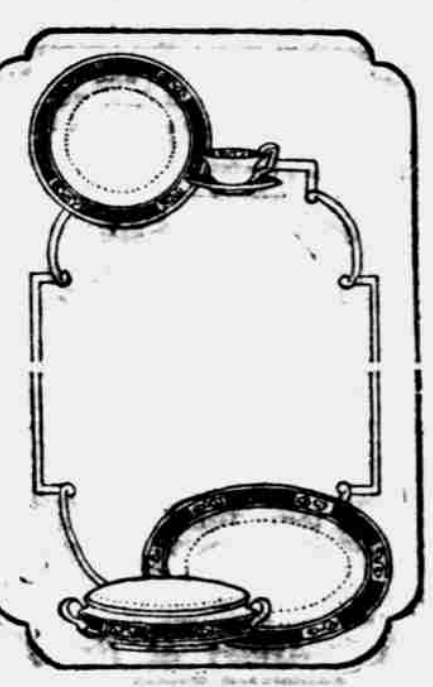
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