

CORN HUSKING MAKES GOOD PROGRESS SINCE COOL SPELL ADVENT

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Oct. 18.—The semi-monthly crop report of George C. Bryant, agricultural statistician for Indiana of the United States department of Agriculture, is as follows:

"The first part of the period was excessively hot and very dry. On the seventh the drought was broken and cooler weather prevailed. More rainfall occurred in the second week, which put fields in fairly good condition for plowing and seeding. A heavy frost occurred in all sections of the state on the morning of the thirteenth, but did little damage to anything but late truck crops."

"Corn cutting and husking is making good progress since cooler weather set in. Yields are variable, but bottom lands generally are producing very good."

"Winter wheat and rye seeding made rapid strides during the last half of the period. Much is left to be put in however, but soil conditions are now fairly favorable. Earlier plantings show much improvement since the rains."

Truck Crops Gone.

"Pastures and meadows are greening up some, but are very short."

"White potatoes show some improvement and harvesting is much easier."

Sweet potatoes continue good.

"Truck crops are practically gone."

"Apples continue to be a heavy crop. Picking the winter varieties has commenced, but most of them are going to storage."

"Live stock is in good condition generally. Considerable cattle and some fall sheep have been brought in for feeding. Fall litters of pigs are slightly above the average."

"The farm labor supply exceeds the demand."

Crop conditions in Indiana and Illinois, as reported to Mr. Bryant, are as follows:

"Soil conditions are much improved since last report. Good rains occurred on and after the seventh. More is needed, however. Heavy frosts occurred over most of the area on the morning of the thirteenth. No damage."

Pigs Are Average.

"Corn cutting and husking is progressing very rapidly. Yields are variable although bottom land corn generally is good. Some cribbing has been done."

"Winter wheat and rye shows much improvement. Seeding made considerable progress during the latter part of the period. Recent rains were very beneficial to that already in the ground. Acreage will be short in some sections."

"White potato harvest is nearing completion, with variable yields. Sweet potatoes good."

"Pastures and meadows show much improvement. Still very short and feeding is necessary."

Truck crops practically gone.

"Apples are large crop. Mostly going to storage because of unsatisfactory prices."

"Live stock is in good condition. Fall litters of pigs are slightly above average."

"Farm labor supply equal to demand."

THEY VOTED

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Davis received his wound, a gun shot, tearing away part of his forearm, and taking several inches of the bone. This was during his second enlistment.

Not only Mr. Davis' sympathy but his entire support of the Union cause dated from years before the war, when he was one of the "conductors" on the Underground Railway from Fountain City station.

"On any occasion," he says, "I took a wagon load of negroes, men and women, from the Coffin house to the colored seminary, near Spartansburg where they were received and later passed on by Ebenezer Tucker."

Mr. Davis' home, as well as that of Levi Coffin, was a station in the Railroad, slaves hiding there when suspicion was too strongly directed toward the Coffin house. This house is now occupied by Rev. Aaron Worth, brother-in-law of Mr. Davis.

Times after the Civil war were similar to those following the World war in high costs, says Mr. Davis. Flour was \$8 a hundredweight, and pork was \$10 a hundred, although it had been only \$3 and \$3.50 before, and calico was 35 cents a yard, chimed in his sister.

Recalls Old Richmond

Richmond at that time was only a fraction of its present size. The troops camped in the forest well outside the

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Gleanings From All Parts Of Preble County, Ohio

EATON, Ohio, Oct. 18.—Congressman Roy G. Fitzgerald, of this district, will complete tonight a two days' speaking tour in Preble county. The tour was made in an automobile and most of the addresses were made in the open air. A number of the Republican candidates for county office accompanied Congressman Fitzgerald on his swing around the county.

EATON, Ohio, Oct. 18.—C. A. Dyer, taxation expert of the state farm bureau federation and state grange, will discuss the proposed taxation amendments to the Ohio constitution in a meeting here Thursday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock in the courthouse public assembly hall.

EATON, Ohio, Oct. 18.—Births in Preble county in September number

ed 37, as compared with 10 deaths, according to the monthly vital statistic report filed by Dr. G. W. Hommer, county health commissioner.

EATON, Ohio, Oct. 18.—Miss Lillian Hayes, missionary, who spent a number of years in Jamaica, will address a missionary society tea here Thursday afternoon in the Presbyterian church.

EATON, Ohio, Oct. 18.—Clifford Morningstar, of Hamilton, and Albert Rister, of Middletown, sent up from Preble county, have made application for parole from the state reformatory.

They pleaded guilty to assaulting Miss Mary Mitchell with a blackjack in her home here at night and each was sentenced to from one to 15 years by Judge Risner in common pleas court.

city, in what is now Reeveston. A rail fence bounded the camp on the north, running along the south side of the road which now Main street, to as far as the present Ninth street.

A big Republican rally had been held during Fremont's campaign, in the woods where Twelfth street runs now.

All of the business was confined to a three block district from Seventh street west. The Huntington hotel where the Colonial building now stands, was the largest and most popular building in town.

The record of the two war veterans

is matched by the records of Rev. Aaron Worth and Rev. Luke Woodward as old servants in the church. Rev. Worth has been a minister for 73 years having been called at the age of 16 years.

Began Early

This early entrance to the ministry was due to his having been frequently called upon to supply the pulpit in the absence of Ebenezer Tucker.

Rev. Worth also has been an evangelist, a position requiring him to take active part as a delegate in all quarterly meetings, for 40 years. He has preached in Tennessee, Mississippi, North Carolina, and Kentucky, as well as in Indiana and Ohio.

During a prohibition campaign in 1892, in which he engaged with all the fervor of his earlier fights against slavery, Rev. Worth made the record of speaking twice a day for 110 days, ending in perfect health and strength.

Minister For 64 Years.

Rev. Luke Woodward, now 91, was born in New Garden township and has been a minister for 64 years. He also is an author, having written "The Morning Star," "Gathered Fragments," "Volume of Poems," "What is Truth?" "Sketches of a Life of '75," "Autumn Gleanings" and "A Panorama of Wonders," the last during his ninetieth year.

He has served as pastor in Indiana, Ohio, New York, Iowa, Michigan and Illinois and even in Canada.

Rev. Woodward and his wife expect to celebrate their seventieth wedding anniversary on April 4, 1923. Rev. Woodward was a pastor of the White Friends' church in Richmond for a time.

Keever's Western Trip.

Days when a vast undrained swamp covered the land eight or 10 miles west of Indianapolis are recalled by John Keever in telling of his western emigration in company with nine others, in the year 1855.

The party, with two wagons and teams, spent 27 days in the journey to Omaha. "When we got a few miles west of Indianapolis one night, says Mr. Keever, "I remember we pitched camp in what appeared to be a big wood swamp. Only the higher ground was dry."

About Danville and Urbana, Ill., only small towns then, we began to see open plains country. Before that it had all been forested.

Meets Old Friends.

"Everybody was travelling and often 40 wagons would be at an evening camp. We met friends from our country all along the road. At one ferry in Illinois the ferryman called out 'There is John Keever,' before he had even touched the bank where we waited. When we went to file land at Omaha, the clerk, when he learned we were from Wayne county, asked if we knew Judge Test. When we answered that we did, he told us he was Judge Test's son."

"We only stayed two months, entered or land and then came home. Indians were numerous, Pawnees at Council Bluffs, and Sioux at Omaha, but were all friendly."

Pioneer farming is distinctly remembered by Mr. Keever. Coming with his family of 12 children from Warren county, O., a 170 acre farm, with 60 acres plow land was taken just north of Fountain City. Here the family was reared, even being clothed from the land, as flax was raised, and after being harvested by the men, was spun into thread and woven into cloth by the mother. Rope and fishing seines and bird nets also

PRESBYTERY ATTACKS N. Y. PULPIT WORDS

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 18.—Protest that doctrine contrary to the Presbyterian confession of faith is being preached from the pulpit of the First Presbyterian church, of New York City, the Presbytery of Philadelphia has petitioned the general assembly of the church to take cognizance of this alleged fact, it became known today.

The pulpit of the First Presbyterian church of New York City is occupied by the Rev. Harry Emerson Fosdick, a Baptist clergyman and professor of practical theology in the Union Theological Seminary. The unusual arrangement of having a Baptist minister occupy a Presbyterian pulpit was brought about by the extraordinary efforts of the New York congregation, which considered the Rev. Mr. Fosdick to be an unusually brilliant preacher.

The action of the Philadelphia body

is understood to revolve around a sermon preached by the Rev. Mr. Fosdick, last May. It was entitled "Shall the Fundamentalists Win?" and was calculated to deliver a blow hard at the Fundamentalists, who have created a controversy within the church.

Another criticism made of the Rev.

Mr. Fosdick's preaching is that he compared the Bible with the Koran.

Large Crowd Entertained At Endeavor's Indoor Fair; Many Attractions Tonight

A good attendance marked the opening of the annual indoor fair at the First Christian church, Tuesday evening. The fair is being conducted by the Christian Endeavor society and the proceeds are to be used for the work of the church. Wednesday night will be the last night and it is expected that even a larger crowd will be present than was Tuesday night, for other attractions drew away some of the people who would otherwise have been in attendance on the opening night.

The "Hall of Horrors" was the big attraction on the opening night of the fair. More than 80 persons entered the doors of this terrible, mysterious dungeon to the "terrified." The ice cream booth also did a rushing business in spite of the frigid atmosphere.

Mr. Keever after his marriage to Mary Boyd of Williamsburg, later bought a farm on the west edge of Fountain City. A few years ago he was compelled by an accident, to retire from active work, and has turned the farm over to the management of his grandson W. B. Strong. He is living with his daughter, Mrs. Lucy Strong.

Operation Of Bandit's Head Refused By Government

(By Associated Press)

LEAVENWORTH, Kas., Oct. 18.—The department of justice has refused to permit an operation on the head of Roy Gardner, notorious bandit, who is confined in the federal prison here, according to notification to Warden W. L. Biddle today from Washington. The decision was based on a report by Dr. A. F. Yoho, prison physician, who with several other surgeons examined Gardner's skull.

Gardner asked that a trepanning operation be performed, claiming an injury during his youth is responsible for his criminal tendencies.

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outside and for those just coming in the hamburger booth was an especial refuge. In fact, all of the attractions had a goodly patronage and those in charge of the affair expressed themselves well-pleased.

An array of attractions will be ready for those who join the enormous crowd expected for the closing night. This includes a Zoo, Fortune Teller, Photo graph gallery, Fish Pond and the "Hall of Horrors." There are also many refreshment booths.

The first device for the mechanical manipulation of figures was a consecutive number machine invented in 1860.

City Of Honolulu Sinks With Colors Flying

(By Associated Press)

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 18.—With colors flying, the liner City of Honolulu, gutted by fire Thursday, sank in 2,500 fathoms of water yesterday after the coast guard cutter Shawnee had poured 31 shots into the hulk, according to a radiogram received by the coast guard here today. The city of Honolulu's grave was more than 600 miles southwest from San Francisco. Not a person was injured when she caught fire and was abandoned.

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