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An epitome of the present situation of American agriculture forms a prominent and the most practical and valuable feature of the American Agriculturist (New York) for January, in which issue this old reliable magazine celebrates its fiftieth anniversary. In this epitome our relation to the world's food supply is given, and an estimate of American production and requirements. It is the first complete presentation of the laborious studies of C. Wood Davis, and apparently justifies his predictions of the brilliant future that awaits the American farmer. Mr. Davis's opinions and data carry great weight in the commercial and agricultural world because of his exhaustive inquiry of production in its relation to population, not only in the United States, but in all the principal importing and exporting countries of the world. He shows that from 1870 to 1890 the bread-eating population increased 11.4 per cent, and the wheat area 15.6 per cent, while the rye area was unchanged, but during the ten years just closed the increase in the rye and wheat area was but 1.4 per cent, against an increase in the bread-eating population of 14 per cent. In other words, consumption increased ten times as fast as production. These studies show that in 1871 the total wheat exports of the United States, Europe, India and Australia were only 120 million bushels, while the price in India, on the Atlantic seaboard, at Chicago and Liverpool averaged \$1.46 per bushel. The price steadily declined to \$1.13 at the average in 1883, when exports had more than doubled, and has since fallen to 88c as the price for 1889. Hence the probability of an advance in future.

Notice the Difference.

(Montreal Gazette.) Some of those who have declared in favor of the constitutionality of Lieutenant-Governor Angers' dismissal of the Mercierites are:

Mr. Bourinot, clerk of the house of commons. The Times, the foremost paper in England. The Scotsman, the foremost paper in Scotland. The Economist, the foremost financial journal in England.

Some of those who hold the dismissal unconstitutional are:

Mr. Pagan, who got the benefit of some \$80,000 from the Chaleur boodle. Mr. Mercier, who got the benefit of some \$30,000 Baie des Chaleurs boodle. Charles Langelier, who got the benefit of some \$34,000 Baie des Chaleurs boodle. Mr. Tarte, who got the benefit of all kinds of boodle.

Notice the difference in the relations of the authorities to the great steal.

News Notes.

In 1855, the United States produced 784,000 tons of pig iron; in 1870, the product was \$85,000; in 1880, it was 3,835,000; in 1890, it was 9,202,703 tons.

The United States census reports of stock give these figures: 14,056,750 horses; 2,296,532 mules; 16,019,501 cows; 36,875,648 oxen and cattle; 43,431,136 sheep; 50,625,106 swine.

The Italian parliament is wrestling with the finances. There is a deficit of \$4,000,000. The ministers estimate that the revenue of 1892 will bring an excess of \$2,000,000 in question, some contending that the taxes will not produce as much as is estimated, and others contending that a surplus implies a burden.

Advices from Great Britain state that the British trade returns for December show an increase in the imports of \$19,000,000, and a falling off in the exports of nearly \$8,000,000, compared with the figures for December, 1890. The increased imports, no doubt, are due largely to the large purchase of foodstuffs from America and elsewhere. The decline in exports has been a steady and unsatisfactory feature of the trade of 1891, because the loss has fallen on the artisans and manufacturers.

A VICTORIOUS SHERIFF MAN.—Mr. J. Clarence Webster, son of Mr. James Webster, of Haiper & Webster, Sheldice, who is at Edinburgh Medical College, has reason to feel proud of his 1891 career. Upon graduating as an M. D. he won the gold medal for the graduating thesis. He also won the Honour Scholarship of \$100 for "Original Research," and now the Royal College of Physicians has granted him \$300 to aid in having his thesis on "Original Research" published. Mr. Webster must feel gratified, as his friends and in fact all New Brunswickers do, that the success of his son in competition at such an institution.—Moncton Transcript.

Pinette Notes. The farmers of this vicinity are patiently waiting for snow, to haul their piles and wood. Wheeling is very bad for that kind of work.

The harbor is as clear as it would be in the middle of July. There is not a speck of ice to be seen.

A boat belonging to J. J. McDonald's lobster factory sailed from the bridge two miles up the river, on the 12th January. The oldest inhabitant of this place never remembered of the river being clear of ice at this season of the year.

Capt. M. Finlayson, formerly of Point Prim, is erecting a fine cottage at Pinette Bridge.

Capt. Finlayson purchased the trim little schooner Julia A., at Murray Harbor. He is in tennis riding her between Charlottetown, Pinette, Eldon and Orwell. We congratulate him on getting such a fine schooner.

Mr. John M. McDonald, who was away in Duluth, Minnesota, for many years, is now at home. He intends staying on the Island till spring. He looks hale and hearty after his long absence.

We are informed that Mr. K. R. Morrison, of Eldon, is about opening a store at this place in the spring. We are pleased to have a man like Mr. Morrison established here. No doubt he will do a large shipping business. CRITIC. Jan. 9, 1892.

General Telegraphic News.

OTTAWA, Jan. 12.—The British government have offered to make a thorough hydrographic survey of south-west Anti-costi if the Canadian government will defray all expenses. It is probable that the offer will be accepted. In this connection it is stated that the United States last season had eight vessels employed in a geologic survey at a cost of three quarters of a million dollars.

ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. 12.—Medical reports from the famine districts show an alarming increase of hunger typhus. The migration of peasants in search of work is likely to spread this disease over the whole country.

MONTREAL, Jan. 12.—The grit majority in Richelieu is 72. The defeat of the conservative candidate was caused by a division in the party consequent upon the unpopularity of Morgan in some quarters. Added to this Hon. Thomas McGreevy, president Richelieu and Ontario Navigation Company, controlled a large vote which was solid against Morgan. The result, therefore, as regards the great questions at issue between the two parties, has no significance. Bruneau, too, had pledged himself to support the government on matters not connected with the trade policy and was able to divert in this way a considerable number of votes from Morgan.

ADEN, Jan. 12.—It is stated that the Arab rebellion in Yemen has been renewed. The rebels are marching upon Sanaa, the capital of Yemen, and the Turkish forces are advancing to repel them. The sheiks, incited by the fanatics of their religious sects, are with their followers rising everywhere against Turkish authority.

QUEBEC, Jan. 12.—The French Consul-General at Quebec has instructed the Consuls throughout Canada to warn all Frenchmen to hold themselves in readiness to join their respective corps in France. The trouble in Morocco is given as the cause of this order.

SPRINGHILL MINES, Jan. 12.—There is trouble brewing over the proposed water works. Three tenders were opened on Friday from the following parties: A. E. Fraser & Co, \$95,585; A. Dick & Co, \$96,000; Wheaton & Co, \$98,800. Dick & Co also tendered at \$87,000 for smaller mains. It now transpires that the offer of Garson & Fraser, which was not read, was \$3,500 below Fraser & Co. The rate-payers are excited and a meeting of the council has been called for to-morrow. Everything is unsettled, and it is likely new tenders will be called for from the parties who tendered this time.

MONTREAL, Jan. 12.—Among the many letters of credit outstanding against the Mercier Government, one for \$5,137 is included. This letter is drawn in favor of Mr. Austen, Montreal, to whom the amount is claimed to have been paid. Austen, being seen by a reporter about this, stated positively that not one cent of the amount had been paid him, but that he was approached by an agent of the Mercier Government, who offered him \$1,000 in settlement of the claim, which he refused to accept, and as far as Austen is concerned the matter dropped at that stage. In the letter of credit it is stated that a certain Mr. Archambault was acting as Austin's counsel in the matter, but Austin states that he knows nothing of Archambault. The question arising from this is where has the \$5,000 gone. The royal commission will deal with the matter.

Notes and Comments. There is a call throughout the United States for uniform laws of marriage and divorce.

Few people other than postal officials have any conception of the amount of work involved in running the different branches of the postal service. In addition to the proper carrying on of the money order, savings bank, dead letter and contract branches, the keeping of the departmental accounts and attending to the voluminous correspondences which reaches the department day by day, every one of the 8,000 post offices in Canada has to be supplied with the necessary printed forms, stationery, etc., this particular branch being under Mr. Smith's supervision. Last year, for instance, 20 1/2 million separate forms, either of printed or lithograph form or binding were used by the department at a cost of \$45,120.

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