Astreiponben and Dentidiand.

Bolles 100 bit Spreiberg. 10. Mag. 1911. Berties Bolleblatt!

Bis jum 15. August bat Die gente Dise gebaueri: 98-100 Rrab Betenbeit im Saatten augerhalb, 80 Grab in ber luften (1) Stabe; die Tempires talut in ber Coune ju erproben, babe ich nicht gewagt. 34, bas mar für Denjoland etwas Reues, obgleich es im Jahre 1904 aud fo troden, abet nicht fo beiß wet. Diefe Bangflen war es bier iden jo beif, wie in Leras um die alice Beit. Der Rojgin if beffer geraten, als poriges 3abr, and Berfle und Beigen, Bafer jegoch unt notreif und leicht. Rarfoffeln mirb's wenig geben, toftet boch ber Benther icht fom 7 Mart. Rartoffeln werben fic baber nicht febr fceben laffen, wie's im Rartoffefliebe beißt:

"hat Jemand fid bie fand verbfaun! Und hifft baju fein Segen. So tut man auf die Bunde byanf Rartofelfdabide legen."

Ihr Rorreipondent aus Sinbung. Chadelfard Co., Teras, bern Gottleb i Jento, wollte nabered über feinen Bruden wiffen — nun, berfelbe ift gestorben; nur weiß ich nicht genau, wenn, jedoch durften es wei Jahre ber fein; ich will mich in ber Awischerischen naber ertundigen und in meiner nach fen Rorreipondent genaueren baruber i berichten. Mit Gruß an alle Left best in Bolleblaties.

Correspondence from Germany

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Worthy Volksblatt!

The great heat wave lasted until August 15th: 98 - 100 degrees Fahrenheit outside in the shade, 80 degrees in the cool (!) booth: I did not dare test the temperature in the sun. Alas, this was something new for Germany although we also had a similar dry spell in 1904 but it was not nearly as hot. It was already as hot here at Pentecost as in Texas, at the time. The rye yield has turned out better than last year, also barley and wheat, oats, however, have prematurely ripened and are sparse. There will be few potatoes with the hundred-weight already priced at 7 Mark. Potatoes will therefore not be allowed to be misused very much as is suggested in the potato song:

"If someone has burnt his hand And no blessed thing will help, Then one should place upon the wound A layer of potato scrapings."

Your correspondent Mr. Gottlob Jento from Freiburg in Shackelford Co., Texas, wanted to know a little more about his brother ---; so far, I can tell you that he has passed away but I do not know when, precisely, but believe it to be around two years ago; I will inquire about this further in the meantime and report in more detail in my next correspondence. With greetings to all readers of the "Volksblatt,"

The Railroader.

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