

363. The figures given below of the wheat crop of the world in 1889 are from the March, 1890, report of the United States Department of Agriculture, and are partly official and partly estimated. The figures for Canada, it is thought, are about correct.

Wheat
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WHEAT CROP OF THE WORLD IN 1889.

COUNTRIES.	Bushels.
North America—	
United States	490,560,000
Canada	31,217,494
South America—	
Argentine Republic	11,350,000
Chili	12,768,750
Europe—	
Austria	42,000,000
Hungary	94,020,333
Belgium	19,000,000
Denmark	5,000,000
France	316,268,369
Germany	82,000,000
Great Britain	75,576,383
Ireland	2,680,838
Greece	5,000,000
Italy	103,832,354
Netherlands	5,675,000
Portugal	8,512,500
Roumania	44,784,853
Russia, exclusive of Finland	188,535,989
Servia	5,000,000
Spain	75,622,213
Sweden	3,708,045
Norway	283,750
Switzerland	2,270,000
Turkey	39,725,000
Asia—	
India	243,076,549
Asia Minor	36,887,500
Persia	22,500,000
Syria	12,768,750
Africa—	
Algeria	22,500,000
Egypt	7,945,000
Cape of Good Hope	3,800,000
Australasia	26,205,957
Total	2,041,075,627

364. With a view to creating a market in England, an extensive series of experiments has been conducted at the

Experi-
ments with
two-rowed
barley.