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MARKET REVIEW

CHICAGO MARKETS.

GRAIN AND PROVISIONS.

Chicago, Sept. 17.—New upward swings in the value of corn took place today largely as a result of symptoms that distressed liquidation was over for the present. Closing prices were strong, 2⅜c to 3c net higher, with September at $1.40¼ to $1.40½ and December at $1.22⅞ to $1.23. Oats gained 1c to 1½c. In provisions the outcome ranged from 12c decline to a rise of 55c.

Notwithstanding demoralization of foreign exchange and despite weakness in the hog market, corn prices at the opening slanted toward a higher level and, with only brief interruptions continued to increase in strength. Shorts covered freely on the advance and there was persistent buying from other sources, including cash interests and the general public. Domestic shipping business was said to have been the most active in months.

Oats ascended with corn. Houses with eastern connections were conspicuous on the bull side.

In the provision market quotations averaged higher, owing mainly to the strength of cereals and to a 2,000,000-pound decrease of the stock of lard.

Cash.

Corn — No. 2 mixed, $1.39½@1.40; No. 2 yellow, $1.40@1.42.
Oats—No. 2 white, 67¼@68¾c; No. 3 white, 65@67½c.
Rye—No. 2, $1.42½@1.43.
Barley—$1.17@1.28.
Timothy—$8.50@11.
Clover—Nominal.
Pork—Nominal.
Lard—$25.87.
Ribs—$20.25@21.

Butter, Eggs and Poultry.

Butter—Market firm. Creamery 47@55½c.
Eggs — Receipts, 12,641 cases. Market unchanged.
Poultry—Alive unsettled; springs, 24c; fowls, 20@28½c.

LIVESTOCK

CHICAGO.

Chicago, Sept. 17. — Hogs—Receipts, 21,000 head. Market mostly 25@50c lower. Heavy, $16@17.50; medium, $16.50@18.; light, $16.75@18; heavy packing sows, smooth, $15.25@15.75; packing sows, rough, $14.50@15; pigs, $15@17.

Cattle — Receipts, 16,000 head. Market steady. Beef steers, medium and heavy, choice and prime, $16@17.65; medium and good, $11@ good and choice, $13.75@17.75; common and medium, $8@13.50; butcher cattle, heifers, $6.50@14.75; cows, $6.25@13.50; canners and cutters, $5.25@6.25; calves, $20@21; feeder steers, $7@12.25; stocker steers, $6.25@10; western range beef steers, $7@15.50; cows and heifers, $6.25@12.50.

Sheep — Receipts, 39,000 head. Market unsettled. Lambs, 13.25@15.50; culls and common, $8@17; yearling wethers, $9.75@11.75; ewes, medium, good and choice, $6.75@8.75; culls and common, $2@6.50.

OMAHA.

Omaha, Sept. 17.—Hogs—Receipts 2,200 head. Market 15@25c lower. Top, $16.75; bulk, $15.75@16.25; heavy weight, $16@16.50; medium weight, $16.25@16.75; light weight, $15.75@16.50; heavy packing sows, smooth, $15.75@16; packing sows, rough, $15.50@15.75; pigs, $15@16.50.

Cattle — Receipts, 11,500 head. Beef steady; she stock fully 25c lower; sockers and feeders slow, steady. Beef steers, medium and heavy weight, choice and prime, $14.75@16.75; medium and good, $10.25@14.75; common, $9@10.25; light weight, good and choice, $14.50@17; common and medium, $9.75@14.75; butcher cattle, heifers, $6.75@12; cows, $6.50@11.25; canners and cutters, $5@6.75; veal calves, light and handy weight, $11.25@13.75; feeder steers, $7@12; stocker steers, $6.50@9.50.

Sheep—Receipts, 3,500 head. Market steady on all classes. Lambs, 84 pounds, $12.75@14.65; culls and common, $7@12.50; yearling wethers, $8@9.75; ewes, medium and choice, $6@7.50; culls and common, $1.75@6.

BAR SILVER.

New York, Sept. 17.—Bar silver and Mexican dollars unchanged.

London, Sept. 17.—Bar silver, 61¾d per ounce; money and discount unchanged.

MONEY MARKET.

New York, Sept. 17.—Mercantile paper, 5¼@5½ per cent.
Sterling—Demand, 413½; cables, 414¼.
Francs — Demand, 914; cables, 912.
Guilders—Demand, 37⅛; cables, 37 5-16.
Lire — Demand, 1,015; cables, 1,012.
Marks—Demand, 3½; cables, 3⅝.
Time loans steady and unchanged.
Call money firm. High and ruling rate, 5½ per cent; low and closing bid 4 per cent; offered at 4½ per cent; last loan, 4 per cent.

MINNEAPOLIS GRAIN.

Minneapolis, Sept. 17.—Wheat—Receipts 412 cars, compared with 471 cars a year ago. Cash No. 1 northern, $2.45@2.75.
Corn—No. 3 yellow, $1.37@1.38.
Oats—No. 3 white, 63⅜@65⅞c.
Flax—$4.87@4.91.
Flour — Unchanged. Shipments, 61,574 barrels.
Barley—$1.02@1.28.
Rye—No. 2, $1.39¼.
Bran—$40.

METAL MARKET.

New York, Sept. 17.—Copper and iron unchanged.
Lead firm. Spot, 6.95c bid, 6.15c asked; October, 6.25c bid.
Spelter weak. East St. Louis delivery, spot, 7.25c bid; October, 7.25c bid.

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Today We Celebrate

Beautiful Eclipse of the Sun at Richmond, Va.

A total eclipse of the sun is the most impressive of natural phenomena. For the sun is the monarch of the planetary system, and the source of our life. Prolonged darkness would mean world-extermination. It is not without profound significance that the solemn prophecy in the Bible of Christ's second coming and the final judgment will be preceded by "the sun shall be darkened and the moon shall give her light, and the stars shall fall from heaven." (St. Matthew's Gospel.)

On Sept. 17, the day we celebrate, in 1811, there was a startlingly beautiful eclipse of the sun in Richmond, Va. How can an eclipse of the sun be "beautiful?" Listen! What is an eclipse? In simple language it is occasioned by the passing of the moon—full disk of the moon—between the sun and the earth. The eclipse is partial, if the moon covers only a portion of the sun. It is total if she covers it entirely. In the latter case the superb phenomen is (to use Milton's word) "inexpressible." For, gradually, as "totality"—in the astronomer's language, approaches, and darkness begins to creep up over the face of living things, and over the personality of the beholders, an awe—unlike any other—seizes nature. A rustling is heard, as if protest, in the branches of the forest growing into a sinister plaint. It is an organ-music in the minor key. The frightened dog runs to his kennel. The barnyard lows for help. There is a quivering of the air. The lunar shadow sweeps over land and sea with appalling speed. Slowly the gigantic circle of the moon erases upon high heaven the majesty of the sun. Stars begin to appear. And as darkness that is more mysterious than midnight falls upon the earth, when the moon cuts off the last direct ray of sunlight then instantaneously appears around the disk of our satellite a brilliant, flickering, white halo charged often with rosy light. It is like an enormous luminous envelope around the sun. It is the mysterious "corona." Its streamers toss up, millions of miles in extent, pillars of flame that deepen into bright red or purple color. The beholder holds his breath. Who made—controls—guides—this mighty spectacle? One line haunts the memory. As Coleridge cried, in the valley of Chamonix, watching the sunrise on the forehead of Mont Blanc:

"Utter forth God, and fill the hills with praise."

VOTING CONTINUES.

(Special United Press Wire.)

Boston, Sept. 17.—Voting continues here on the question of a general strike in sympathy with the striking policemen.

After years of observation and experience we still hold to our original conviction that it would be well for the workers to organize.—Toledo Union Leader.

'Pears to us that the war must have been fought to make the world safe for profiteers.—Stockton Union Sentinel.

Silence is golden when the people keep mum while the profiteer rakes in the coin.—Memphis Labor Review.

DAMAGING EVIDENCE

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"No getta job," was Meressa's reply, said Perso. "I kills one man."

Then, according to Perso, Meressa related the tale of the shooting much as the other witnesses have described it.

Meressa told the story also to Sam Marieno, the latter claimed. It was Perso who "squealed" to the officers first about Meressa's confidences. Marieno had denied that Meressa talked to him about killing a man in Butte, but when told that Perso had disclosed what he knew, then under the questioning of the officers, Marieno also loosened up. Both men retold in dramatic Italian style this morning the stories which Meressa had related to them.

It is the idea of the officers, substantiated by the testimony offered this morning by the two Italians that Meressa and his companion were strangers to Thomas, that they were out to hold somebody up for the purpose of replenishing their depleted pocketbooks, that they happened upon Thomas by accident, as he was going home late in the evening, that they attempted the holdup and were resisted by Thomas, who carried a revolver.

Several witnesses testified yesterday to seeing the revolver duel in the dark. All of them were some distance away, however. They heard the reports and saw the flashes from the guns. Mrs. Martini, who runs a rooming house at 6 West Galena street, testified that Meressa and George Collins had a room at her place for two or three days immediately after the shooting.

Mrs. Mabel Haire, who runs a rooming house at 504 East Park street, Anaconda, said that Collins and Meressa came to her place on Friday following the murder—about five days after. Meressa got her to mend a coat for him. It had a hole in the shoulder which might have been a bullet hole. The coat was offered in evidence and identified by Mrs. Haire.

Mrs. Anna Smollock of Anaconda said that Meressa asked for a job at her place a few days before March 15 and was put to chopping wood. Shortly after he left, saying he was going to Butte to get a job. A few days later he returned again and left two suitcases at her house, saying: "I come back from Butte. I can't get job in Butte."

Deputy Sheriffs Whalen and O'Connor told of arresting Meressa in Anaconda a week after the shooting and that he had a wound like a bullet hole in one leg. A later examination in the county attorney's office disclosed another wound in the shoulder.

A good many witnesses are still to be heard. The trial will probably last several days.

POSTPONEMENT OF STEEL STRIKE IS ALL A DREAM

(Special United Press Wire.)

Pittsburgh, Sept. 17. — Delegates who are attending the conference of steel workers in the district adjourned at 2 o'clock for luncheon, and will resume at 4 p. m. Chairman Fitzpatrick stated that no announcement would be forthcoming until late tomorrow. He said: "The postponement of the strike of the steel workers is a dream. Further than that I have nothing to say. The strike is going ahead as per schedule."

WITNESS SAYS

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but that he had been prevented by his superior officers from rendering a full report of his findings to headquarters at Washington.

Kerrigan quoted Alexander Poulson of the aircraft spruce commission as telling him that on less money than the government paid for the construction of John D. Ryan's 38 miles of side road, which is said to have been built expressly for the Milwaukee railroad of which Ryan is a director, he could have built the road and cut and logged 20,000,000 feet of spruce in less time than was required to build the road. Poulson, said Kerrigan, declared that he was hindered in his efforts by a man "named Hutchinson."

The witness presented evidence to show that while the Warren Spruce company of Portland, Ore., was capitalized for only $200,000, its profits from government business were enormous. Kerrigan's evidence showed that the company had made between $500,000 and $600,000 on government contracts. The following memorandum which Kerrigan said he had seized in the Warren company's offices was introduced and written into the commission's proceedings:

"Stock certificates—The company is incorporated for $200,000 more fully defined as follows:

"Fifty per cent of the net profits to go to the W. C. company and 50 per cent to the U. C. company. In regard to the latter holdings we can state that the situation must be handled in this manner, as although they will receive apparently one-half of the earnings, yet all the money will not go to them as it must be sub-divided between them and others who have been instrumental in securing these contracts and who will continue in their efforts both here and at Washington, D. C., to procure additional percentage account work which also is in sight. This, however, can be better explained verbally than in a written report."

Kerrigan told the committee that it was his opinion that the document quoted above was a part of a letter sent to the Warren Construction company of Boston, which, he said, was the parent company of the Warren Spruce company.

NORWEGIAN RED CROSS

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total Russian population of 180,000,000.

Though he approves Kolchak and believes he must lose without allied aid, Mr. Riswold is emphatic against intervention in Russia.

Allies Should Get Out.

"The allies should get out and leave them alone," he says. "They have done nothing but harm. Kolchak may lose and the Bolsheviki may get in, but then they would grow more conservative, and I think that at the last something very good would come out of it."

Mr. Riswold knew Bela Kun, ex-soviet premier of Hungary, very well when the latter was an inmate of a Tomsk prison camp, and estimates him as a "very intelligent man, and a high idealist, and not at all the vicious person he has been pictured." He has an interesting collection of Russian rubles, from the engraved Bolshevik variety to the ones now in use in Vladivostok—mere scraps of paper written across in ink. The currency system is such that a ruble is worth about 1 cent there, and because there is no small currency in circulation every restaurant is empowered to issue rubles good anywhere in the city and backed only by the establishment's stock.

UNDERTAKERS

DEATHS AND FUNERALS.

Peck—The funeral of the late Harvey T. Peck will be held at Daniels & Bilboa's funeral chapel tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment in Mountain View cemetery.

O'Neil—The arrangements for the funeral of Michael O'Neil, who died last evening, age 74 years, will not be completed pending the arrival of relatives from Nebraska. Funeral announcement will be made later.

Radmalovich — The remains of Vuko Radmalovich, who died this morning, age 40 years, are at Daniels & Bilboa's undertaking parlors. Funeral announcement will be made later.

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DEATHS AND FUNERALS.

Hackett—The funeral of the late Martin Hackett, age 48 years, will take place Friday morning at 9 o'clock at the family residence, 529 North Wyoming street, proceeding to St. Mary's church, where mass will be celebrated at 9:30 o'clock. Interment in the Catholic cemetery.

Spritzer—The funeral of Annie, the 10-year-old beloved daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Antone Spritzer, took place this afternoon at 2 o'clock at the family residence, 15 Montgomery avenue. Interment in the Holy Cross cemetery.

Cummins—The remains of the late James Cummings, age 26 years, who died at Birmingham, Wash., will be shipped to Butte for burial. Funeral announcement later.
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MADGE B. DUGAN,
Administratrix of the Estate of Oscar Mesch, Deceased.

Dated Butte, Montana, this 30th day of August, 1919.

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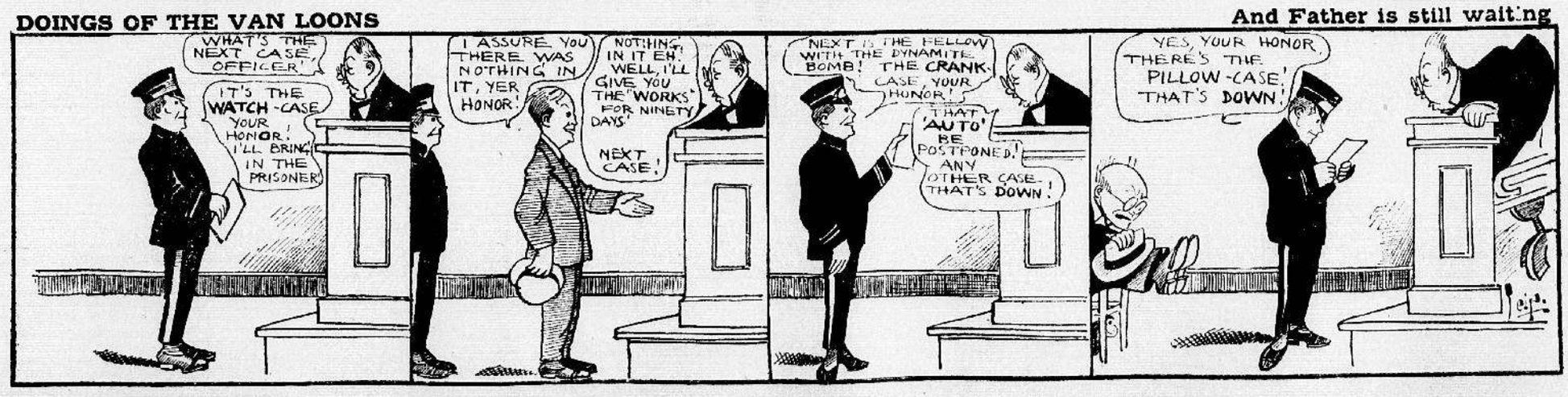
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