

NEW YORK FEELS SHORTAGE IN MILK

Greatly Decreased Receipts From Usual Sources Today, Distributors Admit.

CONSUMERS CAUTIONED TO CONSERVE SUPPLY

War Over Prices Between Producers and Dealers Grows Serious, Especially Up State.

NEW YORK, October 3.—Greatly decreased receipts of milk from the usual sources of supply brought New York today to a realization of the seriousness of a possible milk famine. Nor was there any indication of a breaking of the deadlock between the distributors and the farmers over prices.

The big milk companies admitted that but approximately one-half of their supply was received today and some of that came from long distances. Some express shipments were recorded, one of which came from Boston.

Hospitals and children have been looked after by the distributors, and so far no complaint of serious shortage has come from any of the public institutions. Private families have received preference over stores, and restaurants and consumers have been cautioned to conserve their supply.

In fear of a threatened further shortage there has been a general stocking up on the canned varieties of milk. The farmers are holding back the product of their dairies to compel the big distributors here to pay higher prices.

War Spreads Throughout State.

The milk war, which originated with the organization of the Dairyman's League, has spread throughout the state. Reports from all parts of New York tell of thousands of gallons of milk spilled in combats between the dairyman and the employees of the distributors, the picketing of cross-roads in dairy districts, farmers held up and beaten, and the establishment of cheese manufactories to dispose of the surplus resulting from the withholding of New York city's supply.

Twenty deputies have been sworn in in Dutchess county to prevent raids of farmers upon their neighbors to compel them to hold back their product. This followed an attack on one man, who was severely beaten, while the deputy sheriff who accompanied him was held a prisoner, tied to a tree. In some places the farmers are contributing funds to build co-operative creameries.

Disagree on Amount Received.

John J. Dillon, state commissioner of foods and markets, who represents the league of farmers, estimates that not more than 25 per cent of the normal amount of milk was shipped into New York city for use today. City distributors claimed they had received about 50 per cent of the 2,500,000 gallons required daily.

Applications for the appointment of a referee to take testimony in an investigation under the direction of Attorney General Woodbury is expected to be made to the courts at once. The health authorities early today made good their assertion that inspection rules would not be modified on account of the milk famine by refusing to admit 10,000 gallons from the Newport, N. Y., district on the ground that it was not pasteurized.

STREET RAILWAYS IN U. S. THEME OF ADDRESSES

Growth of street railways in the United States will be discussed by W. F. Ham, vice president of the Washington Railway and Electric Company, and William M. Stewart of the census bureau at the thirty-fifth annual convention of the American Electric Railway Association, to be held at Atlantic City October 9 to 13.

In 1882 there were 415 street railway companies in the United States, as against 1,260 at the time of the last census; 3,000 miles of track, as against 41,000; and 35,000 employees, as against 305,000; 18,000 cars, as against 94,000. It took 100,000 horses to move the cars of 1882.

To move the cars of 1912 required 3,665,081 horsepower. The number of passengers carried increased during the same time from an estimate of 1,312,490,000 to an actual count of 13,185,541,731; and the capital invested from \$140,000,000 to an estimate of \$6,000,000,000 at the present time.

Two Schooners Sold.
Capt. Ernest Weems, colored, owner and master of the two-masted river schooner Lancelot, of Alexandria, has sold the vessel to Edward A. Sharratte of Baltimore. Capt. Weems will remain in command.
Capt. A. E. Phillips of Salisbury, Md., has sold three-quarters of the bay schooner Lizzie E. Williams to Gordon Banks and Isaac Banks of Salisbury and C. C. Paul & Co. of Baltimore. The vessel is well known here.

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