In The Oil Fields

OIL MARKET QUOTATIONS.

Ragland (Okla.)	2.00	Bradford (Penn.)	1.75
Healdton	1.85	Moran (Okla.)	1.50
Sunnyside (Ark.)	1.80	Mid Kansas	1.45
Corsicana (Tex.)	1.80	Cushing	1.40
Bartlesville (Okla.)	1.80	Stonewall	1.35
Powell	1.75	Duquesne	1.30
Moran	1.75	Somerset (Penn.)	1.25
Burkburnett	1.75	Lima	1.20
Electra	1.75	Illinois	1.15
Henrietta	1.75	Indiana	1.10
Duquesne	1.75	Strawn	1.05
Cushing	1.75	Bend	1.00
Glenn Pool	1.75	Caddo	1.00
Oil City	1.75	Corsicana-Powell	1.00
Corsicana (La.)	1.75	Bradford (Penn.)	1.00
Caddo (La.)	1.75	Macksburg	.95
Crichton	1.75	Stanton	.90
Cabell	1.75	Homer (La.)	.85
Petrolia	1.75	Smackover (Ark.)	.65
Strawn	1.75	Urbana	.60
Bend	1.75	Ohio	.55
Ohio	1.75	Lima	.50
Moran	1.75	Illinois	.45
Stonewall	1.75	Indiana	.40
Somerset	1.75	Corsicana-Powell	.35
Buckeye	1.75	Cabell	.30
Macksburg	1.75	Petrolia	.25
Homer	1.75	Crichton	.20
Smackover	1.75	Bradford (Penn.)	.15
Stanton	1.75	Corsicana (Tex.)	.10
Urbana	1.75	Bradford (Penn.)	.05

ANOTHER PROBE OF OIL INDUSTRY

Federal Trade Commission to Make Investigation of All Branches.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 3.—A comprehensive inquiry into the oil business of the United States is being made by the Federal trade commission and it was so announced today by the commission following press reports that the Ventura oil field in California is being monopolized by a few companies. The commission is empowered to make such an investigation on its own initiative or upon request of the president or either house of congress.

"The information so secured," said the resolution, "will give a National representative a complete investigation of nearly every phase of the petroleum business, including refining and marketing of crude petroleum and its refined products in interstate commerce. The investigation under these resolutions has been continuously carried on by the Federal Trade Commission.

"The commission is now in receipt of reports dealing with the investigation, and each of these reports is in itself an independent, complete and separate report, and is addressed to the President and Congress. The commission is now in receipt of reports dealing with the following phases of the investigation: Methods employed in the production of petroleum in the principal oil fields of the United States; the ownership of the principal producing properties in the United States; the ownership of the principal pipe lines, refineries, and other plants for the transportation, refining and marketing of petroleum and its products; the ownership of the principal marketing agencies for petroleum and its products; the ownership of the principal companies engaged in the production, transportation, refining and marketing of petroleum and its products; the ownership of the principal companies engaged in the production, transportation, refining and marketing of petroleum and its products in the principal producing fields of the United States