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RAILROAD CONTROL.

Under authority of congress an inquiry into the methods of handling the transportation business of the country will be begun in Washington on November 20.

We may accept it as settled that there will never be a return to the conditions under which the operation of a railroad was regarded as a private business, with which the public had no concern.

It took us some time to reach this conclusion. We reached it gradually. For a long time some measure of public regulation of railroads was justified solely on the ground of special privilege.

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The creator has a right to specify the conditions under which the creature shall exist. The railroad may condemn private property for its own use. The private individual cannot do this.

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is a broadening of the doctrine of eminent domain. Under the old theory of the absolute right of the individual, if the corporations owning the coal mines were to sell their property to a single individual, and that individual should close his mines, the country must freeze.

The right of government to regulate railroad rates and conditions of service has been broadened. The manner in which the right shall be exercised is a subject which is full of complications.

"Tis not so deep as a well, nor so wide as a church door; but 'tis enough; 'twill serve," said Vice President Marshall in his message to President Wilson.

Mr. Marshall's reference was, of course, to the size of the president's majority, which is ample for its purpose, but which, from the standpoint of an enthusiastic Wilson man, leaves much to be desired.

Mr. Marshall's message will prove perfect in its analogy. The Washington seismographs recorded earth tremors on Saturday, and the indications were that the vibrations originated at a distance of 2,000 miles or more, and quite probably within the borders of the United States.

Just about that time the people of California had learned that the Chicago Tribune had called their state the champion boob state of the union for its vote for Wilson.

Possibly that was the cause of the disturbance that the Washington instruments recorded. California's uncertainty. Chairman Wilcox, of the Republican national committee, points out that in 1912 it took a month to determine just who had carried the state of California, and the decision was so close that the electoral vote of the state was divided.

He feels warranted, therefore, in withholding formal acceptance of the reported vote until the likelihood of error has been removed. In the impatience which was felt over the uncertainty in the general result of this election this fact has been overlooked.

The doubt which existed so long over California's decision four years ago was immaterial, as the result was so one-sided that one state more or less would not affect it. This year every vote counted, and every moment's delay was noticed and resented.

Grand Forks Grain Market. Obtained through the courtesy of the Russell-Miller Milling company of Grand Forks.

Prices for Tuesday, November 14. No. 1 northern \$1.91. No. 2 northern \$1.87. No. 3 northern \$1.81.

The ideal woman a man seeks and finds is one who could be as kind to his faults and as prejudiced in favor of his virtues as his mother.

LOVELL FLORIST. The Florist. CUT FLOWERS and FLORAL DESIGNS.

Goldfish. Some large, some small. Aquarium Supplies including Fish Moss.

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THE MARKET WORLD

HOG SUPPLY FELL DOWN. Average Selling Basis Improved Last Week—Pig Supply Liberal.

South St. Paul, Nov. 13.—A feature of last week's marketing has been lack of weight showing by the stock. On no session during the week have hogs averaged up to the 200 pound mark.

A spread from \$9.15 to \$9.25 was observed on the good kinds of heavy hogs. Those which weighed around the 180 pound mark and down sold down as low as \$9 between \$9.10 and \$9.20.

Pigs were included in liberal numbers in the week's crop but there was good call for such material and quotations held up fairly well. There were fluctuations off and on during the period but near the end of the week the stronger weights were being taken over at rates 50 cents above those ruling at the close a week previous.

Hog prices Saturday were steady on the good heavy kinds, which were scarce, and mostly 5 to 10 higher on the lights and mixed heavies. The range was from \$8.75 to \$9.25 and bulk was between \$9.10 and \$9.20.

Estimated receipts were 2,700, making total for the week about 65,000 against 76,453 a week ago and 49,750 the same week last year.

Early guess on today's run is 25,000 head. Nine principal markets, including South St. Paul, had 53,000 last week against 578,500 the week before.

The upward shifting of quotations on the South St. Paul market provided a top outlet for the light stock. Bulk of the choice stock offered in this section earned \$10.25 to \$10.75, the revision upward of the price list being being made until very late in the week.

The sort of stock which was relegated to the class of seconds earned \$9.25 to \$9.75 after the bulge was made in quotations by the market to that time \$8.75 took over a big share of the offerings.

Sheep sold to better advantage near the finish of the week, a quarter advance being registered late in the period. The new quotations provided for the disposition of heavyweight ewes at \$7.25. The heavy sorts, as usual, cashed on a lower basis and mostly a spread from \$5.25 to \$6.75 was observed in the trade in the property to packers. Cull contributions earned down as low as \$3.

There has been little or no business in the fat weight lambs at \$1.00 the week. A nominal top of \$8.00 was established early. The week-end bulge of rates probably would have been felt had there been any stock of this kind to deal with. Yearlings also were in negligible supply.

FARM PRODUCE. Eggs. No. 1 \$2.33. No. 2 \$2.25. Cracked \$2.20.

Dairy Products. Cream (butter fat basis) .40. Packing stock (butter) .26.

Live Poultry. Spring chicks .12. Heavy hens .11. Light hens .09.

Tom Turkeys, over 10 lbs. 15. Hen Turkeys, over 8 lbs. 15. Light Turkeys at market value.

Dressed Poultry. (Head and feet on, not drawn.) No. 1 turks .22. No. 2 turks .21. No. 1 geese .12.

Potatoes, per bushel. 7.00. Beans, per bushel. 4.50.

AN EXPERT ON COLDS. Comparatively few people realize that a cold is a signal of physical weakness.

BANK CLEARINGS. Grand Forks bank clearings Nov. 13th, 1916, \$149,316.72.

WHEAT PRICES CLIMB AGAIN. Market Ruled Firm Throughout Session—Opening Prices Up.

Minneapolis, Nov. 13.—December wheat 7-8 cent higher. May wheat 7-8 cent higher. The wheat market ruled firm all day. Opening prices were firm and the market had a further upturn after the opening but the advance did not hold although prices were 7-8 cent higher at the finish than Saturday's closing quotations.

Chicago report says that good rains all over their territory has benefited winter wheat the past week. Only dry spot is in Texas, where cotton picking is progressing and where moisture is not wanted.

The United States visible supply of wheat increased 1,622,000 bushels for the past week. Total is now 62,625,000 bushels vs. 34,635,000 bushels for the corresponding week one year ago.

Grain Quotations. Grain Markets and Quotations Furnished by Chas. E. Lewis & Co., Security Bldg., Grand Forks, N. D.

DECEMBER WHEAT. Chi. Minn. Dul. Open 1.92 1.92 1.92. High 1.94 1.94 1.94. Low 1.88 1.88 1.88. Close 1.89 1.89 1.89.

MAY WHEAT. Chi. Minn. Dul. Open 1.95 1.95 1.95. High 1.97 1.97 1.97. Low 1.93 1.93 1.93. Close 1.94 1.94 1.94.

JULY WHEAT. Chi. Minn. Dul. Open 1.60 1.60 1.60. High 1.61 1.61 1.61. Low 1.58 1.58 1.58. Close 1.60 1.60 1.60.

ST. LOUIS. Dec. May. July. Open 1.92 1.88 1.88. High 1.94 1.94 1.94. Low 1.88 1.88 1.88. Close 1.89 1.89 1.89.

KANSAS CITY. Dec. May. July. Open 1.87 1.87 1.87. High 1.89 1.89 1.89. Low 1.85 1.85 1.85. Close 1.87 1.87 1.87.

WINNIPEG. Nov. Dec. May. Open 1.99 1.99 1.99. High 1.99 1.99 1.99. Low 1.99 1.99 1.99. Close 1.99 1.99 1.99.

CHICAGO CORN. Dec. May. July. Open .94 .94 .94. High .94 .94 .94. Low .94 .94 .94. Close .94 .94 .94.

CHICAGO CATS. Dec. May. July. Open .57 .57 .57. High .57 .57 .57. Low .57 .57 .57. Close .57 .57 .57.

CHICAGO PORK. Dec. Jan. May. Nov. Open 27.62 27.62 27.62. High 27.62 27.62 27.62. Low 27.32 27.32 27.32. Close 27.47 27.47 27.47.

MINNEAPOLIS WHEAT. Dec. Put \$1.92. Calls \$2.001.99. May—Calls 2.02.

MINNEAPOLIS CASH CLOSE. No. 1 hard \$2.00 @ 2.03. No. 1 northern 1.98 @ 1.99.

DULUTH CASH CLOSE. No. 1 hard \$2.02. No. 1 northern 1.99 @ 2.01.

KILLERS GAIN 25 TO 50 CENTS. Veal Calves Advanced 75c During Past Week—Week's Run 25,500.

South St. Paul, Nov. 13.—As the result of the up-trend a top grade of Canadian steers reached \$8.25 whereas like kinds a week ago certainly would not have passed \$8.00 and probably would have had to go a peg or two below that level.

The \$5.50 to \$5.50 spread took much of the low grade native stock from first time to off-colored and cannery offerings earned \$4.50 to \$5.25 and occasionally less, these prices being above those paid for similar sorts a week earlier and about as high as at any time since early summer.

Cows and heifers have been about as prosperous as steers and look irregularly higher with nothing less than a quarter better than a week ago. The in-between natives at \$5.25 to \$6.25 made up most of the showing but it proved easier for sellers to get above \$5.00 than at any time recently.

Veal calves advanced 75 cents during the week and reached an \$11.00 top, duplicating the season's high mark. Seconds and culls had a wide range but all sorts strengthened and only a little trash sold under \$6 on late days.

South St. Paul, Minn., Nov. 13.—Hog receipts 22,500. Steady to 5c higher. Range \$8.75 @ 9.40. Bulk \$9.00 @ 9.20.

Cattle—Receipts 11,400. Killers steady, 5c lower. Steers \$4.25 @ 10.00. Cows and heifers \$5.00 @ 7.50. Calves steady, \$4.25 @ 11.00; stockers and feeders, \$4.25 @ 11.00; \$3.50 @ 7.50.

Sheep—Receipts 18,000. Lambs best strong, others 25c lower. Sheep, steady. Lambs \$5.50 @ 11.00. Wethers \$5.50 @ 8.50. Ewes \$3.00 @ 7.50.

SHARP AND POINTED. Chairman Herbert S. Houston said at the Associated Advertising Clubs convention in this city: "A good advertisement should be sharp and pointed as the Irishman's answer."

"The witty Judge Lord Morris was on the Irish circuit, and one evening at dinner he tried to tell a story, but an Irishman kept interrupting him. 'Finally, in despair, Lord Morris seized the interrupter by the sleeve. 'Surely,' he said, 'surely, man, you want to hear the story of the rint breaker o' Bally-Skibereen.' 'No, no, me lord,' said the interrupter, 'that's the lie I told ye me-self yesterday.'" —Philadelphia Bulletin.

A new material in the making of felt hats is being introduced by a planting wool in the Australian product.

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Are you informed as to the true conditions governing the leather market? Do you know that Europe is offering a prohibitive premium on hides? Do you know that even at this high price their wants are only partially supplied? Do you know that shoe factories have called in their shoe salesmen as they cannot even fill orders they now have on their books? The results are obvious. Shoes are and will be advanced to a price you never dreamed of. If you do not stock up heavily in footwear now, remember our advice was timely, after you pay from \$10.00 to \$20.00 for a pair of dress shoes. Our big stock has all been reduced and while the present stock lasts will give you the biggest shoe bargains offered in either city. A word to the wise—Stock Up on Shoes Now.

If You Pay More You Waste the Difference.

Table with columns for SHOES and GROCERIES. SHOES: Men's \$4.00 Dress Shoes in lace or button 2.88. Men's White House Shoes in lace and button; \$5.00 value, at the pair 3.98. Ladies' Hi Cut Boots, in lace or button. The newest out, priced at the pair 4.28. Ladies' Everyday Shoes in the \$2.50 and \$2.75 values at 1.98. Boys' Shoes for hard wear; the \$2.50 values, at 1.98. Children's \$1.25 Shoes at 98c. Men's and Women's Felt Shoes; leather soles; the pair 2.25. GROCERIES: A splendid assortment of great values to be found in this department. It will pay you well to come and shop. See our display: 25c Oats; the package 19c. 25c Argo Starch; 5 lbs. 19c. 22 1/2 Lbs. Rolled Oats 85c. 20c Salmon; flat tins 12 1/2 c. 20c Peaches or Pears 12 1/2 c. 30c Chow Chow 20c. 25c Corned Beef 15c. 85c Ozell Table Syrup 25c. 10c Toilet Soap, the bar 6c. 25 Lb. drum of 25c Coffee at 4.75. 10c No-Vary Chow Chow 7c. 15c Tall Salmon 11c. Domestic Sardines at 4c. Pure Honey 1 gal. pail 1.50. 10 Bars Bob White Soap 34c. 25c Slider's Pork and Beans 17c. No. 1 Tin Sliced Pineapple 10c. 5 Lbs. Cracked Rice for 25c. Soaked Lufefisk; 12c 1/2 c.

Arneson Mercantile Co. East Grand Forks, Minn.

The things that never become rusty—the money of the charitable, the nails in a collector's shoes, and a thoughtful woman's tongue. The world moves, and the mind of the world is changing in some respects, a fact that is likely to appear more decidedly after the war is over.

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