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LEGAL NOTICES.

NEW YORK, January 26, 1915.

ELECTION NOTICE.

The Missouri Pacific Railway Company.

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of The Missouri Pacific Railway Company will be held at the general office of the Company in the City of St. Louis, Missouri, on Tuesday, March 9, 1915, at 9 o'clock A. M., for the election of thirteen directors for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of any other business that may come before said meeting. The annual meeting of the directors will be held at the same office on the same day at twelve o'clock noon. The transfer books will be closed on Saturday, February 6, 1915, at twelve o'clock noon, and will be reopened on Wednesday, March 10, 1915, at ten o'clock A. M.

THE MISSOURI PACIFIC RAILWAY COMPANY. By B. F. BUSH, President.
H. L. UTTER, Secretary. Feb26—D12t

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GRAIN AND PRODUCE MARKET

Exporters Still Have Faith in Ability to Land Breadstuffs in Europe.

WHEAT IS A LITTLE LOWER

OMAHA, March 1, 1915.

Exporters seem to have little fear as to the ability of the ocean carriers to land breadstuffs abroad without any great amount of trouble or delay. Vessel room is being taken from day to day in a liberal manner for shipments, including wheat, oats and corn. With the possible exception of England and France, the stocks of breadstuffs in the old world are quite small. It may be said without fear of contradiction that supplies held in the two countries named are not large, as they continue to buy from day to day at Chicago and the smaller markets of the world. Additional reports were received by cable of the supply of breadstuffs in Germany being abnormally small, and these same cables told of a reduction in the rations of the German army. A feature of the market for several days past has been the taking of corn by France. These purchases, while not large, showed there is a possibility of corn being purchased in large quantities because of the smaller supplies of wheat than wanted.

Receipts at western points from July to date, 359,457,000 bushels, as against 259,360,000 for a like period last year. The large holders of corn in the western country, especially at Chicago, feel more encouraged by the liberal takings of that grain by France, the purchases the last two days being 2,000,000 bushels, and vessel room has been engaged for the shipment of this grain. Country movement of corn is smaller and the country is not selling in as liberal a way as formerly. Kansas City reported good sales of corn for export.

Western receipts since November 1 were 139,727,000 bushels, compared with 101,956,000 bushels for a like period last year.

Oats continue to be taken in liberal quantities by exporters and the trade on the whole believes that this grain is in a strong position. Western receipts from August to date were 197,037,000 bushels, compared with 146,502,000 bushels a year ago.

Hog products show a lack of buying power even on the soft spots to materialize, with the big stocks of manufactured products here the principal cause of lack of demand. The hog situation may be called weak and against prices, as the average farmer is unable to see any profit in feeding high priced corn to low priced hogs.

OMAHA SPOT MARKET.

Wheat was unchanged to 3¼c lower.

Corn was ½c lower to ½c higher.

Oats were unchanged.

Clearances were: Wheat and flour, equal to 1,521,000 bu.; corn, 129,000 bu., oats, 350,000 bu.

Liverpool close: Wheat, not quoted, corn, ¼d lower.

Primary wheat receipts were 918,000 bu. and shipments 661,000 bu., against receipts of 1,396,000 bu. and shipments of 483,000 bu. last year.

Primary corn receipts were 870,000 bu. and shipments 564,000 bu., against receipts of 1,545,000 bu. and shipments of 640,000 bu. last year.

Primary oats receipts were 1,021,000 bu. and shipments 894,000 bu., against receipts of 958,000 bu. and shipments of 726,000 bu. last year.

CARLOT RECEIPTS.

	Wheat.	Corn.	Oats.
Chicago	86	111	125
Minneapolis	353	...	...
Duluth	67	...	...
Omaha	22	38	17
Kansas City	113	59	9
St. Louis	84	73	60
Winnipeg	246	...	...

These sales were reported today: Wheat—No. 2 hard winter: 2 cars, $1.44. No. 3 hard winter: 2 cars, $1.45½; 1 car, $1.44; 2 cars, $1.43½; 1 car, $1.43. No. 3 spring: 1 car, $1.44; 1 car, $1.42. Corn—No. 4 white: 1 car, 67c. No. 2 yellow: 3 cars, 67c; 1 car, 66½c. No. 3 yellow: 1 car, 66½c; 3 cars, 66c. No. 4 yellow: 1 car, 65¾c. No. 5 yellow: 1 car, 65¾c. No. 3 mixed: 1 car (near white), 66½c; 12 cars, 66c; 1 car, 65¾c. No. 5 mixed: 1 car, 66c. Oats—No. 3 white: 3 cars, 53c; 1 car, 52¾c. No. 4 white: 2 cars, 52¼c. Sample: 1 car, 51c.

Omaha Cash Prices—Wheat: No. 2 hard, $1.43½@1.46½; No. 3 hard, $1.42½@1.45½; No. 4 hard, $1.38@1.43; No. 3 spring, $1.42@1.44; No. 2 durum, $1.43@1.45; No. 3 durum, $1.42@1.44. Corn: No. 1 white, 67½@68c; No. 2 white, 67½@67¾c; No. 3 white, 67@67¼c; No. white, 66¾@67c; No. 5 white, 66½@66¾c; No. 1 yellow, 66¾@67¼c; No. 2 yellow, 66½@67c; No. 3 yellow, 66@66½c; No. 4 yellow, 65½@65¾c; No. 5 yellow, 65¼@65¾c; No. 6 yellow, 65@65½c; No. 1 mixed, 66¼@66¾c; No. 2 mixed, 65¾@66¼c; No. 3 mixed, 65½@66c; No. 4 mixed, 65¼@66c; No. 5 mixed, 65¼@66c; No. 6 mixed, 65@65¾c. Oats: No. 2 white, 53¼@53½c; standard, 53@53¼c; No. 3 white, 52¾@53c; No. 4 white, 52¼@52¾c. Barley: Malting, 70@77c; No. 1 feed, 63@68c. Rye: No. 2, $1.13@1.13½; No. 3, $1.12½@1.13.

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

Features of the Trading and Closing Prices on Board of Trade.

CHICAGO, March 1.—Blockade measures not equalled in a century gave almost a knockout blow today to a wheat market staggering from terrific selling, due to signs that unlimited Russian shipments might soon be coming through the Dardanelles. After breaks that reached 7¼c, prices closed at 5⅝@6¼c under Saturday night. Other net losses were: Corn, 2⅜@2½c to 2⅝@2¾c, oats 2⅛@2⅜c, and provisions 12½@22½c.

Rushes to unload investments in wheat began the instant that trading could start. Reports of fleet successes against the land defenses of the Turks had been so pronounced that dealers here had only one thing in mind at the outset—the prospect of an overwhelming number of Russian cargoes crossing the Black Sea and the Mediterranean within a few weeks and stopping to an unknown extent the European demand for wheat from America. Values here withered away 5½c in the wink of an eye and subsequent rallies of 2@3c proved brief.

New low levels in the wheat market beneath those touched in the first smash were uncovered after midday. Foreign purchasing of 1,000,000 bushels for spot cash delivery had failed to bring about any lasting return of confidence on the part of holders. Then came word of Premier Asquith's speech in London implying that all ships carrying foodstuffs would be in danger of seizure. Semi-panic followed in the wheat pit, and although final quotations showed an upturn from the lowest figures of the session the effect was due largely to wild efforts of short sellers to realize profits.

Corn suffered from the depression of wheat. Many stop-loss orders were caught on the decline. Buying on the part of strong interests did not have much effect. Oats for a while seemed to have more strength than other grain. Persistent liquidation, though, finally forced down prices for oats even more relatively than for corn.

Free selling was the rule in provisions as well as in grain. Covering by shorts did not do much to check the ensuing break.

Futures were quoted as follows:

Article.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Sat'y.
Wheat					
May.	1 48	1 51	1 46	1 47⅜	1 53⅝
July.	1 21	1 22	1 17½	1 18⅝	1 24⅜
Corn					
May.	73¼	73⅝	71⅜	71½	74
July.	75¼	75⅝	73⅜	73½	76
Oats					
May.	56	56⅛	54⅝	54⅞	57
July.	53¼	53½	51⅝	51⅞	54¼
Pork					
May.	17 30	17 35	17 10	17 10	17 32½
July.	17 70	17 72½	17 45	17 50	17 72½
Lard					
May.	10 27½	10 27½	10 17½	10 17½	10 37½
July.	10 47½	10 52½	10 40	10 40	10 60
Ribs					
May.	9 87½	9 87½	9 75	9 75	9 87½
July.	10 17½	10 17½	10 05	10 05	10 17½

Cash Prices—Wheat: No. 2 red, $1.48@1.51; No. 2 hard, $1.47@1.52. Corn: No. 4 yellow, 68@69½c; No. 4 white, 69¼@70c. Oats: No. 3 white, 54@55½; No. 4 white, 54@55¼c. Rye, nominal. Barley, 70@80c. Timothy, $5.00@6.50. Clover, $10.50@14.50. Pork, $16.75. Lard, $9.65. Ribs, $9.85@9.95.

BUTTER—Lower; creamery, 23@29c.

EGGS—Lower; receipts, 14,408 cases; at mark, cases included, 18@19½c; ordinary firsts, 18½@19c; firsts, 19¼c.

POTATOES—Receipts, 38 cars; market unchanged.

POULTRY—Alive, higher; springs, 15@16½c; fowls, 14½@15c.

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

Notice is hereby given that the regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the South Platte Land company will be held at the office of said company at Lincoln, Nebraska at eleven o'clock a. m. on the third day of March, A. D. 1915.

C. H. MORRILL, President.
A. B. MINOR, Secretary.
Lincoln, Nebraska, February 1, 1915.
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NEW YORK GENERAL MARKET

Quotations of the Day on Various Commodities.

NEW YORK, March 1.—FLOUR—Easy; spring patents, $7.00@7.50; winter patents, $7.00@7.20; winter straights, $6.90@7.05; Kansas straights, $7.00@7.10.

WHEAT—Spot, quiet; No. 2 red, $1.56¼; No. 2 hard, $1.60, all rail c. i. f. track export; No. 1 northern, Duluth, $1.58¾, and No. 1 northern, Manitoba, $1.63⅞, c. i. f. Buffalo. Futures were weak; May, $1.55.

CORN—Spot, easy; No. 2 yellow, 80¾c c. i. f., to arrive.

OATS—Spot, easy; standard, 61½; No. 3 white, 61c; fancy clipped white, 64@66c.

HAY—Easy; No. 1, $1.05; No. 2, 90@95c; No. 3, 80@85c; shipping, 77@80c.

HOPS—Quiet; state, common to choice, 1914 crop, 12@16c; Pacific coast, 1914 crop, 13@16c; 1913 crop, 9@11c.

HIDES—Steady; Bogota, 31½@32½c; Central America, 31½c.

LEATHER—Firm; hemlock firsts, 33c; seconds, 30@31c.

PROVISIONS—Pork, barely steady; mess, $19.50@20.50; family, $22.00@23.50. Beef, quiet; mess, 21.00@22.00; family, $24.00@26.00. Lard, easy; middle west, $9.60@9.70.

TALLOW—Steady; city, 6c; country, 6¼@6⅞c; special, 7c.

BUTTER—Firm; receipts, 4,475 tubs; creamery extras (92 score), 31@31½c; creamery (higher scoring), 32@32½c; firsts, 27½@30c; seconds, 25@27c.

EGGS—Steady; receipts, 11,177 cases; fresh gathered extras, 24½@25c; extra firsts, 24c; firsts, 23@23½c; seconds, 22@22½c; nearby hennery whites, 28@29c.

CHEESE—Steady; receipts, 472 boxes; state whole milk, held specials, 16¾@17c; state whole milk, average fancy, 15@16½c.

POULTRY—Dressed, steady; western roasting chickens, frozen, 17@21c; fresh fowls, 14½@17c; turkeys, 13@21½c. Alive, steady; western chickens, 15½c; fowls, 16½c; turkeys, 16@18c.

OMAHA GENERAL MARKET.

BUTTER—No. 1, 1-lb. cartons, 31c; No. 2, 60-lb. tubs, 29c.

CHEESE—Imported Swiss, 34c; American Swiss, 26c; block Swiss, 22c; twins, 16c; daisies, 17c; triplets, 17c; Young Americas, 19c; blue label brick, 17½c; limburger, 2-lb., 20c; 1-lb., 20c; New York white, 19c; imported French Roquefort, 40c.

POTATOES—Colorado Rurals, 75c bu.; Red River Ohios, 80c bu.; Minnesota whites, 65c bu.

FISH—Trout, 20c; large crappies, 15c; halibut, 14c; channel catfish, 14c.

SWEET POTATOES—Kansas, $3.75 bbl.

BEEF CUTS—No. 1 ribs, 16c; No. 2 ribs, 14c; No. 3 ribs, 10½c; No. 1 loins, 17½c; No. 2 loins, 15½c; No. 3 loins, 11¾c; No. 1 chucks, 9c; No. 2 chucks, 8¼c; No. 3 chucks, 7½c. No. 1 rounds, 11½c; No. 2 rounds, 11c; No. 3 rounds, 10½c. No. 1 plates, 8c; No. 2 plates, 7½c; No. 3 plates, 7c.

POULTRY—Broilers, 14½c; spring chickens, 11c; hens, 9@11c; cocks, 8c; ducks, 10c; geese, 8c; turkeys, 16c; pigeons, per doz., 90c; ducks, full feathered, ...; geese, full feathered, 8c; squabs, No. 1, $1.50; No. 2, 60c.

Market quotations furnished by Gillinski Fruit company:

FRUITS—Oranges, extra fancy Alphabetical, all sizes, $2.75 per box; extra fancy Glendora Homes, all sizes, $2.65 per box; extra fancy Sunkist, all sizes, $2.50 per box. Lemons, fancy Sunkist, 300s, 360s, $5.00 per box; choice Red Ball, $3.50 per box. Grape fruit, 36s and 46s, $3.00 per box; 64s, 80s, $3.50 per box; 54s, $2.25 per box. Apples, extra fancy White Winter Pearmaines, $2.00 per box; fancy White Winter Pearmaines, $1.75 per box; extra fancy Washington Spitzenburgs, $1.50 per box; Washington fancy and extra fancy Hoovers, $1.35 per box; fancy Washington Jonathans, 176s, 188s and 200s $1.25 per box; extra fancy black Ben Davis, $1.25 per box; extra fancy Black Twigs, $1.50 per box; fancy Black Twigs, $1.25 per box; extra fancy Ganos, $1.25 per box; fancy Rome Beauties, $1.50 per box, 5 box lots or more, $1.40 per box; Ben Davis, highly colored, $3.25 per bbl.; Winesaps, $3.50 per bbl. Grapes, California Emperors, $3.50 per bbl.; Malagas, $6.00 per bbl. Pears, Anjous, $2.25 per box; Jerseys, $2.25 per box; Sheldon, $2.25 per box; Lawrence, $2.50 per box; Bosco, $2.25 per box; Easter, $2.25 per box. Bananas, per bunch, $1.75@3.50. Strawberries, 50c a qt.

VEGETABLES—Cauliflower, $2.50 per crate; cucumbers, $2.25 per box; celery, Jumbo, 80c doz.; leaf lettuce, 40c doz.; head lettuce, $1.00 doz.; onions, yellow, 2c lb., red, 2c lb., white, 2½c lb., Spanish, $1.50 per crate; endive, 35c lb.; artichokes, $1.50 doz.; Brussel sprouts, 20c lb.; California new cabbage, 2c lb.; peppers, 50c basket; onions (shallots), 50c doz.; tomatoes, $4.00 per crate; garlic, Italian, 25c lb.; radishes, 50c doz.; turnips, 50c doz.; spinach, 50c doz.; parsley, 50c doz.; beans, $4.50 per hamper. Potatoes, Colorado rurals, 75c per bu., Red River Ohios, 80c per bu., Minnesota whites, 60c per bu. Sweet potatoes, $4.25 per hamper.

NUTS—No. 1 California Walnuts, 18c per lb.; black walnuts, 3½c per lb.; filberts, 15c per lb.; pecans, 12½c per lb.; Brazils, 12½c per lb.; almonds, 20c per lb.; 12-12 oz. figs, 85c per box; 50-6 oz. figs, $2.00 per box; sugar walnut dates, $1.40 per box; hallowi dates 8c per lb.

MISCELLANEOUS—Shelled popcorn, 4c per lb.; limes, $1.75 per box; crackerjack, $3.50 case, ½ case, $1.75; checkers, $3.50 case, ½ case, $1.75. Honey, $4.00 per case. Cider, New York, $3.50 per keg. Cocoanuts, $3.50 per sack, 75c per doz. Cranberries, Late Hoses, $7.00 per bbl., $2.50 per box. Peanuts, raw, 7c per lb., raw, sack lots, Jumbo, 8c per lb., roasted, 8½c per lb., salted, $1.50 per can. Mushrooms, 50c per box.

Kansas City Grain and Provisions.

KANSAS CITY, March 1.—WHEAT—No. 2 hard, $1.44@1.47; No. 2 red, $1.44@1.45; May, $1.38; July, $1.10⅝@1.11; September, $1.03½.

CORN—No. 2 mixed, 67@68c; No. 2 white, 70@70½c; No. 2 yellow, 69c; No. 3, 67@68c; May, 68c; July, 70½c; September, 71⅞@71¼c.

OATS—No. 2 white, 55@55½c; No. 2 mixed, 51½@52c.

BUTTER—Creamery, 29c; firsts, 27c; seconds, 25c; packing, 17c.

EGGS—Firsts, 18c; seconds, 16c.

POULTRY—Hens, 13c; roosters, 10½c; turkeys, 15c.

Evaporated Apples and Dried Fruits

NEW YORK, March 1.—EVAPORATED APPLES—Dull; fancy, 8@8½c; choice, 7¾@7¾c; prime, 7@7½c.

DRIED FRUITS—Prunes, steady; Californias, 4½@11c; Oregons, 8¾@11c. Apricots, firm but inactive; choice, 9¼@9¾c; extra choice, 10@10¼c; fancy, 10¾@11c. Peaches, quiet; choice, 6¼@6½c; extra choice, 6¾@6¾c; fancy, 7@7½c. Raisins, steady; loose muscatels, 6¼@7½c; choice to fancy seeded, 7¼@7¾c; seedless, 6½@8½c; London layers, $1.45@1.50.

Sugar Market.

NEW YORK, March 1.—SUGAR—Futures opened 4 to 8 points lower in sympathy with the weakness of the spot market, but later prices rallied on covering and at midday were unchanged. Quotations: Raw, easy; molasses, 3.87c; centrifugal, 4.64c. Refined, steady; cut loaf, 6.55c; crushed, 6.55c; mould A, 6.20c; cubes, 6.00; XXXX powdered, 5.90; powdered, 5.85c; fine granulated, 5.75c; diamond A, 5.75c; confectioners' A, 5.65; No. 1, 5.50c.

Minneapolis Grain Market.

MINNEAPOLIS, March 1.—WHEAT—May, $1.39⅝@1.39¾; July, $1.34⅝@1.34⅞ bid; No. 1 hard, $1.45½; No. 1 northern, $1.40⅝@1.44⅝; No. northern, $1.36⅝@1.42¾.

FLOUR—Unchanged.

BARLEY—65@75c.

RYE—$1.15@1.16.

BRAN—$22.00.

CORN—No. 3 yellow, 66½@67c.

OATS—No. 3 white, 51½@51⅝c.

FLAX—$1.82½@1.85½.

Cotton Market.

LIVERPOOL, March 1.—COTTON—Spot, steady; good middling, 5.27d; middling, 4.95d; low middling, 4.56d; sales, 7,000 bales.

NEW YORK, March 1.—COTTON—Spot, quiet; middling uplands, 8.25c; sales, 300 bales.

The cotton market closed steady, but at a net loss of from 5 to 8 points.

Cotton futures closed steady: March, 8.17c; May, 8.39c; July, 8.61c; October, 8.91c; December, 9.09c.

St. Louis Grain Market.

ST. LOUIS, March 1.—WHEAT—No. 2 red, $1.47@1.48; No. 2 hard, $1.50@1.53; May, $1.41⅛@1.41¼; July, $1.12⅝.

CORN—No. 2, 70½c; No. 2 white, 74c; May, 70⅝c; July, 72⅛c.

OATS—No. 2, 56c; No. 2 white, 57½c.

Liverpool Grain Market.

LIVERPOOL, March 1.—WHEAT—Spot, No. 1 Manitoba, 13s 8d; No. 2, 13s 6½d; No. 2 hard winter, 13s 5½d.

CORN—Spot, American mixed, new, 8s; American mixed, old, 8s 3d; March, 7s 9d.

OMAHA LIVE STOCK MARKET

Killing Cattle Slow to Lower and Feeders Very Firm—Fat Lambs and Yearlings Higher.

FAT EWES ARE HIGHER, TOO

SOUTH OMAHA, March 1, 1915.

Receipts were:	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.
Estimate Monday	5,000	9,500	13,000
Same day last week	3,531	8,251	8,457
Same day 2 wks. ago	1,241	3,646	5,223
Same day 3 wks. ago	2,145	7,294	18,290
Same day 4 wks. ago	6,128	12,246	14,992
Same day last year	5,706	6,015	14,149

The following table shows the receipts of cattle, hogs and sheep at the South Omaha live stock market for the year to date as compared with last year:

	1915.	1914.	Inc.
Cattle	156,242	150,470	5,772
Hogs	585,176	507,896	77,280
Sheep	463,244	446,650	16,594

The following table shows the average price for hogs at the South Omaha live stock market for the last few days, with comparisons:

Date.	1915.	1914.	1913.	1912.	1911.	1910.	1909.
Feb. 9..	6 58	8 40	*	6 06	7 33	8 47	6 15
Feb. 10..	6 41¾	8 45	7 39	6 12	7 38	8 48	6 20
Feb. 11..	6 40½	8 41	7 82	*	7 21	8 61	6 30
Feb. 12..	6 57⅛	8 44	7 95	6 06	*	8 71	6 13
Feb. 13..	6 60⅜	8 39	7 16	5 98	6 99	*	6 15
Feb. 14..	*	8 28	7 86	6 06	6 93	8 77	*
Feb. 15..	6 61	*	7 98	6 01	7 01	8 70	6 21
Feb. 16..	6 64⅝	8 34	*	5 96	7 11	8 76	6 18
Feb. 17..	6 53¾	8 38	8 01	5 94	7 64	8 85	6 07
Feb. 18..	6 40⅝	8 42	8 14	*	7 06	8 94	6 03
Feb. 19..	6 38⅝	8 38	8 06	5 90	*	8 92	5 91
Feb. 20..	6 46⅝	8 34	7 98	5 98	7 08	*	5 97
Feb. 21..	*	8 33	8 19	6 02	7 01	8 98	*
Feb. 22..	6 54⅝	*	8 12	6 02	7 09	9 02	5 94
Feb. 23..	6 55⅝	8 35	*	5 96	7 04	9 20	6 04
Feb. 24..	6 56	8 29	8 19	5 89	6 99	9 19	6 11
Feb. 25..	6 50	8 00		7 46	5 70	9 19	7 10
Feb. 26..	6 47¼	8 40	8 12	6 02	*	9 26	6 13
Feb. 27..	6 49⅜	8 42	8 06	6 08	6 82	*	6 14
Feb. 28..	*	8 34	8 18	6 11	6 86	9 39	*
Mar. 1..	6 51	*	8 20	6 15	6 02	9 47	6 08

*Sunday.

Receipts and disposition of live stock at the Union Stock Yards, South Omaha, for the twenty-four hours ending at 3 o'clock yesterday:

RECEIPTS—CARLOADS.

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.	H'ses.
C., M. & St. P.	3	7	..	..
Missouri Pacific	..	1	..	..
Union Pacific	22	18	25	6
C. & N. W., east	10	2	..	..
C. & N. W., west	67	56	3	10
C., St. P., M. & O.	49	11	3	1
C., B. & Q., east	..	..	..	2
C., B. & Q., west	39	30	20	5
C., R. I. & P., east	5	8	..	..
Illinois Central	..	3	..	1
Chicago G. W.	6	3	..	..
Total receipts	204	139	51	27

DISPOSITION—HEAD.

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.
Morris & Co.	546	1,458	1,087
Swift & Co.	827	1,941	4,000
Cudahy Packing Co.	973	2,871	1,067
Armour & Co.	681	3,470	3,350
Schwartz & Co.		345	
Lincoln Packing Co.	5		
Cudahy, from country			788
W. B. Vansant Co.	25		
Benton, Vansant & L.	59		
F. B. Lewis	58		
Huston & Co.	6		
J. B. Root & Co.	49		
J. H. Bulla	78		
L. F. Husz	111		
Rosenstock Bros.	153		
Kellogg	96		
Werthelmer & Degen	354		
H. F. Hamilton	15		
Sullivan Bros.	24		
Rothschild & Krebs	15		
Mo. & Kan. Calf Co.	15		
Christie	171		
Higgins	10		
Huffman	18		
Roth	5		
Meyers	1		
Baker, Jones & Smith	42		
Tanner Bros.	85		
John Harvey	265		
Kline	34		
Dennis & Francis	8		
Other buyers	317		1,544
Totals	5,061	9,985	11,326

CATTLE—Receipts were the largest that they have been on a Monday since four weeks ago. At the same time reports from other selling points indicated large runs and lower markets. The result was that the trade here opened slow and dull, with buyers bidding lower prices so far as killers were concerned.

Stockers and feeders, which were in light supply, were the first cattle to sell and they commanded good strong prices. The offerings for the most part were cleaned up in a very short time.

Beef steers were slow from start to finish, for the reason that packers were determined to buy them lower, while sellers were very backward about making the concession demanded. In the end the prices paid were largely around 10c lower and in some cases 15c lower than last week's close.

Cows and heifers sold all the way from steady to fully 10c lower and they, too, were slow the same as beef steers.

Quotations on cattle: Good to choice cornfed beeves, $7.75@8.30; fair to good cornfed beeves, $7.00@7.75; common to fair cornfed beeves, $6.00@7.00; good to choice heifers, $6.25@7.00; good to choice cows, $5.75@6.60; fair to good cows, $5.00@5.75; common to fair cows, $3.50@5.00; good to choice stockers and feeders, $7.00@7.50; fair to good stockers and feeders, $6.50@7.00; common to fair stockers and feeders, $5.75@6.50; stock heifers, $5.00@6.50; stock cows, $5.00@6.25; stock calves, $6.00@8.00; veal calves, $7.00@10.00; bulls, stags, etc., $4.75@6.25.

Representative sales.

BEEF STEERS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
2	810	6 50	20	1098	7 50
10	990	6 75	21	1128	7 40
3	1190	6 85	20	1264	7 60
45	1064	6 90	21	1202	7 70
38	1159	7 10	17	1410	7 80
12	1170	7 25	18	1362	8 00

STEERS AND HEIFERS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
23	814	6 40	13	837	7 10
3	706	6 50	12	818	7 15
20	788	6 95			

HEIFERS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
1	710	4 25	2	806	6 50
1	620	5 25	2	520	6 60
2	628	6 00	2	960	6 75
1	960	6 10	1	510	7 00
4	1200	6 15	1	370	7 15
4	1162	6 25			

CALVES.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
1	250	6 50	1	250	9 00
3	460	7 00	1	140	9 50
4	493	7 40	1	150	9 50
1	540	7 40	1	200	9 75
1	150	8 00	1	180	10 00
1	190	8 50	2	160	10 00

STOCKERS AND FEEDERS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
2	1070	5 50	16	448	7 00
9	555	6 60	13	1061	7 00
144	737	6 65	30	828	7 10
41	690	6 75	52	869	7 15
4	690	6 80	13	1130	7 20
19	943	6 90	34	727	7 25
19	848	6 95	20	818	7 30

HOGS—The week opened out with a liberal run, about 136 cars, or 9,500 head, being received. This is over 1,000 head larger than last week and almost 3,500 heavier than for the same day last year.

Trade opened generally slow, and early killing offers were not much better than Saturday's average, and if anything not quite so good as Saturday's close. Shippers bought a few on first rounds that were largely 5c higher, paying as high as $6.60 for their kind. Advices from all other points were encouraging, and local sellers priced their offerings a dime better, but packers refused to better their first bids, and when first sales were finally made values were no more than a shade better than Saturday's average.

The trade moved along in very dull fashion until the big end of the offerings had been cashed. Towards the close, however, values began to ease off, and while sellers tried to bring the market back to the early basis, the late sales were finally made at prices that were weak to a nickel lower than the earlier market, and hardly steady with Saturday's average. The general market is just strong with the close of last week.

Bulk of sales was made at $6.50@6.52½, with a sprinkling on up to $6.55. Quite a number of the later sales dropped down to $6.47½, while some of the early shipping purchases were made at $6.60, the day's top. The close was extremely dull and there were still some hogs in first hands at noon.

Representative sales:

No.	Av.	Sh.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Sh.	Pr.
72	264	120	6 45	76	238	...	6 50
59	221	280	6 45	80	207	...	6 52½
70	242	...	6 47½	56	228	...	6 52½
73	244	...	6 47½	80	228	...	6 55
40	336	40	6 50	70	207	...	6 55
64	161	...	6 50	79	241	120	6 60
63	262	...	6 50	62	238	...	6 60

SHEEP—The receipts were 13,000 head, as against 8,457 last Monday, 5,223 two weeks ago and 14,149 on the corresponding day a year ago. The most of the offerings came in from northern Colorado and the North Platte valley, with a good proportion from eastern Nebraska and South Dakota. The bulk of the receipts consisted of lambs, among which was a small percentage of Mexicans.

Sharply higher prices were paid for everything on sale and the trade was active at the advance. The improvement amounted to fully 20@30c on lambs and yearlings, as compared with last Friday, and 25c on ewes. Fresh tops for the year to date were made all along the line, there being both fed western and Mexican lambs good enough to sell up to $9.35, Mexican yearlings at $8.65 and fed western ewes at $7.25. The bulk of the lambs moved at $9.25@9.30, and most of the ewes at $7.00@7.15. There was little if any discrimination against the heavyweights, as most everything at all decent for killing sold in practically the same notches. The light run of 15,000 head reported at Chicago helped to stimulate the local trade. Few offerings changed hands on feeding or sharing account. An early clearance was effected.

Quotations on sheep and lambs: Lambs, Mexicans, $9.00@9.45; lambs, fed westerns, $8.75@9.35; lambs, shearing, $7.90@8.30; yearlings, light, $8.25@8.65; yearlings, heavy, $7.90@8.25; wethers, good to choice, $7.25@7.65; wethers, fair to good, $7.00@7.25; ewes, good to choice, $7.00@7.25; ewes, fair to good, $6.75@7.00.

Representative sales:

No.		Av.	Pr.
226	fed lambs	80	9 10
27	Wyoming ewes	103	7 15
203	fed lambs	75	9 30
600	Colorado ewes	106	7 25
501	Mexican lambs	75	9 35
634	Mexican ewes	90	7 15

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK MARKET

Cattle Unsettled—Hogs Strong—Sheep Strong.

CHICAGO, March 1.—CATTLE—Receipts, 18,000 head; market unsettled; native steers, $5.50@9.15; western, $5.00@7.50; cows and heifers, $3.50@7.70; calves, $8.50@10.00.

HOGS—Receipts, 43,000 head; market strong, 5c to 10c higher; bulk of sales, $6.60@6.75; light, $6.55@6.80; mixed, $6.45@6.80; heavy, $6.25@6.75; rough, $6.25@6.35; pigs, $5.75@6.85.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 15,000 head; market strong; sheep, $6.90@7.90; yearlings, $7.75@8.65; lambs, $7.75@9.85.

Kansas City Live Stock Market.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., March 1.—CATTLE—Receipts, 11,000 head; market lower; prime fed steers, $8.00@8.75; dressed beef steers, $6.75@7.85; western steers, $6.60@8.00; stockers and feeders, $6.00@7.75; bulls, $5.25@6.65; calves, $6.50@10.75.

HOGS—Receipts, 13,000 head; market higher; bulk of sales, $6.60@6.70; heavy, $6.60@6.70; packers and butchers, $6.62½@6.75; light, $6.60@6.75; pigs, $6.00@6.50.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 12,000 head; market higher; lambs, $8.50@9.40; yearlings, $7.50@8.40; wethers, $6.75@7.60; ewes, $6.50@7.25.

Sioux City Live Stock Market.

SIOUX CITY, Ia., March 1.—CATTLE—Receipts, 2,500 head; market, 10@20c higher; native steers, $6.00@7.80; butchers, $5.50@6.40; cows and heifers, $4.60@5.65; canners, $4.00@4.75; stockers and feeders, $6.00@6.60; calves, $6.00@9.00; bulls, stags, etc., $4.50@6.00.

HOGS—Receipts, 10,000 head; market 5c higher; heavy, $6.52½@6.60; mixed, $6.50@6.52½; light, $6.45@6.50; bulk of sales, $6.50@6.55.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 200 head.

St. Louis Live Stock Market.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., March 1.—CATTLE—Receipts, 3,900 head; market lower; native beef steers, $7.00@9.00; cows and heifers, $5.50@8.25; southern steers, $5.75@7.75; cows and heifers, $4.00@6.00; native calves, $6.00@10.75.

HOGS—Receipts, 25,000 head; market higher; pigs and lights, $5.25@6.90; mixed and butchers, $6.70@6.90; good heavy, $6.75@6.85.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 1,100 head; market higher; native muttons, $6.75@7.25; lambs, $8.75@9.75; yearlins, $7.50@8.25.

St. Joseph Live Stock Market.

ST. JOSEPH, March 1.—CATTLE—Receipts, 1,500 head; market slow; steers, $7.00@8.50; cows and heifers, $4.00@8.00; calves, $6.00@9.75.

HOGS—Receipts, 5,000 head; market higher; top, $6.70; bulk of sales, $6.00@6.67½.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 7,000 head; market higher; lambs, $8.50@9.40.

Live Stock in Sight.

Receipts of live stock at the five principal western markets:

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.
Chicago	18,000	43,000	15,000
Sioux City	2,500	10,000	200
Kansas City	11,000	13,000	12,000
St. Louis	3,900	25,000	1,100
South Omaha	5,000	9,500	13,000
Total receipts	40,400	100,500	41,300

Coffee Market.

NEW YORK, March 1.—COFFEE—The market for coffee futures opened 3 to 4 points higher this morning on scattered covering and trade buying which seemed to be inspired by the steadier ruling of Brazilian exchange and reports of large Brazilian shipments to Europe last week. Prices later eased off, however, owing to apprehensions that the British embargo on the shipments of commodities to Germany might lead to some falling off in the demand and the close was 1 point higher to 6 points lower. Sales, 7,250 bags. March, 5.44c; April, 5.55c; May, 5.59c; June, 5.64c; July, 6.64c; August, 6.73c; September, 6.82c; November, 6.94c; December, 7.00c. Spot, quiet; Rio No. 7, 7⅛c; Santos No. 4, 9⅝c. Milreis prices in Brazil were unchanged. Rio exchange was 1-16d higher.

Oil and Rosin.

NEW YORK, March 1.—ROSIN—Steady; strained, common to good, $3.40.

TURPENTINE—Steady; machine barrels, 45½c.

SAVANNAH, Ga., March 1.—TURPENTINE—Firm at 42c; sales, none; receipts, 4 bbls.; shipments, 85 bbls.; stocks, 32,805 bbls.

ROSIN—Firm; sales 121 bbls.; receipts, 57 bbls.; shipments, 1,225 bbls.; stocks, 128,158 bbls. Quotations: A and B, $2.92½; C, D and E, $3.02½; F, $3.05; G, $3.05@3.15; H, $3.07; I, $3.15; K, $3.25; M, $4.00; N, $5.00; WG, $5.45; WW, $5.50.

Metal Market.

NEW WORK, March 1.—METALS—Lead, firm; $3.85@3.92; London, £20 5s. Spelter, strong; $10.12@10.62; London, £53.

ST. LOUIS, March 1.—METALS—Lead: Firm at $3.80. Spelter: Unsettled at $9.25@10.00.

Tin, strong; five-ton lots, $39.75@40.50; twenty-five-ton lots, $39.75@41.00. Copper, firm; electrolytic, $14.75@14.87; casting, $14.25@14.62. Iron, steady; No. 1 northern, $14.50@15.00; No. 2, $14.25@14.75; No. 1 and No. 2 southern, $14.25@14.75.

At London: Spot copper, £64 12s 6d; futures, £65 2s 6d. Tin, spot, £183; futures, £181 10s.

New York Money Market.

NEW YORK, March 1.—MERCANTILE PAPER—3½@4 per cent.

STERLING EXCHANGE—Weak; 60-day bills, $4.7823; for cables, $4.8025; for demand, $4.7985.

SILVER—Bar, 49¼c; Mexican dollars, 37¾c.

BONDS—Government, railroad, steady.

MONEY—Time loans, steady; 60 days, 2½@3 per cent; 90 days, 3 per cent; six months, 3¼@3½ per cent. Call money, steady; high, 2 per cent; low, 1¾ per cent; ruling rate, 2 per cent; last loan, 2 per cent; closing bid, 1¾ per cent; offered at 2 per cent.

Closing quotations on bonds today were as follows:

U. S. ref. 2s, reg.	98½	Mo. Pac. cv. 5s	44¼
do coupon	98⅝	N. Y. C. g. 3½s	79¼
U. S. 3s, reg.	101½	N. Y. City 4½s 1963	104⅛
do coupon	101½	*N. Y. State 4½s	108
U. S. 4s, reg.	109½	N. Y., N. H. & H.	
do coupon	110½	cv. 6s	102¾
Panama 3s coupon	101	No. Pacific 4s	90⅝
*Am. Smelters 6s	104½	do 3s	62
A. T. & T. cv. 4½s	98⅝	O. S. L. ref. 4s	85¼
Armour & Co. 4½s	90⅝	Pac. T. & T. 5s	95
Atchison gen. 4s	91⅞	*Penn. con. 4s	97⅝
Bal. & Ohio 4s	88	do con. 4½s	103⅞
Ches. & Ohio 4½s	86¼	Reading gen. 4s	91⅝
C. B. & Q. j. 4s	95¾	*S. L. & S. F. r. 4s	64
C M & S P g 4½s	100⅝	So. Pac. cv. 5s	94
do cv. 5s	101½	do ref. 4s	84⅜
C. R. I. & P. c. 4s	20	do cv. 4s	84⅝
C. & S. ref. 4½s	88½	So. Railway 5s	99¼
*D. & R. G. ref. 5s	45	Union Pacific 4s	94⅝
Erie gen. 4s	68½	do cv. 4s	88⅝
*Gen. Electric 5s	102	U. S. Rubber 6s	101½
**Gt. Nor. 1st 4½s	99	U. S. Steel 5s	100
*Ill. Cen. ref. 4s	86	*Wabash 1st 5s	96½
K. C. So. ref. 5s	88¾	West. Union 4½s	91⅝
*L. & N. unl. 4s	90½	West. Elec. cv. 5s	99
M. K. & T. 1st 4s	77¼		

*Bid.

London Stock Market.

LONDON, March 1.—The American section of the stock market was neglected today. Canadian Pacific was the only active issue. The market closed dull.

SILVER—Bar, 23¾d per oz.

MONEY—1 per cent.

DISCOUNT RATES—Short and three months, 1 7-16@1½ per cent.

Dry Goods Market.

NEW YORK, March 1.—DRY GOODS—Wool and dress fabrics were advanced today. Cotton goods were quiet, yarns dull. Raw silk remained unchanged.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET

Considerable Firmness Shown Despite Injection of New and Unfavorable Developments.

CHANGE LATE IN SESSION

NEW YORK, March 1.—Considerable firmness was shown by today's stock market, despite the injection of new and unfavorable developments here and abroad. Trading lost none of its professional character and prices showed little change until late in the session when the cables told of England's decision to declare an absolute embargo on all shipments to and from Germany.

Anticipation of this move was seen in the markets for foreign exchange, all of which were again unsettled with acute weakness in remittances to Germany, France, Italy and Switzerland. There was also increased selling of American bonds for future delivery, most of which was traceable to German sources. These offerings, however, made no impression on quoted values.

The most unfavorable feature so far as domestic conditions were concerned was found in the statement of January earnings submitted by the Pennsylvania railroad. On its lines east of Pittsburgh a net decrease of $277,000 was shown, while west of Pittsburgh the loss amounted to $780,000. These figures were accepted as an index of conditions in the steel industry. The Illinois Central road, by pruning its expense account, made a substantial net increase.

Industrials were more active than railway shares, and specialties again absorbed a large share of attention with gains of 1 to 2 points in the speculative issues. Coppers made further favorable response to the recent advance in the metal and reports of large February sales. The day's new minimums included Louisville & Nashville, which declined 2 points to 110; American Locomotive preferred 3 to 78 and American Express, 7 to 83.

For the first time in several weeks, advices from the middle west indicated a lull in activity, railway tonnage being lighter and movements of general merchandise showing a slight decrease. Money rates in that section as well as locally showed a further tendency to relax.

Two small imports of American gold were received from London, the metal having been acquired, according to reports, at the low rates of the past fortnight. Dealings in bonds were on a larger scale with fair maintenance of the price level. Total sales, par value, aggregated $2,342,000.

United States bonds were unchanged on call.

Number of sales and leading quotations on stocks were as follows:

	Sales.	High.	Low.	Close.
Alaska Gold	1,800	29	28⅝	28¾
Amalgamated Copper	6,200	54¼	52⅞	53⅜
American Beet Sugar	4,400	39⅝	38	38⅝
American Can	1,400	26⅜	25	26
American S. & R.	2,400	62¼	61⅞	61¾
American S. & R. pfd.	....	....	....	100¼
Am. Sugar Refining	....	....	....	100
American Tel. & Tel.	900	119⅝	119¼	119¼
American Tobacco	....	....	....	224
Anaconda Mining	200	26¼	26¼	25⅞
Atchison	1,200	94⅛	94	94⅛
Baltimore & Ohio	700	64¾	64⅜	64⅜
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	200	87	87	86¾
California Petroleum	1,200	17¾	17	17¼
Canadian Pacific	5,200	155¾	153⅞	154
Central Leather	2,300	34	33½	33½
*Chesapeake & Ohio	....	....	....	40
Chicago Great Western	....	....	....	10½
Chicago, M. & St. P.	200	85¾	84⅝	84⅝
*Chicago & N. W.	....	....	....	122
Chino Copper	1,700	36	35¼	35¼
Colorado Fuel & Iron	....	....	....	20¾
Colorado & Southern	....	....	....	24
Denver & Rio Grande	300	6½	6¼	6
Denver & R. G. pfd.	....	....	....	11
Distillers' Securities	200	10½	10½	10
Erie	500	21	20⅝	20⅜
General Electric	....	....	....	138
Great Northern pfd.	700	114	113¼	112¾
Great Nor. Ore ctfs.	1,100	31⅝	31¼	31⅜
Guggenheim Exploration	400	49⅛	48⅝	48⅝
Illinois Central	....	....	....	103½
Interborough Met. pfd.	300	56	55⅝	55
Inspiration Copper	2,800	19¼	18⅝	18⅝
International Harvester	....	....	....	92½
Kansas City Southern	....	....	....	22
Lehigh Valley	700	132⅞	132⅜	132
Louisville & Nashville	1,400	110⅞	110	110¼
Mexican Petroleum	4,300	67⅛	65¾	66
Miami Copper	....	....	....	15
Missouri, K. & T.	600	10⅛	10	10
Missouri Pacific	2,700	12⅜	11⅜	11⅝
National Biscuit	....	....	....	119
National Lead	500	51⅝	49⅞	51¼
Nevada Copper	200	12⅛	12⅛	12
New York Central	2,700	82⅜	81⅝	81¾
N. Y., N. H. & H.	10,800	47⅜	45	46⅞
Norfolk & Western	....	....	....	100
Northern Pacific	1,200	101	100⅜	100⅜
Pacific Mail	300	18⅝	18⅝	18⅝
Pacific Tel. & Tel.	....	....	....	25
Pennsylvania	2,700	104⅛	103⅞	104⅛
Pullman Palace Car	200	151	151	150
Ray Con. Copper	....	....	....	14⅞
Reading	17,800	143	142⅛	142⅜
Republic Iron & Steel	....	....	....	18⅝
Rock Island Co.	200	⅞	⅝	⅝
Rock Island Co. pfd.	400	1⅛	1	1
St. L. & S. F. 2d pfd.	....	....	....	3½
Southern Pacific	1,900	82⅝	82	82⅜
Southern Railway	....	....	....	13⅞
Tennessee Copper	500	28	27⅝	27⅝
Texas Company	400	128	127⅝	128¼
**Union Pacific	8,100	118⅝	117⅞	117⅞
**Union Pacific pfd.	400	79	79	78½
United States Steel	24,100	43	42⅜	42⅝
United States Steel pfd.	600	104⅛	103⅞	103⅞
Utah Copper	1,900	52⅛	51⅜	51⅞
Wabash pfd.	....	....	....	1⅛
Western Union	800	62⅞	62⅜	62⅜
Westinghouse Electric	200	66⅞	66⅛	66⅛

*Offered. **Ex-dividend.

Total sales for the day, 157,900 shares.

Local Stocks and Bonds.

Quotations furnished by Burns, Brinker & Co., 449 Omaha National bank building:

	Bid.	Asked.
Stocks—		
Continental G. & E. 6 per cent pfd.	77	80
Continental G. & E. 3 per cent com.	18	20
Fairmont Creamery 7 per cent pfd.	100½	101½
Fox River Butter	160	170
Firestone Tire & Rubber Co.	....	380
Loose-Wiles Biscuit 1st pfd.	80	88
Lincoln Traction Co.	92	100
Live Stock Nat. Bank, South Omaha	175	....
Omaha & C. B. St. Ry. pfd.	74	77
Omaha & C. B. St. Ry. com.	52½	57½
Skinner Mfg. Co.	99	....
State Bank of Omaha	114	115
Stock Yards Nat. Bank, South Omaha	....	235
Union Stock Yards, Omaha	92	94
Updike Grain com.	98	100
Bonds—		
Continental G. & E. 5s, 1927 (Neb.)	85	90
Chicago, Mil. Elec. Ry. 5s, 1919	30	35
Denver Gas Notes 6 per cent, 1917	96	97½
Galveston, Tex., 5s, 1934	99	100
Humboldt, Neb., Ref. 5s, 1935	104½	105½
Kansas City, Mo., School 4s, 1932	97	98
Lincoln, Neb., 4½s, 1935	100	100⅝
Middle West Utilities 6s, 1916	97	97½
Omaha E. L. & P. 5s, 1933	96¼	97
Omaha & C. B. St. Ry. 5s, 1928	95¼	96¼
Omaha Water 4½s, 1941	102	102¾
Omaha School 4s, 1931	97	97½
San Francisco, Cal., 5s, 1931-1960	99¼	101
Swift & Co. 5s, 1944	95¼	96
University Place, Neb., 4½s, 1916	99	99¼
Wichita Stock Yards 6s, 1924	99	100

Kitchener Originated Hoax of Russians' Trip Through Britain

(Correspondence of the Associated Press.)

LONDON, Feb. 19.—The famous hoax of the first weeks of war, when a body of Russian soldiers, said to number 100,000 to 200,000 men, was reported to have circled around from Archangel, landed in Scottish ports and been shipped through at night to reinforce the British force in France, originated with Lord Kitchener himself, according to a statement made by a British officer to a correspondent of the Daily Dispatch.

It is a noteworthy fact that although the myth spread like wild fire through the United Kingdom, with any number of witnesses to swear they had seen and talked to the Russians in their native language, the press bureau did not issue an official contradiction for a long time.

The Russian story, says the British officer, was designed to impress the German commanders in Belgium and northern France and to keep them in fear of a surprise either in the rear or on the western flank. It accomplished its purpose, for this dread was real among the German staff and accounts to some extent for the retreat of General Von Kluck from Paris.

To give color to the report, Lord Kitchener is said to have caused 100 transports laden with sundry goods to be sent from Scottish ports to Archangel, after insuring them in Holland. And when the British troops were moved from various points in Scotland and the north of England to channel ports, he ordered the blinds of the trains to be lowered, so as to arouse popular curiosity and speculation.

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GERMANS FLEEING FROM PRZASYNSZ

Petrograd Says Retreat is So Precipitate Guns and Even Slightly Wounded Are Abandoned.

FORCED BACK ACROSS NIEMAN

PETROGRAD, (Via London), March 1.—The highest importance is attached by the Russian military authorities to the German defeat at Przasynsz. It is asserted by Russian staff officers that the Germans' hope of success during their operations of the last fortnight along the northern front was based upon their confidence in breaking the Russian line at Przasynsz. This attempt by the Germans to strengthen the position of their left wing, which was an important part of their plan for a gigantic encompassing movement extending from Augustowa to Eastern Galicia, is said today by the Russian leaders to have failed definitely.

The Russians assert that the retirement of the Germans in the north is more precipitate and disorderly than any previous retreat in this theater of the war. They state that the Germans have abandoned large numbers of heavy and light guns and have even left behind wounded soldiers in an effort to execute a hasty retreat. This condition of affairs, according to the Russian viewpoint, assumes added significance from the fact that the Germans are said to have employed some of their best troops in this fighting. There are many indications that the Germans were entirely confident of success.

The reported German plan for undertaking a siege of Grodno would now appear to be venturesome, with the Russians advancing along the left bank of the river Nieman toward East Prussia and endangering the position of the German left flank. The claim is made here that all the German troops which recently crossed the Nieman have again been forced back to the other bank.

Although reports from the operations in Galicia are incomplete, it would appear that the Austrians were making little headway in the attempt to force the Russians to retire from that province.

Belgian Relief Work Keeping Thousands From Starvation

LONDON, March 1.—Herbert C. Hoover, chairman of the American Belgium relief committee, today issued the following statement:

"It is desired that certain facts be perfectly clear in the discussions going on in the American press with relation to the work of this commission.

"First—The German authorities agreed with us in December that there should be no further requisitions or purchases of foodstuffs by the German army in the occupied zone of Belgium. The occupation zone comprises the whole of Belgium with the exception of territory immediately adjacent to the fighting line. The German authorities have carried out the undertaking with scrupulous care. There never has been any interference by them with foodstuffs imported by the commission, and the whole of these foodstuffs or their equivalents have gone to the Belgium civil population.

"There were awkward situations in some localities; for instance, where troops were billeted on the people and where German officers and soldiers were eating in public restaurants, but these difficulties were solved by the issue to this commission by the Germans from their military stores of a liberal 'quid pro quo.'

"Without entering into any discussion of the right or wrong of requisitioning foodstuffs from the civil population during the early part of the occupation of Belgium, I wish to point out that as Belgium normally imports five-sixths of its foodstuffs even had no such restrictions been made, Belgium would long since have been without food except for the imports of this commission.

"Second. Every Belgian is today on a ration from this commission. Food and money are not interchangeable. A Belgian man with $1,000,000 in cash can obtain no more bread than the man who is destitute and without any opinion on the justice or injustice of levies in the way of forced issues of paper money. I can reiterate that the Belgians can only be saved from starvation by the imports of this commission. The Germans cannot and will not supply 10,000,000 people north of the German line with food.

"Those in Belgium with paper money are no less dependent upon us for food than the destitute, and every pound of food we are able to introduce into Belgium by the mercy of a charitable world prolongs just that much more Belgian life and has nothing to do with the taxes, indemnities or monetary transactions."

Bomb Explodes on Mexican Gunboat, Thirty Are Killed

GALVESTON, Tex., March 1.—Dispatches reached the Mexican consulate here today telling of an explosion on board the Mexican gunboat Progreso which resulted in the death of thirty persons, including five women. The explosion, according to the first report, occurred yesterday morning while the gunboat was at Progreso. It is said that what purported to be a barrel of rice sent on board, was, in reality a bomb prepared by persons opposed to the Carranza regime. The Mexican consul here has cabled for further information.