ture contributes about 17 per cent of

the total, manufacturing about 30 per cent, transportation about 9 per cent,

government about 5 per cent, mining a little more than 3 per cent, banking

a little over 1 per cent. The many miscellaneous employments, profes-

sional men, retailers, jobbers, mer-

chants, domestics, etc., too numerous

to list specifically, contribute 33 per

cent. In other words, our highly organized industries, even if we include

all manufacturing, mining, transporta-

tion, banking, and government activi-

ties such as education and road-build-

ing, produce only about half of the na-

tional income. The rest is due to the

efforts of small independent workers.

Income Tax Discrepancies.

income was less than 14 billion dol-

the existence of tax-exempt income.

What this means in terms of the in-

come tax is that the government re-

ceived in 1918 about half a billion dol-

lars less than it would have, if all

persons receiving \$2,000 had paid their

Contribution of Housewives.

The contribution of the 20,000,000

American housewives is not included

by the bureau in the national income

because they are not paid in money.

But the report points out that if they

were paid at the lowest possible figure

(the average recompense of personal

the total national income would be

about one-third, or 18 billions. On

that basis, the bureau gives the follow-

ing conjectural figure as to the fluctua-

tion of the housewife's contribution

Contribution

(in Dollars)

income in Other Countries.

country. The report estimates this as

(Billions

of Dollars)

Nat'l Income Income

Both the total national income and

Individual Contribution

(in Billions)

of Dollars)

9.20

9.82

10.19

18,45

Per Capita

(in Dollars)

\$338

to the national income since 1909:

full amount.

Year-

war:

1909 1910.....

1911.....

1912.....

1914.....

1915.....

1917.....

1918......

1919.....

United States ..... \$33.5 United Kingdom .. 10.9

Germany ..... 10.5

The report is in press, and

How the Bureau Is Constituted.

Research was organized after the war

by a group of persons who had come

to realize the need for accurate and

scientific collation of statistical infor-

mation as a basis for intelligent solu-

tion of national problems. The direc-

tors of the bureau are T. S. Adams.

advisor to the Treasury department;

John R. Commons, of the University

of Wisconsin; John P. Frey, editor of

the International Molders' Journal:

Edwin F. Gay, president of the New

York Evening Post; Harry W. Laidler,

secretary of the Intercollegiate Social-

ist society; Elwood Mead, professor of

rural institutions, University of Cali-fornia; Wesley Clair Mitchell, New

School for Social Research; J. E. Ster-

rett, of the firm of Price, Waterhouse

and company, accountants; N. I. Stone,

labor manager, Hickey-Freeman com-

pany; Allyn A. Young, professor of

economics, Harvard university; also.

the following appointed by the or-

ganizations named: F. P. Fish, of the

National Industrial Conference board;

Hugh Frayne, American Federation of

Labor; David Friday, American Eco-

nomic association; W. R. Ingalls, En-

gineering council; J. M. Larkin, In-

dustrial Relations Association of

America; George E. Roberts, Ameri-

can Bankers' association; Malcolm C.

Rorty, American Statistical associa-

tion; A. W. Shaw, Periodical Publish-

ers' association; and Gray Silver,

American Federation of Farm Bu-

It is a rule of the bureau that each

the research staff, or state his spe-

methods and results are under con-

stant supervision from men whose

Williams Press Congress President.

Honolulu, Hawalian Islands.-Walter

Williams, University of Missouri

School of Journalism was re-elected

president of the Press Congress of the

World by acclamation. The con-

gress passed a resolution petitioning

President Harding to admit repre-

sentatives of the press to the disarma-

points of view are dissimilar.

ment conference deliberations.

The National Bureau of Economie

published early in November.

Austria .....

The report estimates that the num-

## MOTHER! MOVE CHILD'S BOWELS WITH CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP

Hurry, mother! Even a sick child loves the 'fruity" taste of "California Fig Syrup" and it never fails to open the bowels. A tenspoonful today may prevent a sick child tomorrow. If constipated, bilious, feverish, fretful, has cold, colic, or if stomach is sour, tongue coated, breath bad, remember a good cleansing of the little bowels is often all that is necessary.

Ask your druggist for genuine "Callfornia Fig Syrup" which has directions for bables and children of all ages printed on bottle. Mother! You must say "California" or you may get an imitation fig syrup.-Advertisement.

#### The Right Is Not All.

The mayor of an Indiana city has ruled that a man has a right to chastise his wife. That doesn't alter the situation much, however. A man may -Cleveland Plain Dealer.

## WOMEN NEED SWAMP-ROOT

Thousands of women have kidney and bladder trouble and never suspect it. Women's complaints often prove to be nothing else but kidney trouble, or the result of kidney or bladder disease.

If the kidneys are not in a healthy condition, they may cause the other organs to become diseased

bition, nervousness, are often times symptoms of kidney trouble.

Don't delay starting treatment. Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, a physician's prescription, obtained at any drug store, may be just the remedy needed to overcome such conditions.

Get a medium or large size bottle immediately from any drug store. However, if you wish first to test this

great preparation send ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample bottle. When writing be sure and mention this paper.—Advertisement.

A Future Star.

"Have you decided upon a name for the baby?"

"Not yet. It's so difficult to find one that will screen well."-Life,

#### DYED HER DRAPERIES. SKIRT AND A SWEATER

Each package of "Diamond Dyes" co tains directions so simple that any wome dresses, waists, coats, sweaters, stockings, hangings, draperies, everything likenew. Buy "Diamond Dyes"—no other kind—then perfect home dyeing is guaral teed, even if you have never dyed before Tell your druggist whether the Tell your druggist whether the materi you wish to dye is wool or silk, or wheth it is linen, cotton, or mixed goods. Dis mond Dyes never streak, spot, fade, or run. So easy to use.—advertisement.

The First Case.

Adam and Eve were evicted. "We didn't think a whole apple a reasonable rent," they explained.

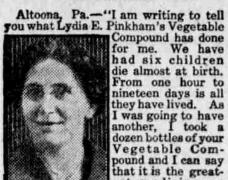
Stop the Pain.

The hurt of a burn or a cut stops when Cole's Carbolisaive is applied. It heals quickly without scars. 30c and 50c by all druggists or send 30c to The J. W. Cole Co., Rockford, Ill.—Advertisement.

It's not poverty we mind. No, not at all. It's just plain old being poor.

# JOY BROUGHT INTO HOME

By Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, Restoring Mrs. Benz to Health



Compound has done for me. We have had six children lie almost at birth. From one hour to ineteen days is all hey have lived. As I was going to have another, I took a dozen bottles of your Vegetable Com-pound and I can say hat it is the great-

est medicine on earth, for this baby is now four months old and a healthier baby you would not want. I am sending you a picture of her. Everybody says, "That is some healthy looking baby." You have my consent to show this letter."—Mrs. C. W. BENZ, 181 3rd Ave., Altoona, Pa.

No woman can realize the joy and happpiness this healthy babe brought into the home of Mrs. Benz, unless they have had a like experience.

60 Every woman who suffers from any ailments peculiar to her sex, as indicated by backaches, headaches, bearingdown pains, irregularities, nervousness and "the blues" should not rest until they have given Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial.







## KREMOLA Ten Liver Books Plupies etc. Descrit

## **HOW PURCHASING** POWER OF DOLLAR HAS FALLEN OFF

Addition to National and Individual Incomes of Little Real Benefit.

STATEMENT BY BUREAU OF ECONOMIC RESEARCH.

Most of Amount Due to Rise in Prices -Actual Total of Commodities Produced Increased Little, If at All, and

Few Were Benefited,

New York, Oct. 27.-The total national income of the United States in 1918 was 61 billion dollars, as compared with 34.4 billions in 1913; but this increase in dollars did not represent a like increase in production. Most of it was due to the rise in prices, for have the right, but few have the nerve. the dollar of 1918 and 1919 was a much less efficient dollar than that of 1913. The actual total of commodities produced increased very little, if at all, and a large part of those which were produced were war materials, not of a kind really benefiting consumers.

Consequently, individual incomes, estimated on a per capita basis, rising from \$340 in 1910 and \$354 in 1913. to \$586 in 1918, represent more dollars but little or no real increase, because the \$586 of 1918 is equivalent to only Pain in the back, headache, loss of am- \$372 in terms of the purchasing power of 1913.

These are the most important findings of the National Bureau of Economic Research, made public today in advance of the formal publication of the results of a year's study of "Income in the United States." This study, the most exhaustive ever made of the income question in this country, has been conducted by Wesley Clair Mitchell, Willford I. King, Frederick R. Macaulay and Oswald W. Knauth, under the auspices and direction of a board of nineteen directors, including men prominent in many fields of business, education, labor, agriculture, economics and practical statistics, and representing many divergent points of

This table exhibits the main findings, including the equivalent value of per capita income in terms of the

1913 p	urchasin	g power:	
		Per Capita Income	Per Capita Income in
Year-	Billions)	in Dollars	"1913 Dol's"
1909	. \$28.8	\$319	\$333
1910	. 31.4	340	349
1911	. 31.2	333	238
1912	. 53.0	346	345
1913	. 34.4	254	354
1914	. 33.2	236	333
1915	. 36.0	258	250
1916	45.4	446	400
1917		528	396
1918	. 61.0	586	372

Distribution of Income.

The report says that only one out of a hundred (1 per cent) income receivers in the United States in 1918 had incomes of \$8,000 or more, and that this one per cent had 14 per cent of the national income. Five per cent, representing incomes above \$3,200, had 26 per cent of the total. Ten per cent, including income above \$2,300, had nearly 35 per cent of the total; the most prosperous 20 per cent, including income above \$1,750, had about 47 per cent. Eighty per cent of the income receivers had incomes below \$1,750, receiving about 53 per cent of the total income.

Shares of Labor and Capital. In most of the years since 1912, the bureau finds that in the principal organized industries, wages and salaries were about 70 per cent of the total income; while capital (including management) received about 30 per cent, out of which were paid rent, interest and profits; but these proportions varied materially with relative prosperity and depression. In 1916, for example, the share of capital increased to about 35 per cent, with 65 per cent to labor, while in 1919 capital's share fell to about 22 per cent, while labor got about 78. Of the total payments to employees in the highly organized industries, about 92 per cent goes to the manual workers and clerical staffs, while 8 per cent goes to officials.

Share of the Farmer. The farmers, who during the past decade have made up about 16 per cent of the total of gainfully employed, had from 12 to 13 per cent of the national income in the years between 1910 and 1916 inclusive; since 1917 they have been receiving 16 to 17 per cent, or a somewhat higher proportion, as the following figures from the report show .

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-1	916					12.8
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Sources of Production. As for the sources of national income, the bureau finds, taking a general average since 1910, that agricul-

TO DISCUSS PROPOSED LAWS

Argentine Branch of International Law

Association Draws Up Pro-

gram for Meeting.

Buenos Aires, - The Argentine

branch of the International Law asso-

ciation has prepared, at the request

of the executive committee in London.

a program for discussion at the con-

ference of the association which is

scheduled to be held in Buenos Aaires

The topics to be taken up and de-

cided include: of labor in sea and river navigation; vast fields of know! size he cannot international law on freight contracts; reacn,-Pittsburg's Gazette-Times. regulations for the use of submarines during war; rules for the recognition of a "de facto" government by foreign states, and international responsibility of the state for damages that may be suffered by foreigners during the progress of civil wars.

# MARKET REVIEW

Compiled by the Nebraska State Bureau.

### GRAIN PRICES ARE LOWER

Most of the Classes of Cattle Are Down, Hogs 20 to 50 Cents Lower. Lambs Decline Around 75 Cents to One Dollar.

LIVESTOCK. ber of persons in 1918 having incomes Cattle-Last week's run of cattle over \$2,000, was 5,300,000, and that at Omaha was one of the heaviest of their total income was over 23 billion the season dollars. Income tax returns, however,

For the week, good and choice fed showed only 2,908,000 persons having steers were strong to 25c higher; over \$2,000, and their total reported others mostly 15 to 25c lower, Caws and beifers were generally 25 to 75c lars. This discrepancy is due in part lower, the bulk going at \$3.50 to \$4.50, to technical evasions and straight ille-Choice veal calves were steady, reachgal withholdings, but also in part to ing at top of \$10.00.

Hogs-Supplies of hcgs were liberal on all markets. Offerings of bacon weights becoming more plentiful, this class began to show declines, the week, medium and light butcher grades were 25 to 50c lower, Stronger weight butcher and packing sows were 10 to 25c lower, The bulk of medium and light butchers sold at \$7 to \$7.50. Bulk packing grades \$6.15 to \$6.50,

Sheep-While receipts of sheep at Omaha were approximately 12,000 head below the previous week, a weakness at other markets and lack and domestic service) their addition to of outside trade resulted in lower prices, Best western lambs sold \$8 with fed-clipped lambs at \$7.75 and best natives at \$7.50. The supply of feeder lambs was not large; demand was not so broad, yet the market remained fairly steady. Choice western lambs sold at \$7.50. For the week lambs and yearlings were from 75c to \$1 lower. Sheep 50 to 75c lower.

GRAIN.

Wheat-Since the recent drastic declines in wheat prices, decrease in country offerings and farm deliveries have been reported. The visible supply increased nearly one million bushels. For the week, Chicago December wheat was down 8%c; Knnsas City 8c and Winipeg 8c. On the Omaha market, No. 2 hard was selling around \$1 a bushel. The average the per capita income are larger in the United States than in any other prices paid to farmers in central Kansas for No. 2 hard winter wheat was 95c. Average price to farmers in the relative standing of the four councentral North Dakota for No. 1 dark tries named at the outbreak of the northern what \$1.0214.

Corn-The visible supply of corn Increased 2,141,000 bushels for the week. Prices declined with wheat,

POTATOES.

The heavy seasonal movement of potatoes continued thruout last week, averaging approximately 2,000 cars a day. Markets were slow and dull at shipping points with general range of prices lower. On the Omaha market, Nebraska early Ohios, grade No. 1, were quoted at \$1.90 to \$2.00; grade No. 2, \$1.10 to \$1.50. Minnesota Red River Ohios, \$2.25-to \$2.35. Prices to growers in central districts of Nebraska were :- wagon loads, cash to growers, grade No. 1, \$1.17 to \$1.33, mostly \$1.25. No. 2, \$1.08 to \$1.17. Seed stock, No. 1, Bliss Triumph bulk \$1.33 to \$1.42; sacked \$1.67. North district: wagon loads, cash to growers No. 1 early Ohios, bulk \$1.15; sacked \$1.20. Irrigated district; carloads, cash to growers, grade No. 1, \$1.25 to \$1.45.

DAIRY. The October 1st report of storage holdings of butter shows a decrease 2,345,000 pounds since September 1st and a total of 24,905,000 pounds less than the holdings of October 1st a year ago. For the week, the decrease in holdings at the four principal markets was 1,234,437 pounds. Receipts at the principal markets were approximately 6% higher last week than the week before and decrease In receipts of butter fat at local points was also reported. Prices fluctuated somewhat during the week, but no material changes were report-Closing prices 92 score: New York, 47%c; Chicago, 44%c. Local prices: best country butter 30-33c: common 23-25c. Station price for butter fat 37c.

POULTRY.

Egg receipts at the four principal mardirector must approve the findings of kets last week were more than 30,-000 cases less than the previous cific objections as part of the report. week. Very few eggs are going into In this way, bias is eliminated, for storage now and storage holdings are showing a market decrease. New York quotations on white extras remained unchanged. Local prices: select 38-42c; No. 1, 34-36c; No. 2. 24-28c.

About the usual volume of dressed poultry moved last week, Chicago receipts were considerably less, but receipts at eastern markets were increased. With good demand the markets remained steady. Local prices: springs, 15-18c; broilers, 17c; hens, light, 15c, heavy, 18c.

The Other Way Around.

A commencement speaker warns against the 'conceit of learning," Conceit proceeds from ignorance rather Inviolability of mails on land and sea than the opposite. The more one in wartime; international organization knows, the more one appreciates the

Dog Had Many Friends,

Six thousand persons signed a pe ition to save the life of a dog which a London (England) magistrate had ordered to be killed on account of its alleged ferocity.

# WET FEET BRING COUGHS AND COLDS

fust a few doses of Pe-ru-na aken soon after exposure or irst manifestation of trouble will usually break a cold or lissipate in a hurry the most persistent cough. raistent cough.
TABLETS OR LIQUID

The Well Known Emergency Remody

Two generations have known PE-RU-NA and its astonish-ing success in the roller of catarrhal diseases. The pro-per medicine to have on haud for everyday fils.

KEEP IT IN THE HOUSE

## Keep the Children Well! During these days many children are complaining of headache, feverishness, stomach troubles, and irregular bowels. If mothers only knew what **MOTHER GRAY'S SWEET POWDERS** for CHILDREN Will do for children no family would ever be without them. These powders are so easy and pleasant to take and so effective in their action that for over 30 years mothers have used them and told others about them. Sold by Druggists everywhere. Do Not Accept Any Substitute for MOTHER GRAY'S SWEET POWDERS. moure ( ill concess

## ANYTHING TO KEEP THE HELP

Evidently Farmer, These Days, Must Expect to Make Them Some Slight Concessions.

"I see you are keeping your hired man all right now, Ezra."

"Yep, keeping him all right."

you do it?" "Did everything he asked me to. Let him work only eight hours and eat with the family. He got to complaint the burglar stories he could think of ing of dull evenings, so every night I give him the use of a car of his own, and the money to spend, to go to the

"That ought to satisfy him." "It didn't, though. He complained of his room, and so I coaxed my son to trade rooms with him. Then he

seemed more settled like." "I notice you've cut off your whiskers, Ezra."

"Yeah. Some more of that hired it's so rickety." man's notions.

"How's that?" "He complained they tickled him

every time I kissed him good night."

A Native.

movies in town."

"He hit me on de koko, yer honor." "What do you mean by that?" "Me knob, me top-piece." "Your head?"

"Yes, yer honor." "Why don't you speak the English language?"

"I do, yer honor. I never wuz out of dis country in me life."-Birmingham Age-Herald.

The Wrong Batch, "I never tasted such queer batter

"Hey, you've fried my home brew."

GOT UNCLE ON TENDER SPOT

Small Boy's Innocent Repetition of Mother's Remark Not Likely to Promote Cordiality.

Nine-year-old Joe had received a watch of that sort all boys have for a birthday present. With it was "He seems satisfied, too, How'd little chain, the whole outfit taken to gether not costing more than \$3. Buf Joe did not value it accordingly. His uncle, amused at him, told him all But little Joe wasn't awed. Finally, near the end of the week, his uncle asked, "Aren't you afraid burglars will steal your watch, Joe?"

"No, sir," he said, and his eyes shone with pride, "You see me go out to the garage just before dark, Uncle Bob. Well, I hide my watch under the seat of your car. Mother said burglars wouldn't steal it if you gave them a prize for doing it, 'cause

Christian Name.

In a certain primary class the teacher had been at great pains to explain the distinction between surnames and Christian names, Then she called upon the children to give examples of each kind from their own names and those of other members of their fam-

When Charles was asked to tell in one statement the surname and the Christian name of his father, he responded, after some hesitation: "My father's surname is Tompkins, and his Christian name is a Methodist."

Agnes Slipped. Katie-Poor Agnes slipped on her veranda last night. Doris-Well, well. Did it fit her?

# You remember the story of the Pitcher-

It made a good many trips to the well and it came back in good order.

"I can take care of myself," it said-"they don't need to talk about risks to me."

But it went once too often.

After that it was only part of a pitcher, and they didn't need to talk to it about risks-it knew. A lot of people won't believe coffee can harm

them until it does harm them. "Nonsense!" they say, "it never disturbs me."

When it does disturb them, then they know.

Often the disturbance which they then recognize is the result of irritations to nerves and digestion which have been going on for a long time.

If you have to lie awake at night and count the clock ticks, after an evening cup of coffee, then you know that it's better to be safe than sorry.

The risk of coffee's harm is gone when the meal-time drink is Postum.

Here's a delightful and satisfying table beverage, with charm for the taste and without harm for nerves or digestion. You know you're on the right road with Postum; there's never the possibility that you'll go once too often.

Postum comes in two forms: Instant Postum (in tins) made instantly in the cup by the addition of boiling water. Postum Cereal (in packages of larger bulk, for those who prefer to make the drink while the meal is being prepared) made by boiling for 20 minutes.

> "There's a Reason" for Postum

Made by Postum Cereal Company, Inc., Battle Creek, Mich.