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Nothing Slow About the Farmer

Interests that for years exploited the farmer, taking advantage of the fact that he was slow to move—the fact being that he had no way of bringing action to a focus—are stunned at the rapidity with which he is grasping the first real opportunity he has had for business-like organization.

The day of selling a calf hide for a few paltry cents and buying it back again in the form of a pair of shoes for \$14 has passed, and the sooner the fact is recognized the better.

Representatives of the producers in territory tributary to the newly planned markets have presented requests for co-operate commission house affiliation with the national organization and have brought forth a mass of startling information relative to the numbers of cattle, sheep and swine produced, purchased, fed and sold as finished product and something definite has been learned regarding cost finding for the farmer.

The Business World Is Awakening

And now we find the retail clothiers awakening to the fact that country America is the real America and must be recognized. What changes have taken place in the business world mentality when the National Clothiers association gravely expresses itself as follows to the Interstate Commerce Commission:

"We believe that this is not the time for a horizontal reduction in all freight rates. We believe instead that all reductions possible at this time should be centered on farm products, farm machinery, steel and iron, and such basic commodities. We believe with substantial reductions in basic commodity rates return to normal conditions will be hastened."

This is a flat recognition of the fact that all industries are dependent on agriculture. Tariff tinkers, industrial political economists, scientific theorists whose fallacies have swayed the world so long, coupled with the selfish butchers, bakers and candlestick makers of American industry have now come to see that they have been kidding so long, and that it is their own ox that has been gored.

Beware Foreign Propaganda

In commenting upon the flood of foreign propaganda during the conference for limitation of armaments a prominent American editor made the observation that it was but the beginning of an era in which the people of the United States would be subject to a continual campaign upon the part of European interests to use the United States and its resources to further the selfish aims of rival camps in the European continent and the Far East. His prediction is being fulfilled. There never has been, in the history of the United States, such a campaign of proselytizing by foreign lecturers, foreign writers, foreign officials and foreign-language newspapers as is now being waged.

The American people are being told unless they consent to Europe's repudiating \$11,000,000,000 of money borrowed from us in good faith that Europe will be ruined.

They are being told unless the United States makes additional loans of billions to Europe, Europe will be ruined.

They are being told that unless we consent to lowering our tariff duties and to the admission of a flood of cheaply-made manufactured products from Europe, that Europe will be ruined.

They are being told that unless we go back to the days of unrestricted immigration and permit hundreds of thousands of all classes of people to flood this country that Europe will be ruined.

They are being told that unless the United States consents to become a party to European economic alliances that Europe will be ruined.

They are being told that unless the United States agrees to enter into

some sort of a league of nations and participate in all the European embroglios, that Europe will be ruined. It is futile to urge that this foreign propaganda be stopped. That can not be and will not be. But the growth of it and insistence of it should arouse all Americans to the necessity of looking after American interests first and remaining free from all foreign entanglements. There never has been a time in the history of the United States when there was greater need for the preaching and practice of 100 per cent Americanism, the settling and keeping our own house in order, the protection of our own markets and the safeguarding of our institutions than at present.

The very fact that this country is being made the object of so virulent and vehement propaganda by so many and so antagonistic European interests should convince the people of this country that it is necessary for the perpetuity of this republic to remain as free as possible from European quarrels and intrigues.

This is not, in the ultimate, a selfish viewpoint. Quite the contrary. America can never help Europe by becoming a partisan in European quarrels, or by becoming identified with European or economic alliances. America's ability to help Europe, or any other stricken section of the globe, in event there is a real need for outside help, depends upon America's retaining the virility of her citizenship and institutions, the integrity of her nationalism and the control of her own markets and resources.

Slats' Diary

By ROSS FARQUHAR

Friday—Pa was a laying claim to being a self made man and was a telling me how he has clumb up the ladder of Success by hard work with a little luck. Ma says he may of ben a self made man but she takes Credit for making a few Alterations. But after all she likes him still. Very Still. I halfo have my little Joak once in a while.

Saturday—Mr. Gillem has ben appointed a Receiver for a Co. witch is kinda failing. His wife witch thinks she is pritty wise thot a Receiver was a man witch's Duty was to act as a sort of a Foreman at Receptions for brides and mayors and congressmans and etc.

Sunday—Jane can make Fun of my ears being big & my ft., and etc. but any gurl witch beleave that the Epistles was the wives of the Apostles, surely dont read in the Bible very often. I no bettern that. But she got sore because I laffed at her when she sed it.

Monday—Pa has got to xplane his self very Clearly when he talks here of lately. He stopped at the gate to talk to Mr. Gillem to nite and ma over herd him referring to Some Dazzling Lamps and rite away she wanted to no wether he was speaking about a gurls eyes or Ottomobeel hed lites.

Tuesday—Home is not a very Pleasant when they is house Cleaning going on like at are house When I come home ma was a putting up pitchers and she holds the Hammer in both of her 2 hands in order so that she wont smash her Fingers.

Wednesday—Pa is disgusted at a yung fella nex door witch plays a cornet. Pa ast him cudent he cut it out Once in a while and he replied and sed he plays it to keep the Wolf from the door and pa sed Well it will surely keep him away unless he is deaf and dum and cant hear nothing.

Thursday—Chirches is funny. If yure a Sinner on the outside they try to get you in and if yure a sinner on the inside they want to throw you out.

The work of clearing off the debris from the corner where the Christian church building burned was begun on Tuesday morning, and will be continued until the lot is in shape for excavating for the new structure. The plans for a new building have not yet been accepted but it is expected that this will be done shortly, and then the work of excavating for the basement will be pushed. Ed Stevens, adjuster for the Home Insurance Co., was here on Friday and the loss was paid in full, the draft arriving from Portland on Sunday and was turned over to the officers of the church Monday by W. W. Smead, who is the local agent of the company.

M. E. Cotter was in the city for a short time on Monday from lone, looking after business matters. Mr. Cotter does some farming and he states that from present indications the lone country should produce a fine crop the coming season. There is no indication at the present that any re-seeding will be necessary. Good crops with a fairly good price will mean a lot to the residents of that part of the county and help get them on their feet again.

To assist the baseball boys in buying uniforms and equipment, "tag day" will be observed in this city on Friday, March 17. Be prepared with some small change and receive your decoration.

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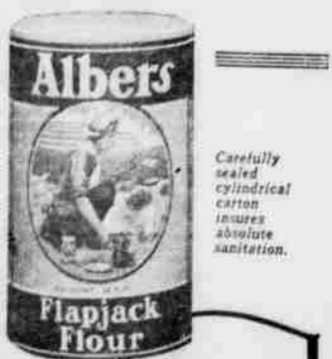
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