

BRINGING UP FATHER

By George McManus



HARDING ASSURES FARMERS WORST OF DEPRESSION OVER

CROOKSTON, Minn., Feb. 10.—The general industrial and business situation now is such as to justify confidence that "we are well past the worst phase of the agricultural crisis," declared President Harding in a letter read today to farmers attending the annual Red River valley farm crop and livestock show here. "The improvement is well begun and will continue steadily from this time forward," said the letter. After expressing regret that he was unable to deliver personally his message President Harding's letter referred to the recent national agricultural conference in Washington and continued: "I am glad to say that my utmost anticipations of useful results from that gathering were more than realized. The fine spirit of co-operation among the farmers, and the disposition on their part to unite their efforts in every possible way with those of the government, assures particularly well for our hope of accomplishment. The conference gave serious and thorough consideration to the problems before it and presented practicable proposals for doing practical and worthwhile things. In the general industrial and business situation there is much to justify confidence that we are well past the worst phases of the agricultural crisis, that improvement is well begun and that it will continue steadily from this time forward."

REDUCTION OF BRITISH FORCES NOW ADVOCATED

LONDON, Feb. 10.—(By Associated Press.) Reduction of the British army, navy and air forces and their co-ordination under a ministry of defense are advocated in the report of the economy committee headed by Sir Eric Geddes, issued today. The committee recommends: Reduction in the naval personnel of 25,000 men and a cut in the naval estimates for next year from \$1,000,000 to \$600,000,000 pounds sterling, exclusive of any savings brought about through the ten year naval holiday agreed upon at Washington. Reduction of 50,000 men in the army with a cut in the army estimates of 20,000,000 pounds sterling. The committee points out that it is not as yet informed as to what extent the government intends to adjust the national estimates as a result of the Washington armament conference; nor is it informed regarding the proposed expenditure on oil stocks, oil storage and on permanent military establishments abroad. The committee expresses the opinion that large savings are possible under all these heads, but as these questions involve high policy it seeks government guidance. "The report continues: "No account has been taken of the large savings which might result from the proposals arising out of the Washington conference, such as the discontinuance of the construction of the four new capital ships, for which the estimates of 1922-23 include \$1,500,000,000, nor of the possible reduction in the number of capital and other ships in full or partial completion."

N. Y. Stocks

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—Legislative developments at Washington and adverse industrial conditions as indicated by the United States Steel tonnage report for January encouraged a renewal of short selling in today's stock market. Sales approximated 750,000 shares. Other oils improved with Mexican Petroleum, but reacted later when steel, equipments and specialties became depressed. The closing was heavy. Strength of low priced rails again featured the bond market. NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—Buying of influential railroad stocks like Atchafalaya, Great Northern preferred, Northern Pacific, Norfolk and Western, Reading, Southern and Union Pacific, which improved one to two points, provided a stimulating influence for a time, but the entire market weakened on the publication of the United States Steel tonnage report which showed a decrease, whereas an increase had been quite generally expected. Liberal offerings of the steel, American Sugar, Sumatra Tobacco, People's Gas and General Asphalt depressed them 1 to 1 1/2 below yesterday's final figures. Subsequently the market again moved forward under the leadership of Mexican Petroleum. Notice of Sale of Government Timber General Land Office, Washington, D. C., January 14, 1922. Notice is hereby given that subject to the conditions and limitations of the Acts of June 9, 1916 (39 Stat. 218), and June 4, 1920 (41 Stat. 758), and the instructions of the Secretary of the Interior of September 15, 1917 (46 L. D. 447), and June 22, 1920 (47 L. D. 411), the timber on the following lands will be sold March 6, 1922, at 10 o'clock a. m., at public auction at the United States Land Office at Roseburg, Oregon, to the highest bidder at not less than the appraised value as shown by this notice, sale to be subject to the approval of the Secretary of the Interior. The purchase price, with an additional sum of one-fifth of one percent thereof, being commissions allowed, must be deposited at time of sale, money to be returned if sale is not approved, otherwise patent will issue for the timber which must be removed within ten years. Bids will be received from citizens of the United States, associations of such citizens and corporations organized under the laws of the United States or any state, territory or district thereof only. Upon application of a qualified purchaser, the timber on any legal subdivision will be offered separately before being included in any offer of a larger unit. T. 35 S. R. 1 E., Sec. 1, SE 1/4 SW 1/4, 20 M., red fir 430 M., white fir 30 M., none of the pine timber to be sold for less than \$2.25 per M., none of the red fir timber to be sold for less than \$1.50 per M., none of the white fir to be sold for less than \$1.60 per M., T. 21 S. R. 2 W., Sec. 27, Lot 9, fir 750 M., hemlock 30 M., cedar 20 M., Lot 10, fir 1100 M., hemlock 20 M., cedar 140 M., none of the fir timber to be sold for less than \$1.50 per M., and none of the hemlock and cedar timber to be sold for less than \$1.00 per M., Lot 16, fir 600 M., hemlock 75 M., cedar 150 M., Lot 16, fir 900 M., hemlock 50 M., cedar 125 M., none of the fir timber to be sold for less than \$1.25 per M., and none of the hemlock and cedar timber to be sold for less than \$1.00 per M., T. 15 S. R. 2 W., Sec. 25, NE 1/4 NW 1/4, yellow fir 250 M., red fir 800 M., cedar 30 M., NW 1/4 NW 1/4, red fir 1700 M., SW 1/4 NW 1/4, yellow fir 200 M., red fir 1450 M., SE 1/4 NW 1/4, yellow fir 300 M., red fir 1600 M., none of the fir and cedar timber to be sold for less than \$1.50 per M., T. 21 S. R. 3 W., Sec. 13, NW 1/4 SE 1/4, fir 500 M., none of the fir timber to be sold for less than \$1.50 per M. (Signed) WILLIAM SPRY, Commissioner, General Land Office.

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BRITISH OPPOSED TO GENOA DELAY

LONDON, Feb. 10.—(By the Associated Press)—Great Britain will agree to no postponement of the Genoa economic conference unless the request for such postponement emanates from Rome, it was authoritatively declared here today. The French ambassador, it is understood, was so informed last evening by Lord Curzon, the foreign secretary, during their discussion of the French memorandum urging postponement of the conference.

Market News

Livestock. PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 10.—Cattle steady 34; steady unchanged. Hogs receipts 106; 25c higher. Prime light \$10.50@10.75; smooth heavy, 230 to 300 lbs., \$9.25@10.25; 100 lbs. and up \$8.25@9.25; rough heavy \$6.00@7.50; fat pigs \$10.25@10.50; feeder pigs \$10.00@10.25; stags, subject to deage 15@17. Sheep: receipts 27; steady unchanged. Portland Butter. PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 10.—Butter firm; extra cubes 37c; under grades 24@35c; cartons 42c; points 41c. Butterfat No. 1 churning cream 38@41c; f. o. b., Portland. Under grades 35c. Portland Wheat. PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 10.—Wheat hard white \$1.15; soft white, white club, hard winter, northern spring \$1.14; red Walla \$1.11. Today's car receipts—Wheat 17; flour 1; oats 1. Eggs, Grain and Hay. PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 10.—Eggs, weak, unsettled; selling price, case count 27c; buying price 25@28c; selling price, candled 29@30c; selected candled in cartons 30@32c. Poultry—hens, heavy 25c; light 18@18c; broilers, out of market; old roosters 10@12c; turkeys No. 1, 37@39c; geese nominal; ducks 20@22c. Wheat firm, higher \$1.13@1.18; barley \$27@28 ton; oats, \$27@29; corn No. 2 yellow, \$25@26. Millstuffs, mill run \$1 higher; bran \$23@24; hay steady; good demand; buying price, timothy valley \$15; east Oregon \$18@19; alfalfa \$14@15; grain mixed \$15; clover \$12.50 per ton.

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