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the only reason why Kansas will be for Taft. Mr. Taft has made a number of visits to Kansas, with the result that he has many strong personal friends there; in these visits he has made it clear that he stands for the progressive policies mapped out by Mr. Roosevelt. Mr. Leland for six years was a member of the Republican national committee. Just before he left for home, Senator Burkett announced that he favored the renomination of President Roosevelt, and gave it as his positive belief that Nebraska would insist upon his accepting a third term and would send a delegation to the convention of 1908 instructed to that end. From this it would seem that President Roosevelt has more or less of a mortgage on the Kansas and Nebraska delegations.

Reports continue to pour in concerning the awful condition of the starving peasants of Russia. Dr. Kennard, commissioner of the Society of Friends, who was sent to investigate the situation, has reported from Samara, in the heart of the famine district, that the suffering is fearful and that 20,000,000 unfortunates are facing death. He appeals to the United States and Great Britain to lend their powerful aid. According to Dr. Kennard, there are 300,000 small children in Samara province who have no milk, and are forced to eat the coarsest bread, composed largely of acorns, powdered wood and cucumbers. There is no nutrition in this food, whatsoever, and thousands are dying a lingering death by starvation, while disease mercifully removes others more quickly. Under the leadership of Bishop Potter, a relief committee has been organized in New York City, with headquarters at 135 East 15th street, known as the Russian Famine Relief Fund. The organization has investigated thoroughly the conditions existing in the stricken provinces of Russia and has found that \$5 will save a life until the next harvest, when the situation will be ameliorated. Even the smallest contributions are welcome from generous Americans, and President Roosevelt has most heartily endorsed the work that Bishop Potter's organization has undertaken.

One's mind naturally travels back to the days when feudal barons kept huntsmen among their retainers, when glancing over the payroll of the interior department. Uncle Sam also has his huntsmen, and this week Wm. O. Postel and Geo. M. Glover were assigned to hunt down wolves in the Wind River division of the Yellowstone national forest. F. J. Brandenstein and J. S. Whitlatch have been ordered to institute a crusade against the wolves in the Saw Tooth national forest in Idaho. Other men will be appointed in sections of the country where they are needed. It has been found that the most effective manner of destroying the wolves is to find their dens in the early spring, when, in addition to the old animals, the pups also may be surprised and killed. During the next two months merry war will be waged on these enemies of sheep and cattle.

Uncle Sam hereafter will guarantee to the world the purity of his meat products. In a circular issued by the department of agriculture this week, it was prescribed that after April 15 all persons shipping meats, lard or other animal substances packed and cured before October 1, 1906, must first obtain written permission from the department, after having submitted absolute proof of the purity of the food and the fact that it had been prepared without the use of any prohibited preservative. The railroads transporting such shipments also are required to have an affidavit from the shipper certifying that the meat is in good condition and fit for human food, the affidavit to be forwarded immediately



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Ducks—10c; geese, 8c; turkeys, 16c.  
Butter—27½c; butter fat, 25½c.  
Wheat—65 @ 68c.  
Local wheat—68c.  
Oats—35 @ 40c.  
Barley—\$22 @ \$23.  
Flour—\$3.25.  
Mill feed—Bran, \$19.00; shorts, 1.90.  
Hay—Cheat and clover, \$7 @ \$8 per ton; timothy, \$10 per ton.  
Onions—90c @ \$1.50 per cwt; potatoes, 65c per bu.  
Hops—Choice, 10 @ 11c; prime to select, 8 @ 9c; medium to prime, 7c.  
Cattin bark—5½ @ 6c.

##### Tropical Fruits.

Bananas—6½c per lb.  
Oranges—\$2.75 @ \$3.00.  
Lemons—4.00 @ \$5.00.

##### Retail Market.

Oats—\$1.35 per cwt; wheat, 80c; red barley, \$27.50 @ \$28 per ton.  
Eggs—20c doz.  
Apples—\$3.00.  
Butter—Country, 20 @ 30c; cream, 32½ @ 35c.  
Flour—\$1 per sack.  
Bran—70c per sack; \$21.50 per ton.  
Hay—Timothy, 70c per cwt.; cheat and clover, 50c per cwt.; alfalfa, 55c per cwt.

##### Livestock.

Hogs—Dressed, 9c.  
Cattle—1100 @ 1200 lb steers, 14c.  
Lighter steers—3½ @ 4c.  
Cows and heifers—900 @ 1000 lb, 14c.  
Stock hogs—6c.  
Hogs—Fat, 6½c.  
Lamb—5c.  
Veal—Dressed, 8c.

##### PORTLAND MARKET.

Wheat—Club, 75c; valley, 72c; stem, 77c.  
Oats—Choice white, 29c.  
Millstuf—Bran, 17.  
Hay—Timothy, \$15 @ \$16; alfalfa, 15.  
Veal—\$7.50 @ \$8.00.  
Potatoes—\$1.75 @ \$2.00 per cwt.  
Poultry—Hens, 15 @ 16c; mixed chickens, 14½ @ 15c; dressed chickens, 16 @ 17c; turkeys, live, 13 @ 14c; ducks, 17 @ 18c; pigeons, \$1.00 @ \$1.25.  
Pork—Dressed, 6 @ 6½c.  
Lard—Dressed, 5 @ 6c.  
Butter—6 @ 7c.  
Hops—9 @ 10½c lb, according to quality.  
Wool—Valley, coarse to medium, 23c; eastern Oregon, 13 @ 18c.

##### CASTORIA.

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## UNCLE SAM'S HUNTERS

### The Government Will Guarantee Purity of Meat Products

Washington, April 23.—If the reported smuggling of Japanese into this country via the Mexican or Canadian borders proves true, it may result in reopening the exclusion question between this country and Japan. It is declared that large numbers of Japanese are slipping into the United States via Mexico, especially, and Senator Flint of California, accompanied by Judge Morrow, of that state, already has paid a visit to the White House. It is believed that this influx of the Japanese was the subject under discussion. However, there is a decided lack of unanimity apparent on the coast with regard to the Japanese question. According to George W. Simons, a well known contractor of Portland, Ore., who is here on business, the feeling against the "little brown men" is not general on the coast and is not noticeable in either Oregon or Washington. Mr. Simons declares that the opposition is confined to the state of California, and is entrenched in the labor unions, which stirred up the agitation to prevent the competition that the Asiatics offered. In any event, now that the exclusion order has issued, the President will be compelled to make representations to Japan if it is proved that the new law is being violated. If Cyrus Leland, of Topeka, for more than a quarter of a century one of the Republican leaders of Kansas, is to be believed, the delegation from his state in the next Republican national convention will be solid for Taft. His prophecy is based on the generally accepted understanding that President Roosevelt has espoused the cause of the secretary of war, but Mr. Leland hastened to add that this fact, in itself, is not

ly to the department here. Because of the great falling off in interstate and export trade, the packers appear to be welcoming these rigid rules for the protection of the public. That they have determined on taking the public completely into their confidence by disclosing to them the methods of manufacture and preparation of animal foods, is evidenced by the fact that National Packers' exposition, to be held in Chicago May 1, has been widely advertised and is to be attended by representatives of many foreign governments. The administration also is interested in this closer relationship between the manufacturers of food supplies and the consumers, and President Roosevelt has agreed to press a button at the White House starting the machinery of the exposition in Chicago's big coliseum.

#### To Wipe Out Lotteries.

Biloxi, Miss., April 23.—Judge Niles called a special term of the

federal court at this place today, and the court has been called to business. The grand jury was charged to look into the lottery business which has been reported to be in full fledged working order on the Mississippi river. The recrudescence of lotteries in the Mississippi valley has quite surprised the authorities, but these have equally surprised the lottery men, some of whom have been caught red-handed. The Morris, the lottery kings, say they have had nothing to do with lotteries in a number of years, but the federal authorities do not seem to take much stock in their denials. Some of the most important citizens of the state are reported involved in the business, and will be indicted. It is learned that a regular drawing by lotteries has taken place aboard vessels navigating the Gulf, and that some of the sailors and officers have drawn prizes in considerable numbers, while the managers of the lotteries have drawn immense sums

from the profits of the nefarious games. The federal authorities express the grim determination to root the whole business out, and put the offenders in prison. The Morris has made a great fortune in this style of swindling, but now claim that the business was abandoned since their father died, and that if there are lotteries going on they are run by other parties.

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