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The Cost of High Living.

There has probably never been a time in the world's history when thrift was more essential than at the present reconstruction period of our nation.

It must be apparent to everyone that the necessity for new standards of living, the necessity for the teaching of sound economic doctrines, is absolutely essential in the interests of efficiency and prosperity.

As Schwebel, in a recent address expressed it, "We must build our new industrial foundation on the basis of economy."

There has been a wonderful awakening in this connection in the past twelve months. In the latter part of 1920, the Y.M.C.A. in the United States organized and managed a Thrift Week in thirty-two cities in the Union.

633 American cities celebrated this Thrift Week, the daily papers fully co-operating.

The people of the United States and Canada have been very prosperous for the past ten or fifteen years. The revenue of many of the homes was noticeably increased during the war.

For instance, thirty years ago, moving picture shows were scarcely known. The boys and girls of that period had for the most part to make their own entertainment, which was usually of a much more helpful character.

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A REMINISCENT PICTURE. This group photograph is peculiarly appropriate in view of the marriage of Princess Mary. It shows the late Queen Victoria with Princess Mary and three of her brothers. The Princess is wearing a sailor hat. The photograph was made in 1899 on the occasion of a visit to Osborne.

QUESTION OF CATTLE EMBARGO AN ISSUE IN BRITISH ELECTIONS

A despatch from London says:—Despite the statement by Sir Arthur Griffith Boscaven, Minister of Agriculture, that the British Government would not remove the embargo on Canadian cattle, the fight is by no means over.

Lord Beaverbrook, who has been the foremost in the campaign for lifting the ban, addressed five thousand members of the National Union of Farmers at Norwich on Saturday. Sir Henry Thornton and Col. Hardy Mullins of Winnipeg, who spoke so strongly on the matter at the meeting of London Meat Traders last week, also spoke at the Norwich gathering.

It is noteworthy that many members of Parliament, who a few months ago opposed the removal of the embargo, have now changed their opinions and are strongly advocating this step.

One candidate is now running in an English constituency with the removal of the embargo as the principal plank in his platform. Equally striking has been the change of heart manifested in the ranks of many members in the National Farmers' Union. The Daily Express is understood to be determined to make the embargo one of the issues in the coming general election, and its views are supported by nearly the whole of the London press.

Canadian Sailors Form Guard of Honor

A despatch from Ottawa says:—The crew of the cruiser Aurora of the Canadian fleet, which is spending the winter in the south, furnished the guard of honor at the opening of Parliament in the Barbadoes Islands.

Sir Eric Geddes has resigned his seat in the British House of Commons.

Weekly Market Report

Toronto. Manitoba wheat—No. 1 Northern, 1.58 1/2; No. 2 Northern, 1.56 1/2; No. 3 Northern, 1.54 1/2; No. 4 Northern, 1.52 1/2; No. 5 Northern, 1.50 1/2; No. 6 Northern, 1.48 1/2; No. 7 Northern, 1.46 1/2; No. 8 Northern, 1.44 1/2; No. 9 Northern, 1.42 1/2; No. 10 Northern, 1.40 1/2.

Manitoba oats—No. 2 CW, 61 1/2; extra No. 1 feed, 58 1/2; No. 1 feed, 56 1/2; No. 2 feed, 54 1/2; No. 3 feed, 52 1/2; No. 4 feed, 50 1/2; No. 5 feed, 48 1/2; No. 6 feed, 46 1/2; No. 7 feed, 44 1/2; No. 8 feed, 42 1/2; No. 9 feed, 40 1/2; No. 10 feed, 38 1/2.

Manitoba barley—Nominal. All the above, track, Bay points, American corn—No. 2 yellow, 77 1/2; No. 3 yellow, 75 1/2; No. 4 yellow, 73 1/2; No. 5 yellow, 71 1/2; No. 6 yellow, 69 1/2; No. 7 yellow, 67 1/2; No. 8 yellow, 65 1/2; No. 9 yellow, 63 1/2; No. 10 yellow, 61 1/2.

Ontario wheat—No. 2 white, nominal; Ontario wheat—Nominal. Barley—No. 3 extra, test 47 lbs., 57; better, 57 to 60c, according to freight outside.

Buckwheat—No. 2, 78 to 80c; No. 3, 76 to 78c; No. 4, 74 to 76c; No. 5, 72 to 74c; No. 6, 70 to 72c; No. 7, 68 to 70c; No. 8, 66 to 68c; No. 9, 64 to 66c; No. 10, 62 to 64c.

Ontario flour—90 per cent, patent, bulk, seaboard, per bbl., nominal. Millfeed—Del. Montreal freight, bags included: Bran, per ton, \$28 to \$32; shorts, per ton, \$30 to \$32; good feed flour, \$17 to \$18.

Baled hay—Track, Toronto, per ton, No. 2, \$21.50 to \$22; mixed, \$18 to \$19; No. 1, 40 to 41c; No. 2, 34 to 35c; cooking, 25 to 26c.

Ontario corn—53 to 60c, outside. Cheese—New, large, 20 to 20 1/2c; twins, 20 1/2 to 21c; triplets, 21 to 21 1/2c; old, large, 25 to 26c; twins, 25 to 26c; triplets, 26 to 27c; Sultans, new, 24 to 25c.

Butter—Fresh dairy, choice, 28 to 30c; creamery, prints, fresh, fancy, 41 to 43c; No. 1, 40 to 41c; No. 2, 34 to 36c; cooking, 25 to 26c.

Dressed poultry—Spring chickens, 30 to 36c; roosters, 20 to 25c; fowl, 28 to 32c; duckings, 32 to 38c; turkeys, 90c; geese, 30c.

Live poultry—Spring chickens, 22 to 28c; roosters, 18c; fowl, 20 to 28c; duckings, 32c; turkeys, 40 to 45c; geese, 20c.

Margarine—20 to 23c.

Relieved by "Fruit-a-lives" the Fruit Medicine

Indigestion Weak Digestion or partial digestion of food, is one of the most serious of present day complaints—because it is responsible for many serious troubles.

Those who suffer with Indigestion, almost invariably are troubled with Rheumatism, Painful of the Heart, Sleeplessness and excessive Nervousness.

"Fruit-a-lives" will always relieve Indigestion because these tablets strengthen the stomach muscles, increase the flow of the digestive juices and correct Constipation, which usually accompanies Indigestion.

Get a box, 6 for \$2.50, 10 for \$4.00. A dealer or sent postpaid by Fruit-a-lives Limited, Ottawa.

Schools for Sons of Indian Soldiers

A despatch from London says:—According to a Reuter cable from Delhi, India, King George has directed that the money in the King-Emperor's Patriotic Fund, subscribed during the war, shall be used to build boarding schools for the sons of Indian soldiers.

The schools will be called "King George's Royal Indian Military Schools." The Prince of Wales will lay the foundation stones of the first two schools on February 25 and March 1, respectively.

Mine Idle Through Action of Boy

A despatch from Anaconda, N. S., says:—The mines at Jaggies were idle Thursday afternoon, following a 400 hundred men act of sympathy.

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