

MANY AMERICAN FREIGHT CARS NOW SOLD ABROAD

Exports of Railway Equipment and Material More Than Doubled Within Two Years.

The United States has supplied large quantities of railway materials and equipment to other parts of the world in the last year, according to figures compiled by Uncle Sam.

Until very recently Canada and Cuba have been the foremost foreign markets for our freight cars; Cuba, Canada and Brazil the largest markets for exported locomotives; and Canada, Australia, Japan, Brazil, Argentina and Cuba the leading markets for our steel rails.

Table with 2 columns: Classes of material, 1914, 1916. Rows include Railway cars, Locomotives, Steam, Electric, Engine parts, Switches and other track, Ties, Railroad spikes, Car wheels, Telegraph instruments.

MUCH CANNED FISH IS SOLD

Value of Output in United States, Including Alaska, Increases 56.1 Per Cent in Five Years.

An increase of 56.1 per cent in the value of canned fish and oysters produced in the United States during 1914, over the amount for 1909, was reported by the bureau of the census.

Returns were received from 538 establishments engaged in the canned and preserved fish and oyster industry in 1914, the products of which for that year were valued at \$55,288,404.

The output of canned fish and oysters alone increased in value from \$26,470,289 in 1909 to \$41,321,593 in 1914, and that of salted or pickled fish, from \$7,398,838 in the earlier year to \$9,200,162 in the later, or by 24.3 per cent.

STUDY AMERICAN METHODS

Russian Students Will Come to This Country to Learn How Business is Conducted Here.

A number of Russian students may be sent to the United States to study American business methods and various features of commercial activity in this country.

By visits of Russian students to America, it is declared, Russia will have the possibility of becoming closely acquainted with authoritative information on economic and commercial questions.

—Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Wright, of Bessemer City, route two, were in the city shopping Saturday.

Don't Invite Serious Sickness

"A stitch in time saves nine," is an old and true saying, but it is nevertheless true. Common colds and a congested condition are the foundation of much serious illness and disease that could be avoided if prompt attention were given to the first so-called slight ailment.

Every family can provide prompt treatment for these first attacks of ill health—and every family should be prepared for an emergency by having on hand that standard old family cough syrup, Foley's Honey and Tar Compound, for the relief of coughs, croup, whooping cough, irritated and inflamed throat, tight and sore chest, croup and bronchial coughs.

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WOULD THE "CROOKS" OF 1912 LET HUGHES KEEP PLEDGES?

Candidate Hughes is running on a personal platform of promises. The safest—the only trustworthy—method of judging the future is by assessing the past.

CANDIDATE HUGHES SAID: "I believe in labor legislation and the great benefits that have flowed from the wise conduct of labor organizations."

"I want to see fair justice done to everybody who works."

"Every practical measure for the real benefit of labor will have my support."

"I promise the enforcement of the law with equal severity and in equal justice to all—corporations and individuals."

"The conditions of transportation in New York city are a shame, and I purpose to find out the proper method of procedure and whether legislation or administrative action is necessary."

"I shall devote myself with renewed zeal to the people's service. My administration shall be an unbroken administration."

Mr. Hughes is not the Republican party. He would be no more able to make good his promises as president than he was as governor of New York.

GOVERNOR HUGHES DID: Refused to appoint a practical railroad man to the state public service commission, although urged to do so by organized labor.

Vetoed the bill giving women schoolteachers equal pay with men for equal work.

Vetoed the full crew railroad bill.

Vetoed bills urged by state tax commission to compel corporations to pay their franchise taxes promptly and to authorize the tax board to equalize special franchise tax valuations.

Vetoed Coney Island five cent fare bill, which would have saved the people of New York city \$1,500,000 a year.

Blocked in his efforts by the bosses of his party, Governor Hughes resigned in his second term to accept appointment to the United States supreme court.

SUFFRAGISTS CERTAIN OF DEMOCRATS' HELP

Leaders Resent Efforts to Have Them Support Hughes.

WON BY WILSON'S SPEECH.

"I Have Come Here to Fight WITH You," He Tells National Convention. "Wilson Voted For Suffrage; Has Hughes?" Mrs. Graham of Idaho Asks.

Western women who have had the ballot equally with the men for several years resent the interference of one of the factions of suffragists and the attempt to turn the suffrage cause into an adjunct of the Republican party.

This attitude is brought out clearly in an interview by Nixola Greeley-Smith, nationally prominent as a writer on the staff of the New York World, with Mrs. Alexander Thompson, Democratic national committeeman from Oregon, and Mrs. Theresa M. Graham of Coeur d'Alene, Ida.

"One would think," observed Mrs. Thompson to Miss Greeley-Smith, "that if any instruction in suffrage matters had to be given it would come from the women who have won the vote and do vote rather than from suffragists in the east, who are still disfranchised."

"I agree with every word that Mrs. Thompson has spoken," declared Mrs. Graham, proxy member of the notification committee from Idaho. "The conditions in my state are the same as in Oregon, except that we have had the vote for twenty years, and it was given to us without our having to fight for it."

"Woodrow Wilson voted for suffrage. Has Charles E. Hughes ever voted for suffrage? Wilson has done everything consistent with a belief in state rights, one of the fundamental principles of Democracy. Suffrage can never win as a partisan issue."

It is admitted by suffragists that their cause has been helped greatly by the speech President Wilson made before the convention of the National Woman Suffrage association at Atlantic City on Sept. 8.

"You touched our hearts and won our fealty when you said you had come here to fight with us."

"The astonishing thing about this movement," said President Wilson, "is not that it has grown so slowly, but that it has grown so rapidly."

"I get a little impatient sometimes about the discussion of the channels and methods by which it is to prevail. It is going to prevail, and that it is a very superficial and ignorant view of it which attributes it to mere social unrest. It is not merely because the women are discontented; it is because the women have seen visions of duty, and that is something which we not only cannot resist, but if we be true Americans we do not wish to resist."

"I have felt as I sat here tonight the wholesome contagion of the occasion. Almost every other time that I ever visited Atlantic City I came to fight somebody. I hardly know how to conduct myself when I have not come to fight anybody, but with somebody."

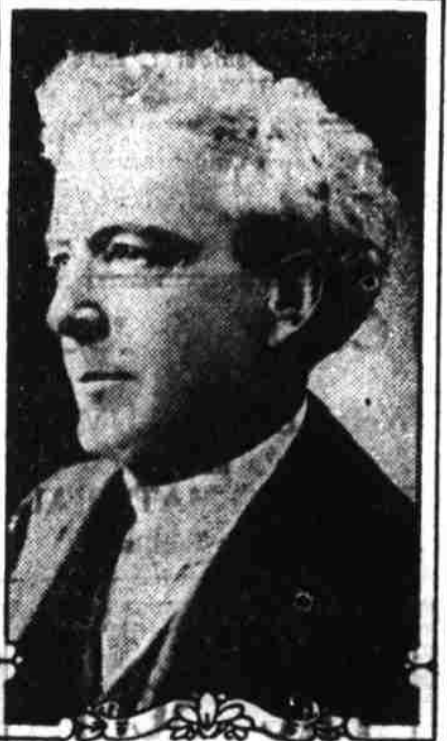
"I have come to suggest, among other things, that when the forces of nature are steadily working and the tide is rising to meet the moon you need not be afraid that it will not come to its flood. We feel the tide; we rejoice in the strength of it."

BURBANK OUT FOR WILSON, "THE GREATEST STATESMAN"

Announcing his support of President Wilson, Luther Burbank, the horticulturist wizard of California, said:

"I believe him to be the greatest statesman we have ever had."

Mr. Burbank, the Edison of scientific horticulture, declared that without reserve he endorsed the position announced a week earlier by Thomas A. Edison. Both Burbank and Edison have



LUTHER BURBANK.

been lifelong Republicans. Edison put it this way:

"Times are too serious to talk in terms of Republicanism or Democracy. When it's America that is at stake men have got to vote as Americans. A fool or a coward would have had the United States in all sorts of trouble. As it is, we are at peace, the country was never more prosperous, and we have the strength that comes with honor and integrity of purpose."

Greatest Benefit to Farmers. When congress passed the rural credit bill a few weeks ago it placed upon the statute books a measure of greater direct benefit to the farmers of the United States than any legislation enacted since the creation of the department of agriculture, now nearly a generation ago.—The National Monthly.

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NOTICE OF SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE.

Under and by virtue of an order of the Superior Court of Gaston County, made in a Special Proceeding entitled "R. G. Cherry, Administrator vs. H. O. Lineberger, et als.", the same being No. — upon the Special Proceeding docket of said Court, the undersigned Commissioner will, on

Wednesday, October 25, 1916, at 12 o'clock M., at the Court House door in Gastonia, North Carolina, offer for sale to the highest bidder upon the terms of one-half of the purchase money cash on day of sale and residue upon a credit of six months, purchaser to give his note bearing interest at rate of 6 per cent per annum on deferred payments, all those certain tracts of land in Gastonia township, Gaston county, State of North Carolina, described as follows:

FIRST: 13 vacant town lots lying to the northwest and within the incorporate limits of the City of Gastonia, and adjoining the lands of B. G. Bradley, W. M. Boyce and others, and being lots number 17, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 39, 42, 59, 32, 33, 34, and 35 upon a plot made by A. W. Hoffman in June, 1910, and which is duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Gaston County, State of North Carolina, to which reference is hereby made for further description, and all of said lots being a part of the lands of I. N. Davis, deceased, and sold to H. M. Lineberger, deceased, by S. N. Boyce, Executor.

SECOND: A certain tract of farm land situated in Gaston county State of North Carolina, and lying on the waters of Big Long Creek, and adjoining the lands now owned by Craig & Wilson, John C. Puett, and Mrs. Franklin Holland, more particularly described as follows: Beginning on the south side of Big Long Creek, on old line, and runs S. 31 1/4 E. 94 poles to a dead black oak, the old beginning corner; thence S. 70 W. 132 poles to a rock, formerly a pine; thence S. 30 W. 148 poles, more or less, to main channel of Big Long Creek; thence down the creek as it meanders to the beginning. Containing by estimation 100 acres, more or less. This the 25th day of Sept., 1916. R. G. CHERRY, Commissioner.

NOTICE OF SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE.

Under and by virtue of an order of the Superior Court of Gaston County, made in a Special Proceeding, entitled: "James Suggs, et als, heirs-at-law, and Laura Suggs, widow, vs. William Neely, et als.", the undersigned commissioner will, on

Wednesday, October 4th, 1916 at 12 o'clock M., at the Court House door in Gastonia, North Carolina, offer for sale, to the highest bidder, the following described tract of land, lying and being in South Point township, Gaston county, State of North Carolina, adjoining the lands of A. M. Suggs, D. R. Horsley and others; more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a stone, D. R. Horsley's corner, and runs thence N. 71 W. 4 1/2 poles to a stake in edge of road; thence S. 17 1/2 E. 32 poles with said road to a stake; thence with said road S. 4 1/2 E. 18 poles to a stake; thence with said road S. 18 W. 15 1/2 poles to a stone, corner of A. M. Suggs; thence S. 68 1/2 E. 60 poles to a stone on J. Edward Dameron's line; thence with his line N. 42 E. 25 poles to a stake; thence with Horsley's line N. 47 3/4 W. 99 poles to the beginning. Containing

by estimation eighteen (18) acres more or less, and being the same lands which were allotted to Laura Suggs as dower in the lands of her husband, Emanuel Suggs, deceased. Terms of Sale: Cash, and by order of Court the bidding shall start at the sum of \$1,900. This the 4th day of Sept., 1916. R. G. CHERRY, Commissioner. T-26 c4

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