

NEILL-REYNOLDS REPORT DISCUSSED

Mondell of Wyoming Deems Its Publication a Most Unfortunate Affair.

HAS DONE ALL HARM IT CAN.

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Washington, June 12.—An echo of the Neill-Reynolds report on the packing houses of Chicago was heard today in the house when Mr. Mondell of Wyoming in a speech precipitated discussion of the whole question of government inspection.

Mr. Mondell observed that the house of commons in England yesterday had under consideration the subject of American meat products, which he said called attention to the far-reaching and disastrous effect of the present agitation, but to what he declined to be an unfortunate misnomer of the facts as to the nature and character of criticisms made officially or unofficially of packing house methods.

Mr. Mondell said: "I consider it most unfortunate for the great packing and cattle industries, for the peace of mind of our people, for the good name abroad, that it should have been deemed necessary, in order to call attention to the somewhat careless handling in some packing houses of certain meat products, constituting an infinitesimal proportion of the entire product, and to certain unsanitary conditions affecting some workers in the meat packing industries with a view of securing or recommending an extension of federal inspection, to place before the country in a manner calculated to magnify their contents certain reports which bear on their faces the stamp of hypocritical criticism if not visionary bias."

Mr. Slayden of Texas condemned the methods used in placing the Neill-Reynolds report before the public. "For days," he said, "the country has been disturbed over the reports made by a special commission of the fifth condition of Chicago slaughterhouses. This exposure of what I do not doubt was an almost criminal state of indecency had to come some time, and I hope will result in good. The consumer is entitled to protection. He pays his round prices and ought to have good, clean, wholesome food for his money." Whether the reform could have been effected in a way I shall not undertake to say, although the thought will intrude itself that had there been less beating of drums, less blaring of trumpets, less of the yellow journal methods the work of reform might have been just as effectual and the sacrifice of honest wealth not so appalling. I am not speaking a word of sympathy for the packers. Whatever of offense there has come from them, and while they may lose millions by the agitation they will have millions left, most of it sweated from the brow of the cattle producers who finally have to pay the shot. The market is depressed by the publication of the Reynolds-Neill report and is to be still further depressed by forcing cattle off the market. The ranch men are forced to compete with their own distress and in many cases ruin will be the results.

"So far as the report is concerned, all the harm has been done already that can be done. We are now concerned for the remedy. Neill and Reynolds say that certain horrible conditions exist in the slaughter pens of the Chicago butchers. The butchers say that the report is an absurd exaggeration which conveys a wrong and hurtful impression of conditions in the slaughter houses. The facts ought to be known at once. Another and impartial committee of investigation should be sent to Chicago at once to investigate the report."

"The prosperity and comfort of too many people are tied up in the matter to let it drag."

"It has been suggested that the charge of inspection which it is proposed to establish shall be borne by the farmers and ranchmen in a per capita tax as if by their cattle. Against this scheme a protest in the name of all my constituents and of justice. They were induced to lay a few years ago by having voluntarily given off their products to give it to the butchers."

"Let me charge the cost of maintaining officers of the government to the government, not to the cattle raisers. Let us abandon hysteria and get to a sane consideration of this question and re-establish this great business on a plane of prosperity of restoring confidence to the consumers."

Mr. Ames of Massachusetts followed in defense of the president and in favor of the packers paying the cost of inspection.

"The great export trade in meat and meat products," he said, "is not only paralyzed as if by a lightning stroke, but also we ourselves stand aghast at the magnitude and enormity of the outrages perpetrated in arrogance of power that seems in the light of the present publicity, to be nothing short of madmen."

"SCHOOLBOY KIDNAPPED."

Philadelphia, June 12.—Charles F. Muth, aged 13, son of Charles Muth, a wealthy jeweler living at 1652 Columbia avenue, was kidnapped from school by an unknown man today.

NO CHOLERA IN RUSSIA.

Washington, June 12.—The treacherous practise among the sharpshooters in the United States cavalry to determine the best 14 shots who will compete at Seagirt, N. J., in September, is on at Fort Keogh, according to a Miles City special to the Record. The practise is under the direction of Maj. Augustus C. McCamp of Jefferson barracks, Mo., and there are a large number of commissioned and non-commissioned officers entered.

A CALIFORNIA MURDER.

Indio, Cal., June 12.—Gregorio Berduca was shot and instantly killed by Julian Sabadra at Thermal today. The men were employed on a ranch, and the shooting took place just after the employes left the breakfast table. Sabadra fled immediately, and was traced through the brush into the mountains for 12 miles. The slayer will have to return to water soon or perish on the desert.

SUSPECTED OF MURDER.

Los Angeles, June 12.—C. C. Jackson, a negro tailor of Pasadena, was arrested last night on suspicion of implication in the murder of James Logan, a mulatto, on the Raymond hotel roof back a month ago.

Jackson is the second suspect arrested. The first arrest was made in Brockton, Mass., where Peter Goldie, a white man, aged 50 years and who formerly was employed by Jackson, was apprehended at the request of the local police. Goldie disappeared from Pasco about two days after that. Jackson claims he can prove an alibi.

RATE BILL TO CONFERENCE.

Washington, June 12.—The railroad rate bill was sent to conference, 134th and Meigs, Ephraim (Iowa) Sherman, N. Y., and Richardson, Ala., were appointed conferees on the part of the house.

LAST SPIKE DRIVEN.

Lincoln, Neb., June 12.—The Sioux City-Ashland extension of the Great Northern railway was completed this morning, the last spike being driven by E. Bignell, superintendent of the Lincoln division of the Burlington. The new line gives the Burlington and Great Northern direct communication between the southwest and northwest.

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Mr. Fullerton of Missouri spoke warmly in defense of the packing-houses of St. Joseph and reflected in several terms the conclusion that all packing houses are unsanitary because it is known that some were insanitary in Chicago.

After this outbreak on the part of the house preparatory to what may be expected when the bill relating to inspection is reported by the committee on agriculture, the sundry civil bill was laid aside.

BRITISH ROTT NATIVES.

Durban, Natal, June 12.—Col. Mackenzie's column yesterday attacked the

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TRANSPORTATION OF LIVESTOCK

Senate Extends Time That It May be Kept in Cars Without Unloading.

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Opinion Generally Expressed That Self Interest Causes Good Care of Stock.

Washington, June 12.—By a vote of 34 to 6 the senate today decided to consider the bill extending from 28 to 36 hours the time that livestock may be kept in cars without unloading. The passage of the bill was advocated by Senator Warren, who said that under its terms the time can only be extended on the written application of the owners of the stock in transit and that often unloading is more harmful to stock than to extend for a few hours the time of their confinement.

The bill was opposed by Senators Lodge, Scott and Speer, who contended that an extension of time would work a cruelty. Mr. Scott expressed the opinion in view of the present agitation of the fresh meat question it is not wise to give further occasion for criticism.

Senator Barley advocated the passage of the bill, saying that it is impossible to enforce the existing law and that the president had directed that the law be suspended during the present Congress.

According to the view of Senator Carter, self interest would impel shippers to protect their stock, and he declared they would take proper care of them in the absence of any law on the subject.

Senator Patterson declared that the height of absurdity as well as of cruelty to unload stock within a few hours of their destination. He said that wild cattle could not be driven out of or into cars without great inhumanity.

Speaking from practical experience Senator Atkinson expressed the opinion that the bill would result beneficially. In his remarks Senator Lodge expressed the opinion that the house

would have done well to legislate on the subject of racing horses, which without discussion are the senate had done.

Senator Warren protested against the connection of the cattle growers with the packers, saying the former have far more to complain of as against the packers than have the public at large.

Mr. Lodge said that the Chicago packers were standing in their own light in trying to prevent legislation. "If they had not been absolutely stupefied by greed," he said, "they would have welcomed inspection that would assist them in reaching the markets of the world."

Senator Hopkins declared that the Chicago packers were not obstructing legislation; "that they will welcome any inspection or anything that will stop the hysteria that is sweeping over the world."

The bill was then passed without division.

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