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Both as journalist and publicist Henry Labouchere, who announces his retirement from parliament, has been an exceedingly interesting figure in British life for many years. He could always be depended upon to enliven debate in the house of commons with an audacious and brilliant onslaught on the favorite of the hour or on some abuse that needed correction. In the old liberal school he was an extreme radical, but has not for years been in touch with the later forms of radicalism. Mr. Labouchere is being urged to write a book of his reminiscences, of which he must have a wonderfully interesting collection.

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If your blood is impure, this disease, hot or full of humors, if you have blood poison, cancer, carbuncles, eating sores, scurf, eczema, itching, rashes and lumps, pimples, skin, bone pains, catarrh, rheumatism, or any blood or skin disease, take Botanic Blood Balm (B. B. B.) according to directions. Soon all sores heal, aches and pains stop, the blood is made pure and rich, leaving the skin free from every eruption, and giving the rich glow of perfect health to the skin. At the same time, B. B. B. improves the digestion, cures dyspepsia, strengthens weak kidneys. Just the medicine for old people, as it gives them new vigorous blood. Druggists, \$1 per large bottle, with directions for home use. Sample free and prepaid by writing Blood Balm Co., Atlanta, Ga. Describe trouble and special free medical advice also sent in sealed letter. B. B. B. is especially advised for chronic, deep-seated cases of impure blood and skin disease, and cures after all else fails.

COMMERCIAL

R. G. Dun & Co.'s Weekly Review of Trade says—

"Trade reports are more irregular, chiefly because of the vagaries of the weather. At some points results are all that could be desired, the new year starting with much heavier transactions than in 1905, but high temperature and excessive rains in other localities retard distribution of winter goods, and it is becoming necessary to reduce stocks by clearance sales. Nothing disturbs the vigorous preparations for spring business, which promises to make a most gratifying exhibit. Open weather is facilitating outdoor work, building operations progressing at an unprecedented pace for the season, and the Construction News reports permits issued in 1905 to a value of \$528,186,412, which is 40 per cent. in excess of the preceding year."

"Closing of large contracts for pig iron by the leading interest provided an element of strength in the iron and steel industry that improves the tone and makes the outlook for the first quarter most satisfactory. Buyers are more numerous in the primary markets for textile fabrics, although the increased interest thus far is confined almost entirely to purchases at second hands. "Increased supplies have somewhat depressed the tone of country hides, but packer lines are fairly steady, and no division of the market has shown a normal decline in proportion to the seasonal deterioration in quality. Activity of Eastern wholesalers in handling samples indicates that original orders for fall shoes will be placed much earlier than in previous seasons. "Failures for the week numbered 286 in the United States, against 335 last year."

WHOLESALE MARKETS.

Baltimore.—FLOUR—Dull and unchanged; receipts, 6,601 barrels; exports, 16,750 barrels.
WHEAT—Weak; spot contract, 85 3/4 @ 86; January 85 3/4 @ 86; February, 86 1/4 @ 86 3/4; March, 87 1/2 @ 87 3/4; May, 88 3/4 @ 89; Steamer No. 2 red, 79 1/2 @ 79 3/4; receipts, 26,550 bushels, Southern on grade, 79 3/4 @ 85 3/4.
CORN—Steady; spot, 49 1/2 @ 49 3/4; January, 49 1/2 @ 49 3/4; February, 49 3/4 @ 49 1/2; March, 49 3/4 @ 50; May, 50 1/4 @ 50 3/4; steamer mixed, 48 3/4 @ 48 1/2; receipts, 27,650 bushels, exports, 85,714 bushels; Southern white corn, 42 @ 50; Southern yellow corn, 41 3/4 @ 49 1/2.
OATS—Easier; No. 2 white, 37 1/2 @ 38; No. 3, 36 1/2 @ 37; No. 2 mixed, 36 @ 35 1/2; receipts, 9,718 bushels.
RYE—Steady; No. 2 Western, 73 export; 76 @ 77 domestic; receipts, 9,183 bushels; exports 42,857 bushels.
BUTTER—Firm; unchanged; fancy imitation, 21 @ 22; fancy creamery, 28 @ 29; fancy ladle, 18 @ 20; store packed, 16 @ 17.
EGGS—Weak; unchanged; 19.
CHEESE—Steady; unchanged; large, September, 14 1/4; November 14; medium, September, 14 1/4; November, 14; small, 14 @ 14 1/4.

New York.—RYE—Nominal; No. 2 Western, 75 f. o. b. New York.
WHEAT—Spot, weak; No. 2 red, 95 1/2 elevator; No. 2 red, 95 1/2 f. o. b. float; No. 1 Northern Duluth, 96 1/2 f. o. b. float. Heavy liquidation broke wheat practically a cent per bushel today.
CORN—Spot, steady; No. 2, 56 new elevator, and 51 1/2 f. o. b. float; No. 2 yellow, 51 1/4; No. 2 white, 52.
OATS—Exports, 3,935 bushels. Spot, steady. Mixed oats, 26 @ 32 pounds, 35 1/2 @ 37; natural white, 30 @ 32 pounds, 37 @ 38; clipped white, 36 @ 40 pounds, 40 @ 41 1/2.
New York.—FLOUR—Receipts, 15,382 barrels; exports, 6,552 barrels. Steady, with light trade.
CHEESE—Firm and unchanged. Receipts, 2,128.
EGGS—Easy. Receipts, 5,934. State, Pennsylvania, and near-by, fancy selected, white, 26 @ 27; do, choice, 24 @ 25; do, mixed extra, 21 @ 22; Western firsts, 20; do, seconds, 18 1/2 @ 19; Southern, 17 @ 20.
POULTRY—Alive, dull; Western chickens, 12; fowls, 14; turkey, 14. Dressed, irregular; Western chickens, 10 @ 17; turkeys, 12 @ 20; veal, 10 @ 14.
COTTONSEED OIL—Easy; prime yellow, 32 1/2 @ 33 1/4.
COFFEE—Spot Rio, steady; mild, steady.
SUGAR—Raw, steady; fair refining, 3 1/2; centrifugal, 96 test, 3 1/2; molasses sugar, 2 1/2; refined, quiet.

Live Stock.

New York.—BEEVES—Market very slow; steers 10 @ 20c. lower; some late sales 25c. off; bulls steady; cows 10 @ 15c. off; steers, 3.80 @ 5.40; oxen, 4.25 @ 5.05; bulls, 3.00 @ 4.00; cows, 1.90 @ 3.60. Cables quoted live cattle dull, at 10 1/4 @ 11 1/4 per pound; few tops, 11 1/2c. dressed weight; refrigerator beef, 7 1/2 @ 8 1/4c. per pound.
CALVES—Common and medium veals 5.00 @ 8.50; no good veals here; no barren or Western calves; dressed calves easy; city-dressed veals, 9 @ 14; country-dressed, 9 @ 12.
SHEEP AND LAMBS—Sheep weak; lambs 10 @ 25c. lower; sheep, 3.50 @ 5.50 culls, 3.00; lambs, 7.15 @ 7.75; one car choice, 8.10.
HOGS—Nominally firmer on Buffalo advices.
Chicago.—CATTLE—Common to prime steers, 3.40 @ 6.50; cows, 3.00 @ 4.40; heifers, 2.25 @ 5.50; bulls, 2.00 @ 4.10; calves, 3.00 @ 8.00; stockers and feeders, 2.00 @ 4.50.
HOGS—Market 5 @ 7 1/4c. lower; choice to good heavy, 5.40 @ 9.50; medium to good heavy, 5.35 @ 5.40; butcher weights, 5.40 @ 5.50; good to choice heavy mixed, 5.40 @ 5.45; packing, 5.25 @ 5.42 1/2.
SHEEP—Market dull; sheep, 4.00 @ 6.00; yearlings, 5.00 @ 6.65; lambs, 7.25 @ 7.75.

MUCH IN LITTLE.

Europe has a population of about 395,000,000, or about one-fourth of that of the whole world. Belgium has the densest population.
Great Britain and Ireland export every year about \$25,000,000 worth of linen goods, of which one-half is shipped to the United States.
Grand opera, vaudeville, melodrama and heavy drama, circuses, church societies, baseball games, newspaper fights and cockfights are the order of the day in "Little New York," otherwise known as Manila, P. I.

Year 1905 Sales.

The total distributive sales for 1905 exceeded \$300,000,000.

This total is realized from the sale of fresh meats (beef, mutton and pork), provisions, produce (poultry, butter and eggs), soaps, glues, oils, bones, fertilizers, feathers, casings, hides, wools, pelts and other by-products derived from cattle, sheep, hogs and poultry.

Margin of Profit.

The industry is operated on a margin of less than 2 cents to each dollar of sales. Swift & Co. do not sell at retail. Their entire output is sold at wholesale to many thousands of dealers in various parts of the world. There are hundreds of local slaughterers throughout the United States, who buy their live stock in competition with the packer doing an interstate and international business. Likewise the packer must sell in competition with the local slaughterers. There are no secret processes in the industry, no complicated and expensive factories, and as live stock can be purchased in almost every hamlet and city, and the preparation of meats is simple in the extreme, local slaughtering will long remain a factor in the production of fresh meats and provisions.

Economic Advantages.

The large packing houses will, however, always have these advantages: Locations at the chief live stock centers, with the opportunity to buy the best live stock; manufacturing in large quantities, at the minimum of expense; utilization of all waste material; refrigeration; mechanical appliances; highly efficient business management. These advantages are reflected in the quality of the packer's output, a quality that has reached its highest development in the products bearing the name and brand of "Swift."

Purchasing Live Stock.

The principal live stock centers are Chicago, Kansas City, Omaha, St. Louis, St. Joseph, St. Paul and Fort Worth. The same methods of purchasing cattle, sheep and hogs prevail at all cities. At Chicago, which is the largest market, there are about two hundred and fifty buyers, representing packers, local slaughterers in various cities, and exporters. Of this number, less than a score are employed by Swift & Company.

Name Made All Complete.

As is generally known, the charming town of Waldoboro, Me., included among its first settlers a successful colony of Dutch. The names of Ulmer, Holmerhausen, Winchenbaum, Sidsenparker and many others of Dutch or German origin are now borne by the most respected families of Knox and Lincoln counties, and the old Dutch Lutheran churches of Waldoboro and Bristol, both erected in the eighteenth century, are visited by all tourists to that section.
One winter evening the solons of the village were gathered in the general store, and having tired of the discussion of the latest "boss trade" and other local events, were amusing themselves with constructing a steer from the names of those present.
Mr. Hoof thought his name answered very well for a starter; Joe Sides thought he was worthy of place in the animal; John Horn considered he would be ornamental as well as useful. Still the "critter" did not seem complete; when, by good luck, "Old Jim Onbehind" came in, and by unanimous consent it was voted that he would do very well for a tail.
The Russo-Chinese bank at Yokohama is reopening.

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An Incident.

It was in a street car, but on the rear seats where one was allowed to smoke that this occurred. A peppery-looking woman was sitting on one of these seats, evidently taking umbrage at an Irishman who was smoking. Finally her indignation mounted so high that she adjusted her pince-nez glasses on her thin nose and inquired: "My good man, are you accustomed to smoke in the presence of a lady?" "No, mum!" replied the Irishman stolidly, and continued smoking.
Two girls up in front tittered and the peppery lady got off two blocks farther on.

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Packing Plants.

City	Buildings, Acres	Floor Space, Acres	Land, Acres
Chicago	44 1/2	87 1/2	47
Kansas City	7 1/2	30	19 1/2
Omaha	6	26	23
St. Louis	7 1/2	19 1/2	31 1/2
St. Joseph	6 1/2	25 1/2	19 1/2
St. Paul	5	12	16
Fort Worth	3	15	22

Employees.

The total number of persons employed in all the Swift packing plants and branch houses aggregate over 26,000 persons. Conditions for employees in the various manufacturing and operating departments is continually improving with the construction of new buildings and the installation of new and up-to-date equipment.

Sanitation and Hygiene.

The housewife makes no greater effort to keep her kitchen clean than we do to keep in sanitary and hygienic condition our abattoirs. They are thoroughly scrubbed at the close of each day's operations, and automatic appliances are used wherever possible in order to eliminate the personal handling of meats. Rigid rules governing these points are strictly enforced; laxity means dismissal.

Visitors Always Welcome.

No other industry in the world gives such a cordial welcome to visitors as Swift & Co. We keep open house the year around, and maintain a corps of specially trained guides, with special elevators and rest rooms. In one year we have entertained over a quarter of a million of men and women; in one day—Grand Army Day, 1901—we entertained 23,000. Among our visitors have been ambassadors from foreign governments, princes, noblemen and distinguished citizens from all lands and eminent folks from every State in the Union. We wish to familiarize the public with our methods, and the best way to do that is to let the public see for itself. We have no secret processes or methods in any department.

Swift's Premium Hams and Bacon.

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are more widely and favorably known than any other brand. Their popularity is due to the uniform quality and flavor of the meat, and to their fine appearance when received from the dealer. Each piece is branded on the rind, "Swift's Premium U. S. Inspected," and wrapped in cheesecloth and white parchment paper.
Look for the brand, "Swift's Premium," when buying hams and bacon.

Swift's Silver Leaf Lard
Is a strictly pure lard, kettle rendered, and put up in 3, 5, and 10-pound sealed pails. It is America's Standard Lard, and enjoys a high reputation and an enormous sale.

Swift's Soaps.
An interesting feature of a trip through the Chicago plant is a visit to the soap factory, one of the largest and most complete in this country. There we manufacture numerous toilet and laundry soaps, and washing powders.

Among which are:
Wool Soap, widely and favorably known; for toilet and bath, and washing fine fabrics.
Crown Princess Toilet Soap, highly perfumed.
Swift's Pride Soap, for laundry and household use.
Swift's Pride Washing Powder, unsurpassed for all cleaning purposes.

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Swift's Premium Sliced Bacon
Swift's Premium Lard
Swift's Winchester Ham
Swift's Winchester Bacon
Swift's Farm Sausage
Swift's Silver Leaf Lard
Jewel Lard Compound
Swift's Cototest
Swift's Jersey Butterine
Swift's Beef Extract
Swift's Beef Fluid
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