

THE PARCELS POST

(From the Calgary Herald)

The advantages of a parcels post service are obvious. It tends to put producers and consumers and sellers and purchasers into closer relations and to eliminate one source of waste in distribution. The government is willing to carry parcels at the bare cost of transportation. It seeks no profit. If, therefore, it undertakes to maintain a parcels post of the modern sort it will encourage the producer at one end of the line to deal directly with the consumer at the other end. If the farmer could send his less perishable products direct to a city purchaser the latter could probably buy eggs, apples, potatoes and many other vegetables at a rate which would seem cheap to him and yet give the farmer a larger return than he now gets from the wholesaler. Both producer and consumer would become to some extent independent of the intermediaries who now play the middle against both ends. Conversely, the farmer could deal with the city producer and avoid the drain of several handlings of goods and of several profits.

ROOSEVELT ON SUFFRAGE

Woman suffrage? Certainly. Why not? As I was saying, I raised my rifle, took careful aim, etc.—Chicago Tribune.

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A special Co-operative Number of The Guide will be published during the coming spring. Last year we published a Co-operative Number, containing reports of the co-operative buying and selling done by farmers' organizations in the West. These organizations are growing rapidly and we want to tell our readers what they have done during the past year. We would like to have every co-operative society in the West and every farmers' organization that has done any co-operative work send us a full report for publication. Every local association that has bought twine, coal or anything else co-operatively should send us a report for this special number, showing what has been bought, the methods adopted and the saving effected. The same issue will contain articles showing what has been done along co-operative lines by the farmers in Ontario, Minnesota, Wisconsin and California. Send along the reports not later than March 15. Let us make the Co-operative Number a good one.

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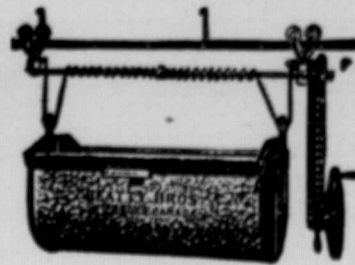
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