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Global Furnifold Commodities Market Opens to Post High Growth

April 8th marked an important day in Furnifold's world affairs, as it was the opening of the Global Furnifold Commodities Market (GFCM) in the Royal Kuthernburg World Trade Building. At the close of the cowbell for the first day of trading, all indexed items and other commodities posted increases in prices, some substantially. Since then, the market has been a little more volatile, but overall very uneventful, as exports have been limited by the current blockade on the nation of Chianski. The market has dipped to 41.19, a drop of four

percent since the 8th.

Here are the current prices of goods:

Current prices (in ISD):

Corn- 0.61 per bushel (down 9 percent) Okra- 19.33 per bushel (down 9 percent) Rice- 9.93 per bushel (down 3 percent) Soy- 3.51 per bushel (up 6 percent) Sugar Cane- 7.81 per bushel (up 8 percent)

Non-Index Commodities (in ISD):

Cotton: 0.69 per pound (up 9 percent) Endemic Fruits: 7.46 per carton (down 1 percent) Meat: 10.07 per pound (down 10 percent) Milk: 46.68 per hundredweight (up 12 percent) Endemic Vegetables: 24.45 per hundredweight (up 1 percent)

Wheat: 6.71 per bushel (down 10 percent)



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THE LATE ATTONNEY-GENERAL.—The learned Attorney-Gereral (Sir A. Cockbarn), who has accepted the affice of Chief Justice of the Common Pleas, took his farewell of the Middle Temple, of which he has been so distinguished a member, on Monitay night, in a very full hul-Sir A. Cockbarn was most loadly and uproariously detered as the left. Juhalt, which he acknowledged by bowing repeatedly, evidently much affected.

THE LATE LORD MAYOR.—The following vote of thanks to the are LORD Mayor wave passed at the Court of Aldermen on Tuesday:— That the covidal thanks of this Court he presented to the Right Hon. David Saturnoise, late Lord Mayor of this City, for the courtesy and billing with which he may investigate over the deliberations of this Court.

> Furnifold Increases Presence in LatianBurg - by F.T. Morison

manded for a five days. LatianBurg — THEE LIVES LOST.—A functuable received place shring a dense fog which prevailed on Monday g in the vicinity of Lackney-Week-lane, at the south-eastern lify of Vicinity of Lackney-Week-lane, at the south-eastern inty of Vicinity of Lackney-Week-lane, at the south-eastern inty of Vicinity of Lackney-Week-lane, at the south-eastern of arch, live in anno mound. House, south of dargency the lockgatues to and hve children. On Monday afternoon a Mex Chulds, the white term in the children is also years of age, called to see Mex. House, half pust even the two females made whild left, and, atthough the Who is to write the inscription for the Guildhall monument to the Duke of Wellington? The citizem have generally called in some able pen to commemorate the victues and genius of the men they delight to honour. Burke wrote the inscription for the Guildhall monument to the great. Lord Chathara : Sheridan wrote the inscription for the Guildhall monument to Nelson : and Canning wrote the inscription for the Guildhall monument to Me. Pitt. At times, however, the citizens have been less literary, and Mr. Alderman Birchin no way difficient—challenging competition wrote (yes, Mr. Alderman Birch wrote) the inscription on the Guildhall statue of King George III. Other Aldermen are, is is said, emulous of a like rivalry. We dual see the result. Mr. Macaulay, it is ramoured, will be asked to try his hand at an inscription that by him on Lord Metcalle is even lent in fils way. Others, again, are for asking Mr. Disraell, thinking that he may like toregair his error in cribbing a character from Thiers without environment of the server in cribbing a character from Thiers

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Furnifold has stepped up its presence country in the of LatianBurg, according to military and diplomatic sources. After video surfaced of Furnifoldian citizens murdered by terrorist group Al-Jaheed, Magistrate Jacopo d'Arrigo authorized a Counter-Insurgency Force (CIF) to the nation, escorted by an amphibious transport dock and a few patrol boats. In an address



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to reporters, d'Arrigo said that these forces are being utilized to evacuate any remaining Furnifold citizens, and to train the military of LatianBurg in jungle combat. Details of events in LatianBurg are addressed in a separate issue, but companies and charities in Furnifold have been able to raise around three million in humanitarian aid that will go to the embattled nation.

Magistrate d'Arrigo does not have to seek Senate approval to authorize the use of the military in such a way, but if there is to be an increase in an expeditionary force, then the Senate will have to approve it by a vote. Chancellor Jagan has not offered a comment on the developments, but insiders who requested anonymity state that the Senate is likely to vote down any such measure, given the distance from the conflict and the relative lack of citizens currently in Furnifold. Foreign Affairs Secretary Jackson Wool is currently on a diplomatic flotilla, where he is in talks along the subject of post-conflict resolution. According to sources, the evacuation of the remaining Furnifoldian citizens went very well,

and most have been accounted for. What remains are the citizens who reside in areas currently under control of the terrorist group Al-Jaheed.

## **Developments from Chianski**

## - by Adam Bly

Furnifold has been allowed to send food exports to the nation of Chianski, past the blockade by the nation of Adumara. Chianski had allegedly been funding the terrorist group Al-Jaheed, which prompted Adumara to blockade the island nation. Since, Foreign Affairs Secretary Jackson Woolf has stated that evidence emerged from Chianski that exonerates the nation from any further funding of the group. As tension heat up, the presence of another nation's ships may serve as a deterrent from full military action on the part of Adumara, and any retaliation by Chianski. For now, Furnifold's imports are subject to

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searches from the Adumara navy, and total exports to the nation have been down by 40

- by Hannah Clothier Lodge

Furnifold's Interventionism Needs to Stop

At the time of my writing, Furnifold has a military presence in the country of LatianBurg, and is currently sandwiched in between forces from Adumara and the nation of Chianski. This sort of posturing is putting our people here at home at risk. Let's look at why we are in LatianBurg. No reason whatsoever. Magistrate d'Arrigo brought us into this place, which is an enclave surrounded by the military and economic powerhouse the South Hills, to battle with a separatist group that has no interest in Furnifold. Not only that, but d'Arrigo pushed forth with trade with Chianski, and that nation is currently staring down the cannons of an Adumaran blockade. Our ships are in the middle, giving food to the nation, seemingly oblivious to the fact that attacks on the islands may be imminent.

Is it our place to be involved here? Yes, the video of the people being killed was horrendous, but remember that Furnifold never opened relations with the nation of LatianBurg. There are precious few of our citizens in that country, and we cannot be sure that those who reside there are there for legitimate purposes. It hurts our nation to have to get involved when there are more important things here to worry about, like high unemployment and the high amount of poverty. Hopefully our Magistrate didn't get us involved as political cover for his failing economic policies. I am advocating for assistance when it is necessary, this just does not seem to be one of those times. be smarter, nation.

Hannah Clothier Lodge is an anti-war activist and Quaker organizer. She is a founder of the Women Against Aggression (WAA), a peace group advocating for conscientious objection, an end to the selective service, female involvement in the military, and gender violence. She is the author of the book 'Prime Peace and Settlement' a Furnifold Times Bestseller.