

SOUTH SIDE

FARMERS DO BIT TO WIN WAR; SOWS KEPT OFF MARKET

Statistics Compiled by National Live Stock Exchange Show Raisers of Pork Increasing Weight Materially.

The National Live Stock exchange has compiled figures showing that the farmers, in spite of the shortage of stock cars and erratic market conditions, are making their hogs heavier, and are marketing fewer piggy sows this year, thus doing their bit toward winning the war by increasing the production of pork.

Figures gathered from the 10 principal markets where the records are kept, show that during March, 1918, 3,196,073 hogs were weighed, out of which were found 14,688 piggy sows, or an average of 46 piggy sows in each 10,000 hogs weighed. The month of March, 1917, shows 2,243,977 hogs weighed, out of which were found 12,457 piggy sows, or an average of 53 piggy sows in each 10,000 hogs weighed.

Hogs Much Heavier.
The average weight of hogs received in March, 1918, shows 15 to 29 pounds heavier than in March, 1917. A summary of the receipts for the first three months of the year shows 8,365,248 hogs weighed, out of which were found 46,392 piggy sows, or an average of 55 piggy sows in each 10,000 hogs weighed. During the same period in 1917 8,089,030 hogs were weighed, out of which were found 47,117 piggy sows, or an average of 59 piggy sows in each 10,000 hogs weighed.

Red Cross Hogs Top Market On South Side; Packers Buy

Two carloads of Red Cross hogs were sold on the South Side market Saturday. E. L. Smith & Co., Overton, Neb., topped the market with a load of 80 head, which was sold by the Mutual Live Stock Commission company to J. W. Murphy for \$17.30 per 100 pounds. The total weight was 14,180 pounds, and the net for the Overton chapter was \$2,408.60. A load of 62 head, shipped by the Farmers' Union, Columbus, Neb., weighed 12,810 pounds, and was sold by the Farmers' Union Stock commission to Armour & Co. for \$17 per 100 pounds, netting \$2,145.18 for the Columbus chapter.

Grace M. E. Epworth League Elects Officers for Year

The Grace Methodist Episcopal Epworth league held its monthly business meeting Tuesday evening at the home of Harold Richart, 4429 South Twenty-third, and elected the following officers for the ensuing year: President, Francis Chase; first vice president, Esther Hickson; second vice president, Faye Curtis; third vice president, Alva Davis; fourth vice president, Herbert Rominger; secretary, Harold Kelberg; treasurer, Harold Richart; pianist, Urban Curtis.

Four Dice Players Taken By South Side Police

Officers received a tip that a dice game was in progress in a cattle pen at the stock yards Saturday afternoon. They made a hurry run and caught the players off their guard. About \$6 in small change was picked up from the ground and held as evidence. The men, who were later released on a \$15 cash bond, gave their names as John Smith, 2315 O street; George Corby, 605 Emeline street; James Grant, thirty-second and Gold streets; and Frank McGuire, 4713 1/2 South Twenty-third street.

Bookings for the Bessie

Today, Mr. Jack Pickford in "Huck and Tom."
Tomorrow, Zeena Keefe and Niles Welch in "Shame."
Tuesday, Harold Lockwood in "Broadway Bill."
Wednesday and Thursday, W. S. Hart in "Wolves of the Rail."
Friday, Pauline Frederick in Mrs. Dane's Defense.
Saturday, "The Woman in the Moon."

Eagles to Observe Day By Dedicating Flags

The Fraternal Order of Eagles has the side Sunday, May 5, to be annually observed as service flag dedication day for the 40,000 members of the order now in France. Every local within the jurisdiction of the order will hold a patriotic rally and give a program of music, speaking, etc. South Side local No. 154 is preparing a program which will be announced later.

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The annual St. Bridget's school will entertain at cards and dancing next Tuesday night. A splendid entertainment is planned. There will be a number of prizes awarded, including a \$5 war savings stamp.
The Ladies' Aid society of Hillside Baptist church will meet with Mrs. Ed Bingham, 333 South Thirty-sixth street, Thursday at 8 o'clock.
The Ki club will give a dance Tuesday night at Eastley's hall.
Fred Hoffinger, sr., 3219 South Thirtieth street, is confined to his home with pneumonia.

Lists Aid of Chamber of Commerce for Farm Labor

Prof. C. W. Pugsley of the University of Nebraska has written the Omaha Chamber of Commerce recommending that this body unite with the owners of the state in an effort to solve the question of farm labor. In a letter, Mr. Pugsley says that Nebraska has sent 15,000 to the army and many more to the cities for essential work, thus creating a serious shortage of labor. The Chamber of Commerce has taken steps to solve the situation when the critical hour arrives.

POLISH BAND WILL GIVE TWO CONCERTS

Both Performances in High School Auditorium; Tour Country to Raise Million-Dollar Soldier Fund.

The Polish band of Chicago, composed of 30 pieces, under the direction of Prof. Tadeusz Wronski, a baritone singer connected with the New York and Boston Metropolitan Opera companies is scheduled to arrive Sunday to give two concerts. Both performances will be given in the South High school auditorium. The first one, which will be for children, will be at 3 p. m. Sunday, and the evening concert, for everybody, at 7:30.

Tour Middle West

The band is making a tour of the middle west in the interest of a one-million-dollar insurance fund for Polish soldiers, of which there are 40,000 from the United States now in service in this country and in France. A Polish military mission from the Polish-French front, headed by Major Kozlowski and Prince Pontiatowski, a descendant of the last Polish king, is due to arrive in Omaha May 14, to preside at a mass meeting in the Omaha auditorium.

Chicago Live Stock Head Visits Local Exchanges

C. B. Heineman, secretary of the National Live Stock Exchange, with headquarters at Chicago, was in Omaha Saturday to confer with W. B. Tagg, president of both the Omaha Live Stock Exchange and the National Live Stock Exchange, with reference to final preparations for the annual convention of the Live Stock Exchange to be held in New York, May 16, 17 and 18.

W. A. Jenkins, Brother of Omaha Doctor, Dies Suddenly

W. A. Jenkins, brother of Dr. D. E. Jenkins, died Saturday morning of acute bronchial asthma. Mr. Jenkins was 53 years old. He returned to Omaha Monday from Rahway, N. J., where he made his home after leaving here one year ago.
Mr. Jenkins is also survived by his widow. Funeral services will be held at Dr. Jenkins' residence, 1921 Binney street, Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. The body will be taken to Cleveland, O., for interment.

Former Bee Reporter Is Given Army Commission

Thomas McMahon, formerly a reporter on The Bee, has been given a commission in the army at the officers' training camp at Camp Gordon, Ga. McMahon was called to a training camp in Massachusetts, but later entered the officers' training camp in Georgia.
His home is in Holyoke, Mass.

Omaha Architect Elected Head of National Body

Thomas R. Kimball, Omaha architect, was elected president of the American Institute of Architects at its annual convention which closed in Philadelphia, Pa., Saturday.
Resolutions were adopted at the meeting to help make Washington, D. C., the future national center in art and design, as proposed by the late Senator Newlands of New Mexico.

Elgin Mills Cited to Appear Before Food Body

Elgin mills of Elgin, Neb., has been cited to appear before E. M. Fairfield of the state food administration next Tuesday. The hearing has to do with the price at which cornmeal is being sold.

SCHOOL KIDDIES BUY \$42,150 IN LIBERTY BONDS

The public school children of Omaha subscribed \$42,150 in Liberty bonds in the third drive. Central High school heads the list with \$10,000. Complete returns from the schools are as follows:
Central high, \$10,000; South High school, \$2,000; Commerce High school, \$2,900; Bancroft, \$100; Beals, \$150; Belvidere, \$200; Benson, west, \$150; Brown Park, \$50; Cass, \$600; Castellar, \$1,250; Central, \$1,250; Central Park, \$700; Clifton Hill, \$1,000; Columbian, \$350; Comenius, \$650; Corrigan, \$50; Druid Hill, \$750; Dundee, \$200; DuPont, \$1,100; Roosevelt, \$300; Farram, \$1,100; Field, \$150; Florence, \$350; Fort, \$700; Franklin, \$950; Garfield, \$500; Hawthorne, \$400; Highland, \$800; Howard Kennedy, \$650; Jungman, \$600; Kellom, \$1,050; Lake, \$600; Lincoln, \$250; Long, \$1,250; Lothrop, \$450; Madison, \$100; Mason, \$400; Miller Park, \$1,100; Monmouth Park, \$1,000; Pacific, \$500; Park, \$650; Rose Hill, \$100; Saratoga, \$300; Saunders, \$800; Sherman, \$150; South Central, \$500; South Franklin, \$250; South Lincoln, \$400; Vinton, \$600; Walnut Hill, \$400; Webster, \$400; West Side, \$250; Windsor, \$850; total, \$42,150.

Central High Girls Reach Third Round in Net Event

The Central High school girls' tennis tourney has reached the third round after two weeks of play. Evelyn Stallard beat Zoe Shaleck, 6-4, 6-4, in the first match of the third round.

One of the closest games played was between Nell Garlock and Mildred Larson, the former winning. Miss Larson gave her opponent three hard sets. Miss Larson is president of the tennis club.
Elinor Judson beat Irene Finley in three close sets, 6-4, 4-6, 6-4. Collette Lear won from Dorothy Uehling, 6-1, 6-2. Ruth Hart forfeited to Emma Wiggs and Naomi Gingow to Mildred Benson. Other matches forfeited were: Beatrice Walker to Louise Philipi, Myrl Fonda to Mildred Wahlford, Margaret Miller to Bernice Kulakofsky, Gertrude Sanford to Ruth Haisoroth, Margaret Falconer to Emily Mulfinger.

The third round will probably be completed this week. The winner will play Miss Eleanor Hamilton, winner of the fall tournament.

Brief City News

Towl, engineer, for commissioner.
Have Root Print It—New Beacon Press. Lighting Fixtures, Burgess-Graden.

Attorney Gerald M. Drew has removed to 508 Security Bldg. D. 3337.
Elks to Give Dance.—A dance and entertainment will be given by the Elks Tuesday evening at the Elks' lodge rooms.

Husband Seeks Freedom.—Coral V. White, suing Vere W. White for divorce in district court, alleges she is a poor housekeeper.

C. S. Quayle Sued.—Elizabeth Quayle is suing Charles S. Quayle, for divorce in district court. She alleges cruelty and non-support.

Furlough Expires.—John J. Galvin, navy jackie, has returned to his station after a ten days' leave passed with his mother, Mrs. John M. Parks, 6002 Missouri avenue.

Prudent saving in war times is a hostage for opportunities of peace. Play safe by starting an account with Nebraska Savings & Loan Ass'n, 211 S. 18th St. \$1 to \$5,000 received.

Husband Alleges Desertion.—Burton R. Batchelor, who was married in New York state, November 1, 1908, is suing Lulu Batchelor for divorce in district court on grounds of alleged desertion.

Parnell Mangan III.—Parnell Mangan, formerly treasurer of the Boyd and "randels" theaters, who has been making Kansas City his home for some time, is seriously ill in the Ford hospital in Omaha.

Riverton Man Dies.—The body of John McGuire, 74 years old, who died Thursday night of infirmities due to old age, was taken to Riverton, Neb., his former home, for burial. He came here recently for medical treatment.

Sues Bank Building.—Nat Melter, real estate man, is suing the City National Bank Building company for \$1,050 which he alleges is due him as commission for having obtained a tenant. He alleges that the lease involved \$75,000.

Wife Seeks Divorce.—Myrtle E. Marshall is suing Floyd W. Marshall in district court on the grounds of alleged cruelty. She alleges he is

possessed of \$1,000 worth of stock in a potash company in Nebraska, and owns an interest in a drug store in Harrison, Neb., and asks the court to allow her \$50 a month alimony.

Thurston County Beef Hits High Spot. \$17.10—Woborg Brothers of Pender, Neb., were on the market Friday with 18 head of 1,436-pound steers that were good enough to sell at \$17.10, the highest price ever paid for beef steers on the South Omaha market. They also had 16 head of 2-year-old steers that averaged 1,141 pounds that sold at \$16.50. These cattle were Herefords and of their own raising and feeding and Messrs. Woborg were well pleased with the sale. These cattle were sold by Frazier-Johnson company of South Omaha.

Fine fireplace goods at Sunderlands.

"Anti-Emperor Charles" Party Formed in Vienna

The Hague, April 27.—The formation in Vienna of an "anti-Emperor Charles party," composed of persons prominent in court circles, is reported in a Vienna dispatch to the Tageblatt of Berlin.

In the party are members of the nobility who were personal friends of Emperor Francis Joseph.

The chief argument of the promoters of this movement, the dispatch says, is that Emperor Charles is under the influence of Empress Zita, who has failed to grasp the Austrian point of view in regard to high state affairs.

Rail Commission Will Hear Complaints on Stone Rates

A hearing on brick and cement stone rates will be held by the Nebraska State Railway commission May 2, as a result of a formal complaint filed by the traffic bureau, in which rates from Omaha to all Nebraska points are alleged to be unreasonable and showing discrimination. Lower rates and an adjustment to remove any discrimination will be asked.

CLERKS ARE MET WITH GLAD HAND WHEN THEY KICK

Heads of Shoe Firm Greet Delegation With Suggestion They Form Union to Enforce Demands.

One hundred Omaha shoe clerks, headed by E. L. Livingston of the Drexel Shoe company, paid an informal visit to the Walkover Shoe company store last night at 6:45 o'clock to ascertain why their request to close at 6 p. m. had not been complied with.

Instead of meeting a rebuff from Managers E. C. Thompson and W. H. Slaughter they were invited to take chairs, after which cigars were passed and formation of a union was planned.

The Walkover management had invited Secretary Wangberg of Central Labor union and David Couts, editor of the Labor Unionist to attend, who, following the suggestion of Messrs. Thompson and Slaughter, advised an organization as an auxiliary to the labor federation, which could suggest a specific plan for all retail merchants. An eight-hour day was also included.

At the suggestion of the Walkover management a resolution was passed, calling a meeting next Monday night at 8 o'clock at the Labor Temple to organize a union, to elect officers and apply for a charter.

A paper endorsing this action was signed almost unanimously and the Walkover company pledged itself to the amount of \$25 toward a fund to complete arrangements.

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