

Brookhart Raps Meredith's Work

Senator Blames Former Secretary and "Crowd" for Farm Price Deflation. Radcliffe, Ia., Aug. 15.—In a hot reply to E. T. Meredith, former secretary of agriculture, who recently disparaged his efforts to obtain an extra session of Congress, Senator Smith W. Brookhart today charged the agricultural depression of the last three years was part of a gigantic scheme of deflation aimed at the American farmer. The senator spoke before a meeting of county farm federations...

When Brookhart was broadcasting his plea for an extra session to provide relief for the farmer against the rapidly declining wheat market, Meredith issued a statement in direct contradiction to the senator's declaration of low wheat prices ruining the farmer. Meredith was of the opinion that the low wheat prices meant little to the average farmer. To this Brookhart answered that the former secretary has twisted statistics to minimize the farm losses.

"What Meredith and his crowd have done to the farmers of the United States make the confiscations of Lenin and Trotsky look like kindergarten stuff," Brookhart said. "It was late in the fall of 1920 when the deflation policy was made public. Brookhart continued, 'but Meredith was trying to get it from the first, and about the period it was kept secret from everybody but the Wall Street crowd. He also knew that the big fellows generally, except Henry Ford, were trying in an ample supply of long-time credit to tide over the deflation period. Meredith also knew that contraction of credit in the fall would reduce the prices of farm products. As secretary of agriculture, representing the farmers of the country, he had the duty to prevent this credit contraction. He performed no such duty. Instead he sat in the Wall Street game and helped produce the greatest slump in farm prices in the history of the nation.'

Finger Print Men Hold Convention

Experts Meet at Des Moines to Discuss Methods of Detecting Criminals. Des Moines, Aug. 15.—The latest in finger printing and the wide extent to which this method of criminal identification has been adopted throughout the country are to be detailed during the convention of the International association for the identification of criminals, which opened here today. Prominent detectives and peace officers from all over the country are here for the conference that closes Saturday. William J. Burns, chief of the United States Department of Justice is scheduled to address the delegates on the co-operation among peace officers and the success which federal agents have been aided by better organization of local authorities. Methods of introducing finger print evidence in court are to be discussed by Justice E. Lawrence De Graff of the Iowa supreme court and Attorney General Ben J. Gibson is scheduled to review the importance of finger print bureaus from the viewpoint of the attorney general's office. Governor N. E. Kendall welcomed the delegates to Iowa. Among the finger prints on exhibit were those of the late President Harding. They form part of the prized collection of Paul N. Waggoner of Memphis, Tenn., a pioneer in the development of fingerprint identification and secretary of the association.

Quarrel; Murder Attempt

Fort Dodge, Ia., Aug. 15.—Following an unsuccessful attempt to slay his wife with a hammer and to commit suicide after yesterday, David Wagner is in a local hospital with a fractured skull. The Wagners had been having domestic trouble.

Marriage Licenses

The following persons obtained marriage licenses in Council Bluffs yesterday: William J. Cameron, 1616 Spencer St., two-fifty-one; and Mrs. Edith M. Miller, 1616 Spencer St., two-fifty-one; Mrs. Edith M. Miller, 1616 Spencer St., two-fifty-one; and Mrs. Edith M. Miller, 1616 Spencer St., two-fifty-one.

Building Permits

Herman Hall, 2813 South 33rd St., frame dwelling, \$3,500; J. W. Smith, 1512 Elm St., frame dwelling, \$2,500; W. A. Johnson, 1620 Spencer St., two-family dwelling, \$7,000; John E. Hahn, 5065 Ernest, dwelling, \$2,900; Fred E. Hahn, 5065 Ernest, dwelling, \$2,900; J. H. Hahn, 5065 Ernest, dwelling, \$2,900; J. H. Hahn, 5065 Ernest, dwelling, \$2,900.

Omaha Grain

Total Omaha receipts were 152 cars, 15,200 bushels, and 173 cars, 17,300 bushels. Cash wheat was in fair demand on the market, selling at unchanged prices. Corn was in floor demand, with prices unchanged. The market was very light and mainly in small lots. The price of wheat was 1.10 to 1.12 per bushel, and the price of corn was 75 to 76 cents per bushel.

World's wheat surplus, Liverpool: Receipts for the week ending August 15, 1923, were 1,000,000 bushels. The surplus is estimated at 1,000,000 bushels. The market is expected to remain steady.

Washington, D. C., Hot, dry weather continued in the southern plains states and the northern trans-Mississippi states. The weather was generally clear and hot, with some light rain in the north. The market for grain was steady.

Chicago Market. Uplake Grain Company, Atlantic City, Mo. Wheat, 1.10 to 1.12 per bushel. Corn, 75 to 76 cents per bushel. The market was steady.

Corn and Wheat Bulletin. The 24 hours ending at 8 a. m. Wednesday, August 15, 1923. The market for grain was steady.

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New York Poultry. The market for poultry was steady. The price of poultry was 1.10 to 1.12 per pound.

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Omaha Livestock

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New York Bonds

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New York Quotations. Range of prices of the leading stocks. The market for stocks was steady.

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N. Y. Curb Bonds

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