

Vegetables Now Plentiful, Cheap

Eggs Continue Drop to 40 Cents, But Butter Prices Are Unchanged.

By MARKET BASKET.

With the warmer weather comes more vegetables. Vegetables are plentiful on the market at this time and it is noticeable that they are selling at cheaper prices.

Cauliflower, which was selling a short time ago at 39 cents a pound, is now selling at exactly half that price, 15 cents a pound, and is white and good looking. Artichokes are cheaper. They are now selling at two for 25 cents.

Spinach is down to 15 cents a pound. Beets and carrots are selling at 16 cents a bunch and three bunches for a quarter, each bunch containing about seven or eight beets or carrots.

The first new potatoes of the season are making their appearance on the local markets this week. They are, of course, rather small, but thin-skinned and are very good eating. Sweet potatoes are three pounds for a quarter. American squash is selling at 7 cents a pound. Bermuda onions are selling at 10 cents a pound. One of these onions weighs almost a pound.

Fresh Mushrooms Arrive.

Fresh mushrooms are new in the local markets this week. They come in one-pound cartons and are selling at 98 cents a carton. The housewife will find that mushrooms are delicious with steaks, making them much more tasty.

Celery is 10 cents a bunch and is not so good as it might be. Head lettuce is very fine in quality and is selling at two for 15 cents, 10 cents each and three for a quarter.

Green peppers are 5 cents each and two for 15 cents, according to size. Radishes are three pounds for 15 cents. Endive is plentiful and is selling at 29 cents a pound. White cabbage is 4 cents a pound. There is no red cabbage on the market at this time.

Janow cooking apples are three pounds for a quarter and are fine for puddings and pies. The housewife will find that slicing apples and putting them on the top of a plain cake makes a very delicious cake and adds variety to the menu. Winesap eating apples are selling at 40 and 45 cents a dozen according to size.

Lemons are 40 cents a dozen. Navel oranges are selling at 2 1/2 and 35 cents a dozen, and four for a quarter.

Grapefruit Plentiful.

Grapefruit is very plentiful and the demand for it is large. It is selling at three, four and five for a quarter, and is much cheaper, by the pound, than are oranges.

Bananas are 20 and 30 cents a dozen and larger ones are selling at 12 1/2 cents a dozen. Tangerines are 35 cents a dozen. Rutabarb is 25 cents a pound.

Eggs are down to 40 cents a dozen for the best fresh eggs. Other prices on eggs are 32 1/2 and 35 cents a dozen. Although eggs have been coming down steadily, butter prices are about the same. Country roll butter is 35 1/2 cents a pound. Other prices on butter are 42 1/2, 43 1/2, 46 1/2 and 47 1/2 cents a pound.

FARMER ATTACKED, GORED BY BULL

Shenandoah, Ia., Feb. 27.—A new leather coat with a reddish tinge and a bull are not a good combination. John Uhl, farmer, has discovered. He was leading a bull to water when suddenly the animal attacked him, knocked him down and gored him in the hip. Mr. Uhl arose, scared the bull and it stopped. The farmer was able to lead the bull back to the barn and tie him, after which Mr. Uhl crawled to the house where he collapsed. His wounds are healing.

Harlan Teachers' Institute Sets Attendance Record

Harlan, Ia., Feb. 27.—The teachers' institute held at Harlan Thursday and Friday boasts a record attendance. Every active teacher in the county was present. It is considered the best institute ever held in the county.

Roosevelt's Strong Character Revealed by His Handwriting

SAGAMORE HILL, March 1st 1911. Dear Cabot, Here is the introduction. When I got down actually to writing it, it came out differently from the way I had intended to write it. If you and Harriet don't like it, destroy it at once. I was not able to get any other shape, any other line of approach, which was satisfactory to me.

The forcefulness of Theodore Roosevelt's character is typified in this example of his handwriting in a personal letter to Henry Cabot Lodge. An important series of his letters to Lodge will be published in The Omaha Bee, beginning March 1 and continuing for 10 weeks.

HOGS HIGHEST HERE IN 4 YEARS

After a steady rise for the past week, hogs are now selling on the South Omaha market at the highest average level in four years. The bulk of sales Thursday was between \$11.25 and \$11.55.

New top prices for the year have been set, nearly every day this week, and the high price Thursday was \$11.90, paid to C. W. Wilkens of De Witt, Neb., and Joe Love of Blair. Love's hogs averaged 245 pounds. There was an average rise of from 10 to 25 cents on all classes Thursday.

The demand this week has been broad in all classes, and trading has been active, although receipts have been only moderate. Receipts Thursday were 13,400, and the total for the week is 57,812. The total for the same week in 1924 was 77,434.

RECKLESS DRIVING CASE CONTINUED

The case of William Duermeier, fifty-eight and Q streets, charged with reckless driving, whose car struck Leona Swanson, 5, at Thirty-sixth and Q streets, February 15, causing a fracture of the skull, was continued in South Omaha police court Friday until March 27. It is believed that the girl will then be able to appear against him.

The girl has been slowly recovering at St. Joseph's hospital from the paralysis caused by her injuries.

New Store at Harlan.

Harlan, Ia., Feb. 27.—G. L. Jensen of Pender, Neb., will open a jewelry store in Harlan about April 1.



Omahans Oppose Child Weddings

Welfare Workers Laud Judge for Denying Annulment of Marriage, However.

Judge Harry A. Lewis of Chicago acted wisely when he refused to annul the marriage of Harry G. Moir, 18, to Irene Johnson, 16, according to Omaha welfare workers.

"Certainly, I would say, the marriage should not be annulled," said Wallace Wilson, superintendent of the board of public welfare. "Judge Lewis is right when he states that the young people of today realize the responsibilities of marriage at an earlier age than our grandparents. If this Chicago boy thought enough of the girl to marry her, why separate them now? I would require them to stick to their agreement."

"We have a case now before us, of a youth 19 and a girl 18. The father of the boy wants the marriage set aside and we are resisting the father. We are telling this young husband that he must face his responsibilities and be a good husband."

"I believe it was correct for Judge Lewis to refuse to annul this marriage," said Health Commissioner A. S. Pinto, "but it seems too bad that we should allow such young persons to be married. They should be in school at 18 and 16. A boy at 18 is not stabilized; he does not know what he wants to do. But now that these Chicago young people are married, I would not set the marriage aside."

"I am for Judge Lewis," said Mrs. Ida Levin of the public welfare department. "The judge did the right thing. I suppose if the girl in this case had been of a rich family the father of the boy would not have sought to have had the marriage set aside. Make them realize their responsibilities. Judge Lewis is correct when he states that young people of

today are more advanced in their ideas of marriage."

Mrs. Margaret Ormsby of the welfare department advocates serious deliberation before marriage, but she holds that if young people elect to be married early and they really care for each other, it would be unwise to annul the marriage.

Dr. Harry A. Foster, member of welfare board, said: "The ages of 18 and 16 are too young for marriage. Young people at these ages do not know what they want to do in the serious progress of life. Invariably, marriage at these ages go on the rocks."

STUDENT NURSES ORGANIZE CLUB

Atlantic, Ia., Feb. 27.—Ten student nurses in training at the Atlantic hospital have organized what is known as the "DeLano" club, whose chief purpose is the study of the history of nursing for mutual social and educational benefit.

Miss Ethel Hedges, Cass county Red Cross nurse, was named chairman; Miss Evelyn Murphy, vice chairman, and Miss Dorothy Rice, scribe. Members are Misses Gladys Ridenour, Ruth Marvin, Grace Marcum, Lilly Nelson, Lydia Peterson, Mildred Wright, Josie Mitchell, Virginia Best, Evelyn Murphy and Dorothy Rice.

The club is to meet each Wednesday evening.

OWNER WANTS HIS DANCE HALL

E. C. Lane, Council Bluffs patrolman, filed suit in municipal court Friday to eject the Nebraska and Iowa Amusement company from the Big Lake dance hall, owned by Lane and leased to the amusement concern.

Lane's petition asserts that the lease required the company to pay to Lane 15 per cent of the monthly profits on the first day of each month. Lane declares that the company has failed to pay him his share of the January profits.

Bolting Solons Back at Work

"Gerrymander" Bill to Which They Objected Won't Be Pressed.

By International News Service.

Indianapolis, Ind., Feb. 27.—Having obtained the promise of republican leaders that the Penrod "gerrymander" bill, restricting the state, would not be "forced upon them," the recalcitrant Indiana senate democratic minority was back in the Hoosier capital today, ready to answer to roll call.

Terms of the agreement between the senate majority and the 15 democratic senators, who fled to Ohio to evade arrest on charges of willfully breaking a quorum, when they feared their party would lose a seat in congress by passage of the "gerrymander" measure, were not made public.

However, reports were current that the republicans had promised to lend enough voting strength to the minority to defeat the Penrod bill when it comes up for final passage. With the return of Senator Joseph M. Cravens, minority floor leader, and the "lost battalion," threats of indictment by the Marion county grand jury and fines of \$1,000 for each senator who contributed to preventing a senate quorum, were forgotten.

"We're glad to see you back, boys,"

MRS. KRAFT CHOSEN HEAD OF MISSIONS

Shenandoah, Ia., Feb. 27.—The Stanton district of Women's Home and Foreign Missionary society, in convention here at the Lutheran church, named Mrs. J. T. Kraft of Stanton president.

There were 125 delegates in attendance from Council Bluffs, Creston, Shenandoah, Stanton, Red Oak, Essex and Bethesda. Dr. Bergrin of Lindsay, Kan., and Rev. A. Peterson of Bethesda were principal speakers.

Other officers elected are: Mrs. Alexis Andrews of Red Oak, vice president; Mrs. Alfred Sar of Essex, secretary; Mrs. Martin Anderson of Stanton, treasurer, and Miss Florence Re-nander of Stanton, junior secretary. A supper followed the meeting.

PRISONER ADMITS HASTINGS THEFTS

Frank Wilson, 30, confessed to Omaha police Friday that he had robbed a half-dozen stores in Hastings, Neb., two weeks ago, and had stolen goods worth about \$1,500. He told police most of the loot had been sold in Omaha pawnshops, and a large quantity of jewelry, guns,

cameras and clothing was recovered at the addresses he furnished. Wilson is being held for Hastings authorities.

Rev. E. S. Anderson Accepts Pastorate at Rock Springs

Shenandoah, Ia., Feb. 27.—Rev. E. L. Anderson, pastor of the Congregational church at Farragut, has resigned to accept a pastorate at Rock Springs, Wyo., a mining town, where he will receive a larger salary.

Advertisement for Puritan Bohemian Hop-Flavored Malt. It lists benefits: 1-It's Richest, 2-It's Strongest, 3-Gives Sure Results, 4-Choicest Materials. Ask Your Grocer.

Advertisement for Ruehler Bros. Lowest Prices, Quick Service. 212 North 16th, 2408 Cumming St. Leaders in Quality Meats. 4903 South 24th - 634 W. B. Way Co. Bluffs.

Table of Market Specials for Saturday. Items include Pure Kettle Rendered Lard (18c), Small Lean Pork Shoulders (12 1/2c), Choice Cut Round Steak (17c), Fancy Hindquarters Spring Lambs (22c), Fancy Forequarters Spring Lambs (14c).

Table of Meat Cuts. Includes Veal Cuts (Choice Veal Shoulder Roast 12 1/2c, Choice Veal Chops 18c, Choice Veal Legs 18c, Choice Veal Loins 18c, Choice Veal Stew 10c), Beef Cuts (Choice Rib Boiling Beef 7c, Fresh Cut Hamburger 11c, Fresh Beef Liver 12 1/2c, Fresh Beef Hearts 8c, Choice Corned Beef 12 1/2c), Pork Cuts (Fresh Boston Butts 17c, Fresh Pig Hearts 7c, Fresh Pig Tails 12 1/2c, Fresh Pig Snouts 7c, Fresh Pig Ears 6c, Fresh Pig Liver 6c, Fresh Pig Feet 6c).

EXPRESS AND MAIL ORDERS FILLED PROMPTLY.

Advertisement for Handy Service Store. COURTESY TO CHILDREN. Courtesy to children is a Handy Service policy. Our merchants will gladly aid them in the selection of groceries for you.

Table of grocery prices. SUGAR: Fine, Granulated, 10 lbs. 67c. SWANS DOWN: Cake Flour, 32c. RAISINS: Seedd or Seedless, 15-oz. pkg., Sun-Maid, 2 for 23c. CATSUP: Large bottle, 19c. EGGS: Strictly Fresh Country Eggs, Per Dozen, 33c. BROOMS: Best 4-tie Parlor Brooms, Enamelled Handle, Each, 63c. PRUNES: Medium Size Santa Clara, 2 lbs. 27c. Del Monte Pineapple: Large cans, 3 for 98c. Pork & Beans: Campbell's, 3 cans for 35c. CREAM of WHEAT: Pkg., 21c.

Advertisement for BUTTER "GOLDEN ROD" lb. 44c. FLOUR: Blue Bell 24 lb. Sack \$1.20, 48 lb. Sack \$2.35. MACARONI: Skinner's 3 Pkgs. 25c. GEM NUT: Margarine lb. 25c. OMAHA HANDY SERVICE STORES.

UNCONSCIOUS MAN AND WOMAN FOUND

A man and a woman were found lying unconscious on the floor of a house at Thirteenth street and Sixteenth avenue, Council Bluffs, when police responded to a riot call from that address late Thursday night.

Jane Turner had been struck over the head by an ax handle which was lying nearby, and Joe Gomez, Mexican, lay beside her with a deep cut in the back of his neck.

Nathaniel and John Turner, who were found in the house, were arrested and are held for investigation. The two wounded persons were given medical attention at the police station and are also being held for investigation. Their injuries are not considered serious.

Police have been unable to learn the cause of the fight.

Girl College Graduate to Work in Hospital

Shenandoah, Ia., Feb. 27.—An unusual course has been selected by Miss Vera Seal, who completed her studies at Washburn college, Topeka, Kan., in three and a half years. She specialized in chemistry and will now enter Barnes hospital at St. Louis, where she will enter a dietician class. Miss Seal is a member of the Delta Gamma sorority. Her chosen work is specializing in food values, especially for patients.

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