

HOME NOTE AND SALAD TIP

PURE FOOD LAW A FACT

Nebraska Has Statute More Sweeping Than National Law.

ITS APPLICATION IS THE NEXT PROBLEM

Women Have Been Potent in Securing the Enactment of the Measure and Must Now Aid in Its Enforcement.

Nebraska has a pure food law at last. After all sorts of hindrances and setbacks, they were at last overruled and the bill made even more drastic and sweeping than the national law. Nearly twenty years ago United States Senator Paddock championed a pure food bill in the United States senate, but as he then thought, without avail. It was the need that was now that has slowly grown and is just now bearing fruit, not only nationally, but in his own state and in many others. Perhaps had he known it would take all these years to accomplish what he thought to make the work of a year he would not have undertaken it. Now it remains to gather the fruit and partake of it; to put the law to its proper purpose and not allow it to be unworthily perverted to a mere office getting for a few more people. And in this purpose women may be of much service.

To the home makers it has always been of vital importance that the foods they obtain and serve their families should be of the best, and it is only of recent days they have realized in the least the miserable adulterations and substitutions that have been making a large proportion of the foods they bought dangerous. Even when confronted with the fact, they knew not how to even cry for a remedy, much less demand and obtain it. Men held the reins and they permitted and fostered these wrongs; women were helpless. But through their clubs and organizations and singly wherever they could find any influence to bear they have done what they could. Last May a body of 3,000 or 4,000 women representing hundreds of thousands sent their petition to congress that the pure food bill be passed, uniting their voices with the forces that finally obtained the desired result.

Great Step Ahead. In this same body the story was told of the investigations of thousands of women into the conditions under which the meats sold in their cities were prepared, the degree of uncleanliness of creameries, factory storerooms, and now these women have paved the way for many others to hold the positions they have gained and see that this great advance is made permanent and just what it promises. Every woman in Nebraska who purchases and prepares food for a family should be one of an army to see that this law is carried out to its full intent, that it is found wanting in any particular it shall be honestly and carefully amended until it fully protects every citizen of the state in obtaining pure food to make of his body the best possible engine to do his world's work.

The state law makes the governor the food commissioner; he appoints a deputy, who is acting commissioner, and between them drug inspectors and dairy inspectors and inspectors of food for the necessities of assistants will be appointed. From a law which concerned only milk and its products and vinegar and its products, this is a very far step, and will require skill and energy and honesty of purpose to carry out. Our governor has proven his desire to do good things in the home making women of the state will look to him to do everything necessary to carry out to its utmost this vital law for the building of strong, healthy citizens. And having learned to use their voices in protest they will be watching to know if these voices must be raised again.

What Remains to Be Done. Dr. H. W. Wiley, chief of the bureau of chemistry of the Department of Agriculture, tells the chemists club of New York some of the things that must be done to make the national law effective. These things may be studied in regard to our state law. Examinations for inspectors, for experience chemists and for younger chemists will be held. The secretary has asked for \$30,000 for the fiscal year commencing July 1, having received two-thirds of that for the present six months. It is probable that the chemical service will not be confined to Washington, but scattered in various parts of the country, especially for foreign goods. St. Paul and Denver are both suggested, not Omaha. "Perhaps the most important question that will be decided by the secretary is that of preservatives and colors. In case of preservatives under the most favorable decision of the secretary is to the effect that no preservatives shall be used in meats except the ordinary condimental preservatives, such as salt, sugar, vinegar, wood smoke, condiments, and pending further investigation, saltpeter. It does not seem logical to suppose that the food under the food law can be radically different from that under the meat law, and therefore it is reasonable to suppose that the ultimate purpose of the law is to exclude from the food products the preservatives that are excluded from meat products. Among the most important of these are molasses, evaporated fruits and wines. The investigations of the Department of Agriculture and these are supported by the investigations of many other experts show the injurious effects of sulphurous acid upon health; hence under the law sulphurous acids may be finally excluded from foods."

Looks Like Spring. Mrs. Provienda's basket this week is beginning to have quite a spring like appearance. Pretty red radishes, dainty green lettuce, having not quite so much of the tint of the green house, although still somewhat pallid and not quite full of the heartier taste which the outdoors brings, but the sunshine has touched it even in its glass frame, and it responds; three or four pounds of the round of beef, making a thick, round piece, come in to prepare beef a la mode; apples there are and lemons for a baked apple Charlotte with lemon sauce; some roots of horseradish that are to make a sauce for the beef, some asparagus and some nuts for a nut roll to convince her meat eating friends that she can give them something in the place of meat that they will pronounce good.

The lettuce is shredded fine after having been washed in cream tartar water by rolling several leaves in a tight bunch and shredding them down fine, then made into salads on salad dressings, and balls of cream cheese are put in the center. A radish salad is made by cutting the red skin around the point of the radish round

NOTES ON OMAHA SOCIETY

Mrs. Douglas Welpton to Give Buffet Luncheon and Musicals.

ORCHARD HILL CARD CLUB CLOSES SEASON

Members of Thurston Rifles Enjoy Evening at Home of Mr. E. E. Crane—Mrs. Harbronek Entertains Luncheon Club.

Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Wirth entertained the Orchard Hill High School club at the last meeting of the season Thursday evening. The prizes for the evening were won by Mrs. A. A. McGraw and Mr. A. A. Buchanan. The high scores of the season were made by Mrs. O. H. Wirth and Mr. C. D. Hutchinson. The guests of the club Thursday evening were: Mr. and Mrs. Carl Harding, Mrs. E. M. Cutchman and Mr. Donald McCutchen. The members present were: Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Buchanan, Mr. and Mrs. John P. Wagner, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Engelhart, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Frick, Dr. and Mrs. H. M. McClanahan, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. McGraw, Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Wirth, Mrs. M. Macomber, Miss Luella Wirth and Mr. Joseph Wirth.

Thurston Rifles Entertained. Mr. E. E. Crane of Company L, First Nebraska, Thurston Rifles, gave a most enjoyable party Wednesday evening to a few members of the company at his home, 315 Wirt street. The rooms were artistically decorated with flags. Refreshments were served at a large table which was trimmed with red carnations and geraniums and lighted by candles under red shades. The place cards were beautifully embossed in colors representing American scenes. A feature of the evening was the songs rendered by the Thurston Rifle club, consisting of Mr. John A. Lillie, Mr. A. L. Dick, Mr. William L. Baxter and Mr. A. L. Hahn. Especially pleasing were the songs of greeting and farewell, which were sung in the open air. Those present were: Mr. William Haeht, Mr. John P. Buchanan, Mr. Oliver W. Achenbach, Mr. W. C. Bartlett, Mr. Fred Hansen, Mr. Joseph Lillie, Mr. William Hahn, Mr. A. L. Dick and Mr. Patrick J. White.

The Thurston Rifles gave another of their series of dances Thursday evening at Chambers'. The household economic department of the Omaha Woman's club gave a demonstration kensington Thursday afternoon at the home of Mr. T. R. Ward. The rooms were decorated in a variety of carnations and roses. Dried fruit and the preparation of the same were demonstrated. The refreshments consisted of these fruits used in cakes, cookies and other dainties. Mrs. M. D. Cameron added pleasure to the afternoon by giving several vocal selections. Those who served the refreshments were: Mrs. C. H. Rich, Mrs. J. L. Adams, Mrs. Ward, Mrs. C. H. Rich, Mrs. M. P. Cameron and Mrs. F. H. Boucher. There were about sixty present at this last social gathering of the department for this season.

Miss Nellie Fay gave a colonial party for the Business club Wednesday evening. The guests were: Miss Thelma Berglund, Miss Helen Brandeis, Miss Kathryn Hartung, Miss Mary Hasting and Miss Pearl Rockfellow. Mrs. David A. Baum gave the second of two bridge parties for this week Thursday afternoon, when the guests were won by Mrs. W. F. Allen and Mrs. Harry Jordan. The rooms were abloom with American beauty roses and there were five tables of players present.

Afternoon Club Meeting. The O. C. C. Luncheon club was entertained Friday by Mrs. H. B. Hasbronek. The guests were: Mrs. Thelma Berglund, Miss Helen Brandeis, Miss Kathryn Hartung, Miss Mary Hasting and Miss Pearl Rockfellow. Mrs. David A. Baum gave the second of two bridge parties for this week Thursday afternoon, when the guests were won by Mrs. W. F. Allen and Mrs. Harry Jordan. The rooms were abloom with American beauty roses and there were five tables of players present.

Prospective Pleasures. Among the anticipated events of next week is the buffet luncheon and musical program which is to be given Tuesday afternoon by Mrs. B. D. Welpton in honor of her sister, Mrs. G. H. Griffin, of Chicago. About 100 invitations have been issued. The affair will be given in Mrs. Welpton's apartments at the Normandie. Those who will assist the hostess are: Mrs. H. T. Leland, Mrs. George Miller, Mrs. Arthur Gorton, Mrs. F. S. Cowgill, Mrs. Robert Gilmore, Mrs. C. D. McLaughlin and Mrs. L. P. Crawford.

Personal Gossip. Mrs. N. A. Spielberger has as her guest Mrs. Arson of Fremont. E. C. Cope has been spending several weeks in the east. Mrs. Charles Ogden has returned to the Madison after spending several weeks at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Bidwell.

Senator Epperson on Suffrage. In the course of the correspondence between officers of the Nebraska Woman's Suffrage association and members of the recent legislature relative to a bill memorializing congress for an amendment to the constitution providing for woman's suffrage, which was presented to the legislature, Senator Charles H. Epperson of Clay county was among the members who assented the women of his belief in extending suffrage to women and his support of their measure. Later, however, Mr. Epperson voted the women as follows: I voted against S. P. 25 because I did not believe in the amendment. I am in favor of the amendment, but I do not believe in the absolute control of the right of suffrage within its borders and until we have done what we can in other words, we should remove the beam from our own eye before going after the mote in the eye of another.

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Butter and eggs are no more steady in price than they were two weeks ago, though the price is down some. The larger retail dealers are using those two staples as "leaders," most of them underselling on one or the other. Twenty-eight and thirty cents have been the low prices for creamery butter this week, though few, if any, even of the smaller dealers, have asked more than 35 cents a pound for the best. Dairy butter is scarce just now and the price has advanced accordingly. The best dairy butter sold Friday morning for 30 cents a pound, but good grades are to be had for 27 and 28 cents. Cooking butter ranges from 19 to 25 cents a pound.

Eggs have been stationary at 18 cents for a week—that is, the best have.

Strawberries are plentiful and sell from 10 to 20 cents a quart box, according to quality. All of them are nice, but creamery color and sweeter and of more tempting color than others. Most of the berries on the market just now are from Texas.

The long anticipated advance in the price of domestic cheese has come at last. It is not general, however, prices for creamery cheese advanced early in the fall, but not until after most of the local dealers had laid in a supply or contracted for a supply sufficient to carry them through the season. This supply is about exhausted now and so the retail price has advanced. Young America's 20 cent New York cream cheese has advanced to 22 cents a pound and the other domestic cheese still sell for 20 cents a pound. Foreign cheese is not affected.

The fish markets report fresh fish less plentiful this spring than usual. The cold had weather has materially retarded the catching and shipping of fish and the market has suffered accordingly. Roe shad is about the only thing that can be counted new and it has been coming for nearly three weeks. Cold storage, however, has enabled the market to keep up. Great quantities of 20 and 25 cent New York cream cheese have advanced to 22 cents a pound and the other domestic cheese still sell for 20 cents a pound. Foreign cheese is not affected.

Capons were out of market Friday morning and chickens are up several cents, being 14 and 15 cents a pound. Geese are out of market; duck is 16 cents a pound, broilers are 50 cents each and squabs from 15 to 50 cents each, according to size. Turkeys are 22 cents a pound.

The cranberry season is practically over, but the few that are still on the market are of good quality and are moderate in price. They are selling from 5 to 16 cents a quart. The other berries and fruits that are coming in are so exceptionally fine that the cranberries are being gradually crowded out and by another two weeks they will have disappeared from market, except for the storage supply. A number of varieties of this little berry, as well as different qualities, account for the varying prices at the different stores. Among these varieties are the Hull and Hagle, which is the best berry on the market and the highest priced; McFarland or jumble berry is of the large variety; Joe Cranberries are the

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BANDLE AND BOARD IN DISPUTE

Different Interpretation of New Law as to Salaries in Office of Register.

The members of the county board and Register of Deeds Frank Bandle are in conflict over the schedule of salaries to be paid in the office of the latter, owing to different interpretations of the law passed by the last legislature relating to these offices. Mr. Bandle asserts the law fixes the salaries of his help, and in conformity to it he has made up his schedule as follows: Two deputies at \$10 a month, one deputy at \$5, three copyists at \$5 a month and three copyists at \$5 a month. The schedule fixed by the county board allows the two principal deputies \$100 a month, the third deputy \$50, men copyists \$25 and the women \$20. The question will be threshed out at a meeting of the county board soon.

County Auditor Smith has compiled a complete list of employees on the county pay roll. The total amount of the salaries paid by the county is \$14,813.85 a month, of which \$7,631.25 comes out of the general fund and \$4,882.60 is paid by the fees collected.

Kaiser Entertains Musicians.

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