

# The 15th

## FRIDAY—NOT BEFORE

That's FREE TREAT Day, if you'll show the Grocer a penny and say:

### "Who's the Chief of the B.P.T.?"

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### BREAD COMES IN BY STORMS

Loaves Fairly Pour Into the Big Auditorium Food Show.

### WORKMEN HURRY TO MAKE BINS

Manager Gillan and His Mammoth Building Are Swamped by the Good Housewives of Three Cities.

What a snap for Pan-Handle Pete. This is bread day at the pure food show in the Auditorium. When Manager Gillan arrived on the scene this morning it looked as though there had been a landslide from the side of a mountain of bread somewhere. The bread had tumbled into the big building in a volume that was almost overwhelming. Carpenters were hurriedly secured and bins, shelves and tables were constructed to contain the loaves.

shaped with a flat bottom and gracefully arched top. Others were square. Some had a plain unpretentious top while others had been wrought into most wonderfully fantastic shapes and designs. Some were split open on one side; some had evidently overflowed the top of the pan in a mighty effort to win the prize or perish in the attempt. They ranged in size from little modest loaves which seemed to say, "We rely on our intrinsic merit. Good things come in small packages. You big slobs think you are going to get the prize just because of your overgrown size." Others were of immense proportions weighing five or six pounds.

Three Women as Judges. Mrs. Harriet S. MacMurphy, Mrs. Mary A. Pugh and Miss Florence Heller were the official judges. There are two prizes of \$50 each and one of \$25 offered by the Allen Bros. company and the Uplike Milling company. "The brownest, sweetest, lightest, nuttiest and best baked takes the prize," said Mrs. Pugh, who is an expert in the bread baking art. "I do not use the word 'nuttiest' in a slang sense, either. Flour of the proper quality made from the proper kind of wheat has a slightly nutty taste."

mined by sight. Only about 100 loaves survived this examination. Then the knives were brought and the work of tasting the other loaves began. The judges had saved their appetites for this test of seeing which loaf combined in the best manner, the remaining cardinal virtues of nuttiness, sweetness and best-bakedness.

### EX-OMAHAN WINS AWARDS

Fred Benson Carries Off Five Substantial Prizes in Last Two Years. Fred Benson, who was for eleven years with one of the leading photograph studios of this city, is now in business for himself at Chanute, Kan. He has been making his presence felt among the photographers of the Jayhawk state and in the two years he has been there, has taken five prizes. Last year he won the gold medal in class A at the Kansas state convention of photographers. At the state convention for 1907, which was held last month, he won five prizes, including the Angelo trophy and the first prize in class A. He also received a diploma in the rating class and first prize in the extra class. One of his pictures was selected to be hung in the Daguerre Memorial institute located at Winona Lake, Indiana.

### WORLD-WIDE WAR AT HAND

Slaughter of Millions a Month Predicted by Syracuse Man.

### RATS, NOT MEN, THE VICTIMS

Bloody Edict Against Rodents Sent Out from Copenhagen and Movement is Spreading to Other Countries.

"There is going to be a universal war, a war to the bitter death, a war in which every people will be engaged from the tropics to the edge of the frigid zone, a war in which there will be no quarter given, a war in which no international rules will be observed, a war in which poison will be used as well as bullets and swords."

Thus spoke E. Parker of Syracuse, N. Y., at the Paxton hotel. And having made this dire prediction, the prophet of horror paused and looked around at his audience. "How about The Hague peace conference?" ventured someone. "Mr. Parker smiled scornfully, hopelessly. "The Hague peace conference will change its point of view," he said. "I venture to predict that the conference will even approve of the war. Andrew Carnegie will be among the most ardent supporters of the universal massacre. I can even imagine him diverting his flood of gold from the libraries and offering prizes to the person who shall make the greatest slaughter or giving a bounty for bloody heads brought into the camp."

"This man speaks treason against our mighty and well beloved land of Kibbo," ejaculated one of the bystanders. "To say nothing of lese majeste," added a man who was proud of his small stock of French.

"This is No Fake War. Mr. Parker smiled once more and glanced about from one to the other of his auditors, who looked at him in turn with varying emotions. One man even ventured to inquire anxiously how he had "managed to evade his keeper."

"I mean just what I say," continued the man from Syracuse. "This war is coming and it is coming soon. The slaughter will be such as to put the death roll of the civil war or of the Franco-Prussian conflict in the infant class. Millions will be slaughtered every month."

"O, that's all nonsense," said one of the auditors. "Why, that would depopulate the world in a few years," he said. "No sane man would venture such an assertion," said a third with a meaning accent on "sane."

Mr. Parker smiled for the third time. "Now, my friends, I will explain," he said. "This war is going to occur. It is going to be a universal war and the slaughter is going to be greater, as I have said. But it is going to be a war, not between human beings but against rats. Death to the rodents!" is to be the battle cry. They are to be slaughtered everywhere, all the time, by every means. A concerted effort of this kind will clear the world of the rat family in a few years.

Slaughter in Copenhagen. "This movement has already been started. A friend who visited me recently from Copenhagen told me of the experimental 'maneuvers' in a rat killing war which had been tried there. In eighteen weeks they killed 100,000 rats in that city of half a million people. The cost of the war was about \$100,000, or about three cents per head. If you will figure up the amount of property each rat destroys every month of the year I think you will find it is considerably in excess of that figure. Why, it means millions of dollars saved by this world every year, if we exterminate the rodent family."

"The movement was started by Zuechlag, a deep student of economic problems and there is a society organized with the avowed purpose of inaugurating and prosecuting this war. It is L'Association Internationale pour la Destruction Rationnelle des Rats." The war will spread to all the other countries of the world and the result will be grand."

"What do they do with the bodies," asked someone. "They are cremated," said Mr. Parker. "Well, I have an idea that will make the war self supporting," continued the anxious inquirer.

"What is your suggestion?" asked Mr. Parker. "Well, why not dry the bodies of the rats and ship them to China. They are considered a great delicacy there I am told and could be sold at a sufficient price to pay."

But the advocate of the rat war had disappeared. "WINTER DAINTIES ON MARKET Everything Good is to Be Had and Dinners May Suit the Purse."

All those accessories that contribute to the complete Thanksgiving dinner are rapidly making their appearance on the market and prospects are that everything desired will be available in ample time for that greatest dinner of all the year.

Among the new things that this week has brought are the large Italian chestnuts, which sell for 15 cents a pound, and the Pennsylvania chestnuts, selling from 25 to 30 cents a pound. The Pennsylvania nuts, while smaller, are much sweeter than the foreign and so sell higher. Other fall nuts are coming in and may be had from most of the grocers.

New "Vermont" maple sugar from Ohio, Iowa and a half dozen other states, has come in and is selling at 15 cents a pound. The quality is good. The New York cider is plentiful this week at 40 cents a gallon. Honey costs more than it did last season, selling for 20 cents a pound, but it is nice.

All kinds of apples are in market now and range in price from 60 cents to \$1 a peck. The Colorado Jonathans are the best eating apples and cost \$1 a peck, though there are other varieties of eating apples selling at 75 cents. The barrel apples sell for 60 cents. Those interested in quinces can obtain all they want just now at 25 cents a dozen, with plenty of sweet apples to go with them. Plenty of Concord grapes are still in, selling for 25 and 40 cents a basket. Tuesday or Wednesday of next week will see the start of the Turkey grapes according to the commission men. They are no longer choice and sell from 10 to 12 1/2 cents a pound. Malaga grapes at 25 cents a pound are plentiful and will be the only salad grape left after next week.

Florida grape fruit, "extra fancy," sells from 10 to 20 cents each. New Persian dates came in Thursday and are selling in bulk at 19 cents a pound. California package figs sell from 5 to 15 cents a pound and in bulk at 10 cents a pound. All are new.

All the package creamery butter retails for 30 cents a pound, though some grocers are asking 32 and even 35 cents for it. Fine country and dairy butters are to be had from 25 to 30 cents a pound.

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### GUESS WHAT THE POLICE DID

Question that Arises from Most Thrilling Chase of Two Men.

### ANDY FAHAY PROVES REAL HERO

With Nothing But a Pair of Handcuffs He Risks His Life in the Cellar of a House.

A hurry-up call was turned in to the police station Friday morning. A woman at the other end of the wire said in excited tones that three burglars had just gained entrance to her neighbor's house at 222 Cass street. Three extra officers were put into the patrol wagon and the horses lashed all the way at break-neck speed.

Arriving at the number the officers, headed by Patrol Conductor Andy Fahay, ran to the back end of the house. There they found the cellar door open. Fahay started to lead the way down, but it suddenly dawned on him that in his haste he had left his six-shooter at the station and was not armed except for a pair of handcuffs he carried. It was suggested that he throw the handcuffs down in the cellar and call to the burglar to put them on and surrender, but the suggestion was not well taken and seemed to arouse all of the off-

icer's bravery, and down he went with only the handcuffs with which to make, perhaps, the fight of his life. The other officers followed and a reporter stood outside to see that no otherburglar got in while the officers were busy down in the cellar.

From the cellar the officers went to the kitchen, then upstairs, then returned to the kitchen, where they stopped and were holding a conference when suddenly and without a moment's warning, the back door opened. Driver Murphy grabbed for his gun and Conductor Fahay, to the excitement of the moment, dropped his handcuffs and demanded of a feminine form that stood in the doorway, "Who are you?"

Only the Lady of the House. "Please don't shoot," came the faint response, "I'm only Mrs. Mather. I live here and have just been over to the neighbor's to get a quart of milk. Mercy, goodness, what's it all about?"

With these words she let the quart of milk fall to the floor and she herself sank half fainting into a chair. By this time the yard was full of curious neighbors and one of them, a woman, was Madam and she stepped into the kitchen and straight out the tangle to the satisfaction of all concerned.

She had seen two men prowling around her house next door and their actions looked suspicious to her. Finally they went over to the neighbor's, and as she saw that neighbor in question go for the milk and as the men completely disappeared from her view shortly after, she thought they must have got into the house and telephoned the police to that effect. She said at the present moment the men were standing out in the front yard.

When questioned the two men showed a card containing the address of that house and it developed the woman's husband had sent them there to look at the house with a view to renting it. There being no number on the house they were in doubt and admitted they did stand outside and look at several houses. Mrs. Mather said she had been expecting them, as her husband had telephoned her they were coming.

The crowd dispersed, the patrol wagon returned to the station, the men went in and looked at the house and the good woman who had telephoned the police went home and resumed her housework in a spirit of meekness.

But guess what the policemen did?

### W. C. T. U. FROWNS ON PUNCH

Women Ask Clergy to Help Them Put Lid on Society.

The lid is about to be extended to society. Omaha clergymen regardless of denomination will be asked to co-operate with the Women's Christian Temperance Union in an effort to check the extensive use of intoxicating liquors in punch and other beverages commonly served at formal and informal social affairs in the homes of Omaha.

The Frances Willard union, of which Mrs. Clara Burbenk is president, has begun this crusade and hopes to accomplish much through educating parents to the danger from this social evil. Ministers will be asked to present the matter from their pulpits and the women will talk to their friends and neighbors. As a preliminary and for the purpose of becoming acquainted with the several new ministers and their wives who have recently come to Omaha Frances Willard union will hold a reception for the ministers of the city and their wives at the Rome hotel Tuesday evening, November 19. The women believe that with the assistance of the ministers they can accomplish much along their lines of reform.

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