

BONDS ARE IN GOOD DEMAND

Returns Said to Be Better Than on Collateral Loans.

OPPOSING VIEWS OF PROSPECT

Financial and Optimist, Viewing the Business Outlook, See Darkly or Otherwise, as the Spirit Moves.

By FRANK C. ADAMS. NEW YORK, Dec. 31.—(Special to The Bee.)—Almost any kind of a business prospect may find facts which will bear out his forecast of prosperity or its reverse for the year just beginning.

On the other hand the optimist sees the big railroads beginning to order rails and other supplies. He sees record breaking crops all along the line, with farmers getting good prices, business going along steadily and satisfactorily and the outlook for 1911 seems good to him.

One of the most encouraging developments is the threatening demand for bonds. This movement may easily go far both at home and abroad.

Want Lower Denominations. The odd-lot buying now in progress has stimulated an agitation for lower denomination than \$1,000.

Prospects in Heavy. All sorts of people have their own of telling how things are going in Wall street. The downtown barbers know exactly when times are good and when they are bad from the amount of patronage and the size of the tips they receive.

Surveys point as geological engineers, who have been working from Salmon City to Lewiston, Idaho, are now said to be in the service of the Gilmore & Pittsburg.

Philadelphia Produce Market. BUTTER—Unsalted, No. 1, 15c; No. 2, 14c; No. 3, 13c.

Coffee Market. NEW YORK, Dec. 31.—COFFEE—Futures closed steady, net 2 points lower to 6 points higher.

GRAIN AND PRODUCE MARKET

Wheat Market is Bery Quiet and of Holiday Character.

CORN MARKET IS ALSO DULL

Trading is Uninteresting, the Big Holders Being Unable to Force an Advance in the Price—Cash Sales Firm.

OMAHA, Dec. 31, 1910. The wheat market was very quiet and of a holiday character. Offerings were light as crowd favored the bull side.

The corn market was dull and featureless as when advanced prices and a change for colder weather is likely again to increase country offerings.

OMAHA CASH PRICES. WHEAT—No. 2 hard, 80c; No. 3 hard, 79c; No. 4 hard, 78c.

CASH QUOTATIONS WERE AS FOLLOWS: FLOUR—Quiet; winter patents, \$4.20; spring patents, \$4.10.

POTATOES—Steady; choice to fancy, 45c; fair to good, 35c. POULTRY—Easy; turkey, live, 17c; dressed, 15c.

OMAHA WHOLESALE PRICES. BUTTER—Creamery, No. 2, delivered to the retail trade in 1-lb. cartons, 21c.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 31.—BUTTER—Unsalted, No. 1, 15c; No. 2, 14c; No. 3, 13c. CORN—No. 2, 45c; No. 3, 44c; No. 4, 43c.

Unsettled heavy movements is likely to check any advance. Cash sales were reported unchanged. Primary wheat receipts were 60,000 bu. and shipments were 145,000 bu.

Chicago. No. 2 white, 84c; No. 3 white, 83c; No. 4 white, 82c. CORN—No. 2, 45c; No. 3, 44c; No. 4, 43c.

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WHEAT—Spot, market irregular; No. 2 red, 80c; No. 3 red, 79c; No. 4 red, 78c.

RECEIPTS—Wheat, 23 cars; corn, 33 cars; oats, 22 cars. CHICAGO—Wheat, 23 cars; corn, 33 cars; oats, 22 cars.

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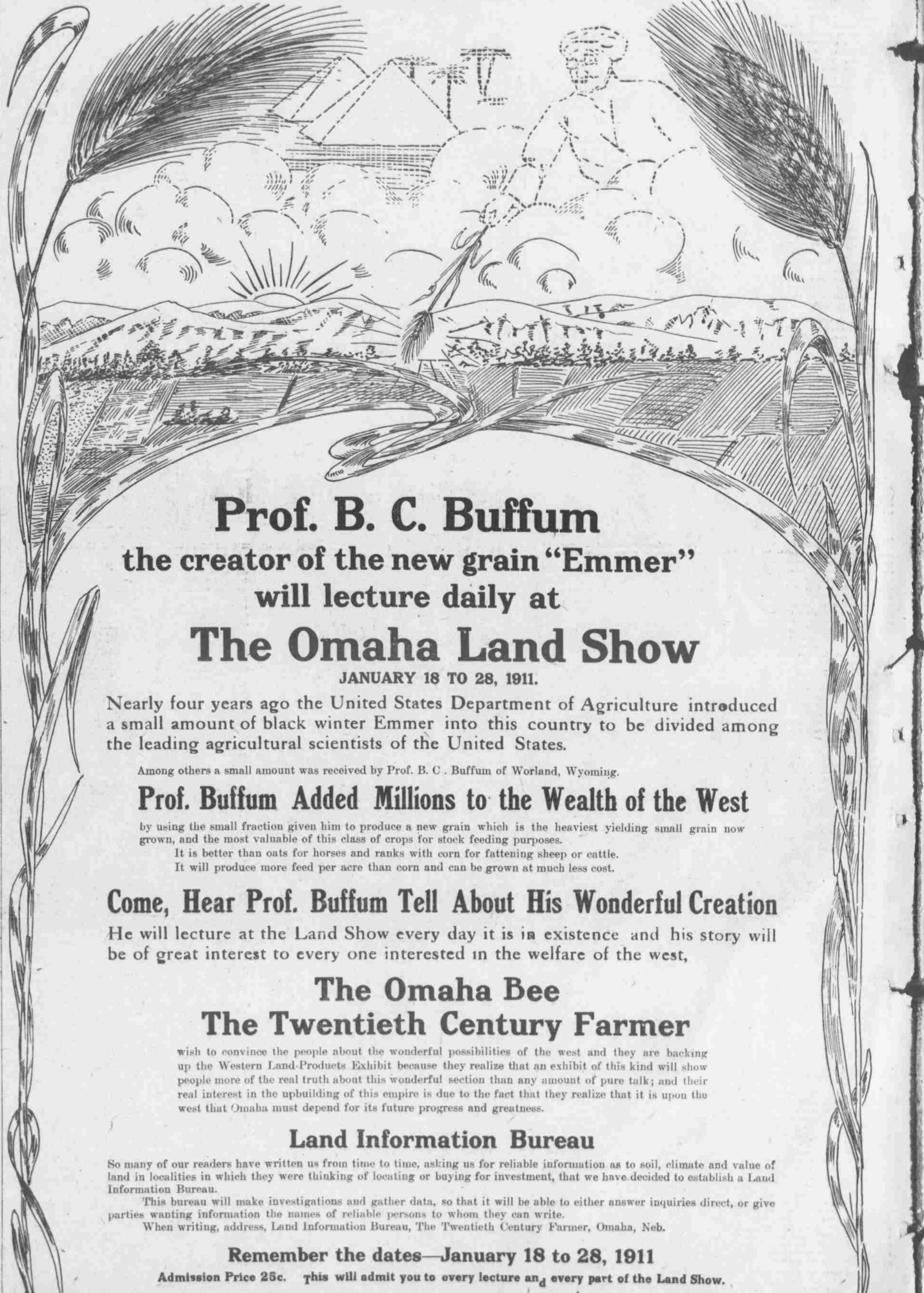
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So many of our readers have written us from time to time, asking us for reliable information as to soil, climate and value of land in localities in which they were thinking of locating or buying for investment, that we have decided to establish a Land Information Bureau.

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