

BURNS TELLS WHY LOAF WEIGHS LESS

Master Baker Talks About the Troubles of His Trade and City Ordinance.

PEGG IS STILL ON THE TRAIL

Under normal conditions the average profit in a loaf of bread is from 1/4 to 1/2 cent per loaf, declared Jay Burns, head of the Burns Baking company, discussing the bread situation in Omaha.

Mr. Burns admits that the wrappers on his "Holsum" bread read, "Over thirteen ounces," and "Over twenty-six ounces," do not represent the actual weight of the bread, and that the bread may not have weighed the amounts indicated on wrappers.

The bureau of labor statistics of the United States Department of Agriculture has indicated the plan of bakers scaling the weights of their bread as flour advances or declines, and there is a law in New York state, 106 years old, which fixes the price and weight of bread according to the price of flour.

Mr. Burns thinks City Sealer John Grant Pegg has not been quite fair in this matter, and condemns the existing ordinance requiring sixteen and thirty-two ounces.

Pegg has filed with the city prosecutor information against the Reeder, Swotoda, Union Pacific and New England bakeries, charging in all cases violation of the ordinance requiring sixteen and thirty-two ounces.

Mr. Burns declares that this ordinance was rendered void by a decision of Police Judge Charles Foster.

Eleven Snowplows Keep Street Car Lines in Operation

Regardless of the long continued fall of snow, the Omaha Street Railway company has managed to maintain the regular schedule of car service ever since the storm commenced.

Snowball Battle Disturbs Peace of Grain Exchange

A ferocious snow ball fight, declared and organized with malice aforethought by Sam Carlisle, occurred on the floor of the Grain exchange which was not occupied by any business.

Verdict of \$13,750 for Fractured Leg

A verdict of \$13,750 against F. H. Johnson of the Omaha Steel Construction company was returned by a jury in District Judge Troup's court in a permanent injury damage suit brought by F. M. Shink, a former employee.

Miss Brown Given \$1,750 Heart Balm; Haynes Must Pay

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New Books

THE SCOTCH-IRISH IN AMERICA. By Henry Jones Ford. 50 Pp. Princeton University Press. This book tells the story of the Scotch-Irish settlements upon American institutions.

UNITED STATES COLONIES AND DEPENDENCIES. By William D. Boyce. 65 Pp. Rand, McNally & Co. The author endeavors to show our national obligations relative to the present and future of our colonial possessions.

THE REVELATION OF THE CHINESE REVOLUTION. By John J. Mulvaney. 142 Pp. \$2.75. Fleming H. Revell Company. An intimate record of the Chinese revolution.

LETTERS OF AN OLD FARMER TO HIS SON. By William L. Gorton. 112 Pp. \$1. George H. Doran Company. Any one interested in the soil, as present occupation or promise of future success, will find inspiration in these letters.

THE UNSEEN EMPIRE. By Atherton Brownson. 17 Pp. \$1.25. Harper & Bros. A dramatic story of peace done in the form of a play in four acts.

LETTERS OF A SELF-MADE FAILURE. By Mary Stewart. 150 Pp. \$1. Small, Maynard & Co. A "self-made failure" who has found success in a different field writes to his younger brother who is beginning his business career in New York.

MUST PROTESTANTISM ADOPT CHRISTIANITY? A Study by Rev. J. Winthrop Hegeman. 6 Pp. \$0.75. Harper & Bros. A bold and earnest document in which a clergyman of the Episcopal church suggests the adoption by Protestant churches of the essentials of Christianity.

A POET'S CABINET. Edited by M. A. Miller. 48 Pp. E. G. P. Putnam's Sons. A compilation from the writings of George Lansing Raymond.

SYMBOLIC TEACHING, OR MASONRY AND ITS MESSAGE. By Thomas M. Stewart. 32 Pp. \$1.25. Stewart & Kidd Company. While this is a book of essays having the ancient and accepted order of Freemasonry as a basis.

THE INDUSTRIAL TRAINING OF THE GIRL. By William A. McKim. 11 Pp. \$0.30. The Macmillan Company. Dr. McKeiver discusses the training of the girl from kindergarten to college.

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Miss Brown asked \$1,750 heart balm, alleging that she had suffered damage to this amount by reason of the defendant's alleged deception.

JUNK DEALER FINED FOR CRUELLY ABUSING HORSE

J. Prabelsky, 522 North Nineteenth street, junk dealer, was arrested Thursday afternoon on complaint of Martin Hannon of the Gray Gables, Twentieth and Davenport streets, who asserted Prabelsky was cruelly abusing his horse.

According to the complainant, the junk dealer had tied the animal to a post at Twentieth and Davenport, and was beating the creature with a rawhide whip. The beast, so Hannon declared, was moaning. Prabelsky, when arraigned in court, could not speak a word of English.

It's a shame that there isn't a whip-ling post for such as you," declared the magistrate. "Nothing would give me greater pleasure than to sentence you to spend fifteen minutes with me in a locked room."

A going business can be sold quickly through The Bee's "Business Chance."

NEARLY 300 PRISONERS HELD IN COUNTY JAIL. Two hundred and ninety-four prisoners were held in the county jail according to the morning count.

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Veilings—Mantilla and Cape Veils—An extensive variety of pretty meshes, with attractive borders. All new colors. Worth 75c. Saturday, 39c.

Brandeis Stores

Convincing Evidence of This Store's Greatness and Style. Supremacy Is Manifest Now In These Vast Assemblages.

There's a Wonderful Fascination in the Millinery Modes for Spring. SATURDAY we shall feature an exceptionally attractive selection of trimmed hats.

Untrimmed Shapes at Special Sat'y Prices. Untrimmed Milan hemp shapes—Saturday, special, \$1.69. Untrimmed Lizeze shapes—in all spring colors, \$1.98.

Trimmings That Portray the Season's New Ideas all at Special Prices. Cherries are the most popular fruit trimming, and they are here now in clusters from 19c to 49c; in wreaths, 39c, 59c and 75c.

Saturday Basement Millinery Special. 500 Sample Trimmed Hats in sailors, poke and turbans. Trimmed in flowers, ribbons, quills, etc. All colors for \$1.95 spring are included. Worth to \$3.50. Saturday, for... \$1.95

Specials in Ivory. French Ivory Dressing Combs, Picture Frames, Salve Jars, Hand Mirrors, Etc.—Worth to 75c each, for... 25c.

Jewelry Specials. Solid Gold Pendants—On a fine solid gold chain. Regular \$4.00 values. These are exceptional! Saturday... \$1.98.

Hand Bag Prices Much Reduced. Fine Real Leather Bags—Some silk lined, others leather lined. Two to five vanity fittings. \$1.50 to \$2.50 values. Special \$1.00 Saturday, each... \$1.00.

Ribbons Beautiful 4 and 5-inch brocade and taffeta ribbons; Saturday a very special price, a yard... 15c.

There's a Big Saving Opportunity in this Sale of Stockings. Women's Pure Thread Silk Stockings—Black and white; with fancy embroidered heels and silk clocked.

Women's Silk Boot Stockings—All new shoe and dress shades—shades to match any gown. Regular made, high-applied heels and toes; double soles, wide garter tops; a pair... 50c.

Women's Silk Thread Stockings—Black, white and assorted colors. Good quality. Regular 50c quality; Saturday, a pair... 35c.

Women's Fiber Silk Boot Stockings. Black only. Full seamless; double soles, heels and toes. Regular 25c quality. Special, a pair... 15c.

Men's Fine Blue Hose—Black and navy. Full seamless; medium weight. Double heels, toes and soles. Regular 25c quality. Special, a pair... 19c.

Women's Underwear at Great Savings. Women's Lisle Thread Union Suits. Umbrella and cuff knee styles. All sizes. Regular 50c values. Special Saturday, a suit... 39c.

Women's "Cumfy Cut" Vests—Made of fine ribbed cotton. Regular and extra sizes. 25c values. Saturday, each... 15c.

Women's Nu-Shape Lisle Union Suits—Cuff knee style and lace trimmed. Regular sizes. Special, a suit... 50c.

Women's "Cumfy Cut" Vests—Made of fine ribbed cotton. All sizes. Reg. 15c values, each... 9c.

MOTHERS: Saturday we shall sell Cadet and Manhattan wash suits for boys, worth to \$3.00, for only \$1.25. See our other ad today.

One Glimpse at These New Spring Suits Creates an Immediate Wish to Own One. IN truth they are fascinating and heart-delighting, with their various characteristics which proclaim their individuality, their exclusiveness and the newness of their style.

A large selection, every one an \$19 extraordinary value, too, choice. AMONG THEM: Plain tailored styles in variety, as well as the jaunty belted and plaited coat styles, or coats in pointed effects; and the full flared gored and plaited skirts, which at once win favor.

At \$35 we are offering as an advance season special a handsome assortment of the early spring's very newest models in tailor-made suits. They embody and emphasize all the prevailing modes as to tailoring, trimmings, colorings; the workmanship is perfect.

\$10 Is a Small Price to Pay for One of These Top Coats. BUT at that price we find it possible to offer on Saturday a lot of very smart spring coats in the new belted and flared models.

Special 75 Party and Dancing Dresses worth \$12.50 to \$25. Saturday \$5.00 choice at but... \$5.00.

Dainty, filmy Muslin Wear and Every Piece at Special Sat'y Price. TWENTY dozen fine crepe gowns in plain colors and figures with lace edging and ribbon-run; large, full-cut garments, many in extra length. Sat'y... \$1.

Chic Styles in Little Folks' Attire. Children's new school and dress coats—Cunning wraps that feature the new high neck military effects, the large belts and cuffs and the wide ripple flared bottoms.

Women's Smart New Footwear. Cleverest spring styles, just from their makers, displaying those ideas that have just been originated.

Drugs and Toilet Goods Specials. Peroxide of Hydrogen—16c. Eucalypti—16c. Florida Water—16c.

Free Demonstration REXO. (Mfg. by Burke & James Inc., Chicago.) On these two days an expert demonstrator from the Burke & James factory will be in our Camera Section.

Free Face Creams With Every Box of Face Powder. Special—Ebony Mirrors at Reduced Prices Saturday.

