

GOVERNMENT MAY COMMANDEER GRAIN

Story Reaches Omaha that Federal Officials Will Abolish Futures Market.

TO FIX MAXIMUM PRICE

Omaha grain men anticipate the possibility of the future, or speculative market, being abolished by the government. Reports reached the Omaha Grain exchange, coming from Chicago, that the federal government is considering the advisability of ordering the closing of the market on futures and that the next thing in line is to be the commandeering of the grain supplies of the country and fixing a maximum price at which cereals and provisions shall be sold.

Local grain men are non-communicative relative to whether or not the present grain prices are too high, yet as a rule they admit that they would be lower in the event the government should close the speculative markets, the maximum price at which grain and food supplies should be sold.

Fair and Warmer Weather Will Follow the Rains

Washington, April 7.—Weather predictions for the week, beginning Sunday, April 8, issued by the weather bureau today, are:

Plains states and upper and middle Mississippi valleys: Except for rain Sunday in the central Mississippi valley and unsettled weather, with probable rains over the entire district about Wednesday, the week will be generally fair. General rise in temperature Monday and Tuesday and moderate temperature thereafter.

Seven Motorists Fined For Violating Rules

Seven motorists were fined by Police Judge Madden. H. D. Harte, 5016 California street, was fined \$2.50 and costs for speeding. D. Guynes, Twentieth and Harney streets, was fined \$1 and costs for violating the boulevard ordinance, and J. A. Carlson, 1505 Park Wide avenue, \$1 and costs for violating the parking ordinance.

Tries to Take Money From a Little Lad

Jack Carroll, Flomar hotel, was given a forty-five-day sentence by the police judge on a charge of impersonating a juvenile officer and attempting to take \$7 away from a little lad.

Uncle Sam to Protect All Peaceful Aliens

"The protection of peaceful aliens is a patriotic duty." That is the gist of a communication received here from Washington by Marshal Flynn and other officials whose duty it is to preserve order in these strenuous times.

Found, Valuable Article Dropped by a Woman in Car

Found—One new potato, red color, one and one-half inches in diameter, eight "eyes." One of The Bee carriers found it on a Sherman avenue car. He says a woman dropped it from a basket. Before he could call her attention to her loss she had alighted.

Omaha, Not Endangered By Breaking of Gorge

The ice gorge in the Missouri river at Bismarck, N. D., broke Friday. The gorge at Yankton is still holding, but will probably go out when the volume of water released at Bismarck strikes it. Omaha is 640 miles from Bismarck as the river runs; so the high water will not reach here for three or four days.

Two Big Shubert Shows Are Coming to the Boyd in May

Manager Burgess of the Boyd theater has received dates for the promised appearance of two of the big Shubert musical attractions at his theater in May. "Katinka" will come on May 5 and 6, opening with a matinee performance on Saturday afternoon.

Rains and Snows Come to Rescue of Crops of the State

The rain and snow at Omaha amounted to nearly one-fifth of an inch up to 7 a. m. Saturday. It extended over all the state except the extreme west. The highest precipitation, according to the weather bureau, was .42 of an inch, though the railroads reported some as high as one inch.

Minnesota and as far east as the Great Lakes; also as far south as northern Kansas and Missouri. There were also many points registering freezing temperatures over the corn and wheat belt.

Railroad men say the rain is especially beneficial now because it comes right after the sowing of spring wheat. They believe also that it will save many a field of winter wheat, giving the roots a new start and probably resulting in a fairly good crop, where a few days ago failure was indicated.

Creighton Boys Volunteer Third Of Class in Navy

Fifteen of the forty-four senior medical students at Creighton university have volunteered their services to Uncle Sam's navy. They will be graduated as soon as they pass the physical examination. Then they will be given the rank of assistant surgeon at a salary of \$2,000 a year.

The Great Lakes naval training station, is coming to Omaha Monday to examine the applicants. Only a physical test will be applied to them. By special dispensation from the government the students will not have to undergo an examination into their knowledge of medicine or surgery.

Asks Heavy Damages for Injuries to Her Knee The City National bank building and John W. Welch, proprietor of a

string of restaurants, are named defendants in a \$26,495 damage suit brought in district court by Miss Ruth Blomquist, formerly a school teacher. Miss Blomquist alleges that in entering one of the Welch restaurants in the City National bank building, Sixteenth and Harney streets, on September 3, 1915, she struck her knee against a glass panel in a door, shattering it and injuring herself. She asserts that as a result of her injuries she is permanently disabled and unable to walk without difficulty. That she has been forced to abandon her work as a school teacher is one of the allegations.

Doctors Fail

"Terrible case of Eczema—contracted when a mere boy—fought disease for ten years, with half dozen specialists. Both legs in terrible condition. Almost a nervous wreck. It took just 8 bottles to clear up this disease."

D. D. D. for Skin Diseases SHERMAN & MCCONNELL DRUG CO

From the Cheapest That's GOOD To the Best That's Made

Orchard & Wilhelm Co.

414-416-418 SOUTH 16th St.

Cut out the COUPONS at the foot of this ad for kitchenwares. One for Every Day. This Week



A Really Immense RUG STOCK

From the World's Premier Manufacturers

The buyer for this great retail Rug Department also buys our wholesale stocks. The purchasing power he wields is greater than any other rug man west of Chicago, with the result that our stocks are not only drawn exclusively from the very best weavers, but our ability to purchase in very large quantities affords us price advantages that we consistently hand on to our customers.

Genuine French Wiltons And Anglo Persian Rugs

These Rugs are made from the finest worsted yarns, woven with the evenness and closeness of a fine velvet, in colors as true to an artist's thought as the colors in a good picture. Especially notable are the fine Chinese patterns and Oriental designs, that rival the genuine products of the Orient. Many rich patterns are drawn upon plain, corduroy and jasper grounds. The new color schemes introduce soft effects in Old Rose, Chinese Blue, and Gray.

9x12 size \$82.50. Smaller rugs to match as follows:
8-3x10-6 \$76.50, 6x9 \$52.00, 27-in. by 54-in. \$8.75

Bundhar Wiltons They Wear Like Iron.

Embody all the characteristics of the Oriental fabrics except the price, and in addition to the beauty, grace of color and design, they possess wearing qualities that will outlast any other woolen floor covering.

An almost unlimited assortment.
9x12 size \$59.50. Smaller rugs to match as follows:
8-3x10-6 \$55.00, 6x9 \$36.50, 27-in. by 54-in. \$6.25

Moderately Priced Wool Wiltons

In an immense assortment of colors and in all sizes.
27-in. by 54-in. costs \$5.50, and by easy stages to 9x12 size, at \$50.00

Hartford Saxony Rugs

Are made in very heavy Saxony yarns and imitate the heavy Orientals in a way that deceives men accustomed to handling rugs every day. The deep rich pile makes them especially desirable for wearing quality.

Colored plates that illustrate these rugs, sent on request.
9x12 size \$75.00. Smaller rugs to match as follows:
8-3x10-6 \$70.00, 6x9 \$47.50, 27-in. by 54-in. \$8.00

Body Brussels

This Rug shows to advantage the finer points of design and color. It is easily swept and cleaned. For bedrooms it is the ideal rug and as it can be bought in well-matched small sizes, it is again very suitable for this purpose. On the other hand, Body Brussels has been a favorite for other rooms, and the large variety of patterns and color schemes adapts it for any part of the house.

Of special interest are the new Chintz Effects and Oriental Designs, as well as Black and Gray patterns and soft pale shades of Blue, Rose and Fawn.
9x12 size \$39.00, and by easy steps down to 27-in. by 60-in., at \$3.50

Popular Priced Axminsters

Are shown in Chinese, Oriental and Chintz patterns as well as plain colors. Here again we have so wide an assortment that any color scheme can be completed with one of these highly desirable rugs.

9x12 size \$36.00. Many small sizes, some quoted below:
8-3x10-6 \$31.50, 6x9 \$20.00, 27-in. by 60-in. \$3.50

Beautiful Brown Mahogany Bedroom Suite

CHARACTERISTIC turned posts and legs, discreet graceful ornaments as well as the gracefully curved lines, make this a very pleasing example of a pleasing and popular style.

Also in Adam style at the same moderate prices.

William and Mary Period
Triple mirror dressing table, with three drawers \$37.50
Dresser with 33x27-inch mirror, three small drawers at top and two large ones below, for \$42.00
Four-tray Wardrobe with two capacious drawers below; note the graceful design of panels, \$42.00
Full-Size Bed \$37.50



Victor Style X \$7500

Sold on Easy Payments

A VICTOR in your home is joy and entertainment for all the family.

An Investment That Outrivals Any Other

12 double records, comprising 24 selections that you can choose yourself, are offered with this machine \$9.00 for an additional.



A Sealy Tuftless Mattress

The construction of which is such that it invites absolute relaxation and gives to the body the real rest required if you would have the full benefit of a night's sleep. It is true economy to own a "Sealy," because it is a life-time investment, paying splendid dividends in health and happiness. Under a guarantee of twenty years, it retains its life and buoyancy. The most sanitary and restful bed possible to buy.



Jacobean Chair and Rocker

Rockers, as illustrated.

OF solid oak with tapestry upholstered spring seat. The quaint turned arms and the high lighted or shaded finish that shows the grain of the wood are the essence of the style we readily associate with the sturdy men of the Cromwellian days.

Price for Chair or Rocker—\$13.00
Also in Mahogany, at \$14.00



Home Craft Week, April 9th to 14th

This is the National Home Craft Week. People throughout the country will be thinking how to make their homes more beautiful. Our drapery department is in gala dress for the occasion. We have selected the finest draperies for your inspection. We have displayed these in our store windows as well as our drapery department so as to demonstrate the best modern ideas in house decoration. And as for values! Well, just come and judge for yourself



Lace Nets
In Fine Filets, large designs, Scotch Nets and Lever Laces.
Prices 40c, 65c, 85c and Up to \$3.00 per Yard

Sunfast Drapery Fabrics
For over-curtains; 50 inches wide (this is wide enough to split for ordinary windows), in plain, two-tone and verdure effects. All of the very newest designs and colorings that are suitable to modern decorative schemes.
Prices, per Yard, \$1, \$1.50, \$2, \$2.50 and up to \$4.50

Curtains—New and Delightful
In inexpensive Ruffled and Hemstitched Muslins, Sheer Voiles and attractive Marquisesettes, Filet Nets, Irish Plot and Duchesse.
A very extensive line at almost any price you wish to pay, from—
\$1.65 to \$20.00 per Pair

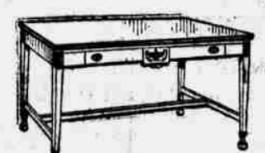
Cretonnes
That introduce the spirit of the great out-of-doors into the home—birds, flowers and foliage—in hundreds of different variations for bedroom, living room or sunroom.
15c to \$2.00 per Yard

Library Table of Solid Brown Mahogany

The straight, graceful, tapering lines of this table and the carved urn, typical of the Adams period, make this a very attractive piece of furniture. Top measures 28x48.

Special price \$29.00

We have an excellent assortment of Library Tables in Adams, William and Mary, Charles II, Colonial and Mission styles.



Demonstration of Modern Kitchen Equipment

Every day this week, from Monday morning to Saturday evening, we shall give a continuous demonstration of all the aids that go to make a modern kitchen, that obviate drudgery, doing all the work better and easier, making cooking a delight and care of the home a task within the power of every woman, giving her time for recreation and other pursuits otherwise impossible.

Second Floor
In Addition to An Already Enormous Stock of

Linoleums

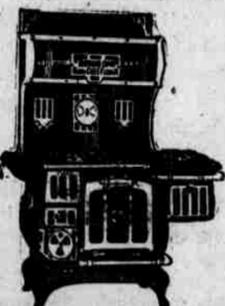
We shall unload five carloads Monday and Tuesday.

In Inlaid
We offer the finest Greenwich Linoleum and the best American tile-like and small-figured patterns; 6 feet wide. Prices, per Square Yard, 95c, \$1.10, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.65, \$1.85

Printed Linoleum
Comes in 6-ft., 7-6-ft. and 12-ft. widths; parquet wood designs, floral patterns and tile-like effects. Priced as low as 40c per Yard and by Easy Steps to 85c

Plain Linoleum
Heavy weights, in brown and green. Cork Carpet and battle-ship linoleum; also brown and green linoleum in various thicknesses.
Expert measure men estimate WITHOUT WASTE. Expert layers (employed the year 'round) do perfect work that makes for satisfaction and permanence.

MONDAY & SATURDAY

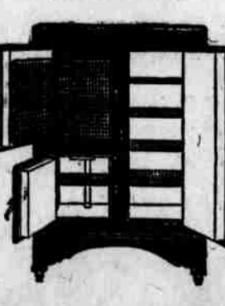


Round Oak 3-Fuel Combination Range

Same oven used with any fuel. One stove in place of two. Comfort and efficiency the whole year 'round. A cool kitchen or a warm kitchen, as you wish.

Sold on Easy Terms
30 Days' Free Trial Before You Start to Pay

TUESDAY

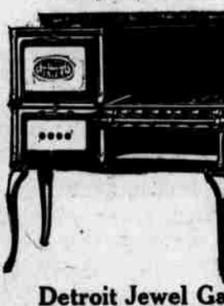


Herrick Refrigerators

Come in all finishes, inside and out. They are priced with extreme moderation, and whether you buy a simple style or one that has every modern elaboration, you get the utmost the price will buy.

Sold on Terms and \$3.00 Given on Any Old Ice Box You May Turn in

WEDNESDAY



Detroit Jewel Gas Range, at \$29.00

THEY BAKE BETTER

Come in and taste the pies and biscuits baked in your presence on this range. Discover the ease with which the work is done.

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THURSDAY

Demonstration of Electric Washing Machines

Electric Vacuum Cleaners
Electric Cooking Utensils
Electric Irons

FRIDAY

Detroit Vapor Stoves

They Work Like Gas
The fuel is common coal oil, which forms a gas, mixes with the air and burns with an even heat just the same as gas.

Burns 25% less fuel than any other make; is absolutely safe and very well made, lasting for many years without expenses.

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Bargains in Kitchen Ware

\$2.00 Aluminum Percolators (6-cup size) \$1.15
\$2.00 Aluminum Saucepans (6 qt.) with cover \$1.15
One Set of Fancy Cake Pans, a 35c value for... 25c
Dish Mops, for... 5c
35c Potato Ricers, for... 25c
\$2.00 Electric Toasters, at \$1.50
O. & W. Ivory Polish (used on our own furniture since 1895), at... 25c or 50c (State whether for dull or polished surfaces in ordering.)
\$1.00 Wool Wall Mops, at... 59c
\$2.95 Electric Irons, complete with plug and cord, at... \$1.95
Aluminum Fruit Funnel, for filling Mason jars, at... 9c
50c "Punch" Luster Dust-Oil, for... 35c
\$1.00 Patent Rapid Silver Cleaners, no rubbing... 69c

A Coupon for Every Day in the Week, Redeemable in Our Kitchen Equipment Dept.

<p>Cut them out; use them every day of the Demonstration</p>	<p>MONDAY, APRIL 9 For one Universal Paring Knife 3c Only One to a Coupon.</p>	<p>TUESDAY, APRIL 10 Glass Measuring Cups, 3c Only One to a Coupon.</p>	<p>WEDNESDAY, APRIL 11 Alumigum Sink Strainers, regular 50c kind, for... 19c Only One to a Coupon.</p>	<p>THURSDAY, APRIL 12 6 Custard Cups of brown ovenware, the set for... 20c Only One to a Coupon.</p>	<p>FRIDAY, APRIL 13 One "Calcutta" Cedar Oil Mop, in metal container, for... 39c Only One to a Coupon.</p>	<p>SATURDAY, APRIL 14 For One 8-inch Pyrex Pie Dish—For 45c</p> <p>Cut them out; use them every day of the Demonstration</p>
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