

Omaha Grain Exchange to Be Closed on Saturday

The Omaha Grain exchange will be closed all day Saturday, Saturday, in Chicago, plans have been communitated for the holding of a monstrous patriotic parade and to show that they are in full sympathy with the movement the Chicago board of trade has been ordered closed that day. While there will be no parade in this city, Omaha grain men propose to show that they are in line with the idea and will refrain from

doing business, observing the occasion as a holiday. Cash grain prices made another spectacular advance. Wheat went up 2 to 4 cents a bushel, selling at \$2.75-\$2.84 a bushel. Receipts were twelve carloads. Corn advanced one-half to 2 1/2 cents, selling at \$2.22-\$2.35 1-2 cents a bushel. The most pronounced was on the No. 2 white. Receipts were 121 carloads. Oats sold at 75@75 3/4 cts a bushel, an advance of one-half to a cent. Receipts were twenty-five carloads.

Potatoes Again on Raise; Fruits Are Much Cheaper

One of the curious features of the green grocery market in Omaha this week, is the fact that potatoes have gone up. The big crop of the humble spuds that is assured here and all over the country makes this rise unexplainable. The market men simply know that potatoes have gone up in spite of increased supply and prospects of a bumper crop. Whether this is due to the iniquity of a combination of some kind or not, they do not attempt to say. The rise amounts to about 10 cents a peck. Sweet corn is one of the things that has come down to a figure within everybody's reach during the week and is now selling from 15 to 20 cents a dozen ears. It is excellent corn, too, home grown, most of it. Tomatoes of the home grown variety made their appearance in ripened condition this week for the

first time on the Omaha markets. They are of excellent quality and sell around 15 cents a pound. Apples are growing more and more plentiful and a basket holding about a peck may now be bought for about 25 cents. Of course, they will be cheaper in a week or two. Peaches and apricots and plums are also more plentiful and cheaper than they were a week ago. Red raspberries and black and white currants are on the market. Watermelons are plentiful and of fine flavor. They sell around 3 cents a pound. Cantaloupes are good, at 10 cents each, three for 25 cents. The ones with the yellow meat are a little higher. Cabbage and cauliflower are much cheaper. Turnips, beets, carrots, and the like vegetables are abundant. Green peas and string beans are fine. Some very nice pears of the new crop are obtainable.

NATIONAL BREAD ECONOMY WASTERS AID THE ENEMY

By Herbert C. Hoover. International expert, whose work among the sufferers of Belgium made him the choice of President Wilson for food administrator. The most talked of man in America, has written this article expressly to introduce a series by the leading food authorities of the country, to preach the gospel of bread conservation.

WE must see that all bread when once made is used in its entirety. For home consumption to waste bread is to contribute strength to the enemy. To save bread is to help in the fight. Those who handle wheat and flour and those who sell bread and other foods made from wheat will have to work together to make the maximum amount of saving in manufacture. But no matter how careful they may be, it is only by the assistance of the consumer in the home that the saving, absolutely needed, can be brought about.



Herbert C. Hoover

A wider knowledge of the facts in regard to bread making, bread keeping, and bread as an article of diet would bring about the complete use of every particle of bread brought into the home. I hope we may be educated during the early period of the war to the full necessity of home care and home saving in this vital matter. The world supply of wheat is short and we shall have a great difficulty in transporting any surplus that may exist in any part of the world to the spot where it is most needed. Above all, America can feed Europe, and it must do so in spite of the submarine menace. We shall have some surplus even though we continue our former habits of the free use and often the waste of wheat and wheat products, but we must have a large surplus and this large surplus we can acquire only by rigid economy in the use of wheat.

The United States is just coming to a realization of the world's food problem. The unusual and unique conditions associated with the Great World War have had a profound effect upon the production, distribution and consumption of foodstuffs. The world had been linked together in such a way that there was a flow of foodstuffs, particularly grain, to the point where they were most needed. With the changes brought about by placing several millions of men on the battle line and with the submarine effect on shipping, all of this has materially changed, as far as Europe is concerned. In America there always has been a surplus of foodstuffs and we have contributed materially to the support of other countries. We have never had a particular effort to conserve our food supply or to avoid hunger and starvation by thrift. We now find ourselves the one great source of the surplus food that must reach Europe, if we are to win the war. That surplus will be scanty, particularly this year, because of the comparative failure of the winter wheat, and it can only be increased by the most conservative use of our supplies and by the most restricted use of food by our European Allies.

The problem of feeding ourselves and feeding our own army abroad and of feeding our Allies is the most pressing one that is immediately before each and every individual. We are asking the women of the country to be the first to organize themselves for food conservation. We hope to have all of them sign a pledge to follow our directions, which will be simple and few, which will, if carried out, have a marked effect upon the food which we can export. It will also contribute materially to getting the prices of foods upon a more satisfactory basis. The war has disturbed the ordinary commercial machinery and prices have gone far beyond the normal. This is the effect of lack of control in this country and the abnormal call for food from other countries. "To save is to serve" is to be the motto of the great group of women and men associated with us as members of the Food Administration. Their aim will be to live wisely, but not too well, to eat freely but to avoid waste, to eat vegetables and food products grown near home and to save staples for export. Those in charge of the food products of the country have a particular responsibility upon them so that the maximum amount can be obtained from existing food supply. Bakers should encourage the economical use of the bread made from wheat and encourage the use of other flours in bread-making, and by so doing will render their country a real service. I feel that the bakers will join in with all other groups of Americans in doing their part in national service.

I feel confident that the splendid volunteer spirit of service of the American people will demonstrate itself in solving our food problem and that all American producers, manufacturers, merchants and consumers will work together towards a common end.

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Government Inspector O.K.'s Alamito "Milk-White" Plant

When Dr. H. Busman of the U. S. Bureau of Animal Industry informed the Alamito Dairy Co. a few days ago that he desired to look about the plant, it meant that the temperature charts were to be examined and the pasteurizing department given a most rigid inspection.

Dr. Busman is the Inspector in charge at South Omaha. Among his duties is that of inspecting dairy plants whose products are used in the manufacture of certain commodities watched closely by the Government.

Receives Unreserved Approval

Not only was the Alamito pasteurizing regarded scientifically perfect, but the sanitation, sterilizing and operation throughout passed upon as entirely satisfactory.

Dr. Busman's decision further substantiates the testimony of hundreds of satisfied Alamito customers.

Alamito Milk is delivered "before breakfast."

ALAMITO DAIRY COMPANY. Douglas 409.

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Includes 1917 MILK-FED SPRING CHICKENS, LB. 29c, PIG PORK ROAST, LB. 18 1/2c, Spare Ribs, lb. 13 1/2c, etc.

City Claims it is Not Liable for Daniels' Death

Hearing on a demurrer by the city that it was not liable for the death of Samuel H. Daniels, fatally injured at municipal beach, Carter lake, July 30, 1916, in a dive into three feet of water, was begun before Judge Sears, sitting in law court.

Gerald V. Coughlin, administrator for the estate of the dead man, is suing the park board for \$10,000. City Attorney Rine is representing the city.

W. H. TAFT TO MAKE SPEECHES IN STATE

Former President to Talk at Fremont, Lincoln, Aurora and Falls City.

Chicago, Aug. 3.—William H. Taft left Chicago last night for a war-speech-making campaign in Illinois, Indiana, Kansas and Nebraska. His program calls for an average of one address a day from chautauqua platforms between now and the first of September. When the tour ends he will return to finish his interrupted vacation in Canada. He will speak at the tractor show at Fremont.

As president of the League to Enforce Peace Mr. Taft will devote at least a portion of every speech to the aims of that organization. "I hope I can do some good," he said, "in explaining to a good many people how we got into this war, why we are in it, its vital importance both to us and to the world and the opportunity it will afford for an international arrangement after war of the general character of our League to Enforce Peace, which shall make peace permanent."

His itinerary includes Shelbyville, Paris, Dixon, Galesburg, Burlington, Mendota, White Hall, Hopestown, Macomb and Monmouth, Ill.; Columbus, Ind.; Lincoln, Fremont, Aurora, Falls City, Neb.; Clay Center, Washington, Blue Rapids, Paola, Garnett, Iola, Chanute, Arkansas City, Wellington, Kingman and Fredonia, Kan.

Infants—Mothers Thousands testify

Horlick's The Original Malted Milk

Builds and sustains the body. No Cooking or Milk required. Used for 1/2 of a Century. Substitutes Cost YOU Same Price.

THE BASKET STORES. The following is a list of just a few regular prices—we have hundreds more. Nearly all our regular prices are equal to the other fellows' special! Includes Flour, Eggs, Butter, etc.

EAT SKINNER'S THE BEST MACARONI. Includes an image of a woman and a box of macaroni.

Warm Weather Now Over, Says Washington, Bureau. Washington, Aug. 3.—The heated spell is at an end in all parts of the country. The weather bureau announced today, although conditions in the far northwest indicate a return of warmer weather in north-

ern districts within a few days. Light local rains fell Thursday in the middle Atlantic states and substantial showers were experienced in North Carolina and in portions of the east gulf states; light rains also fell in Oklahoma and Kansas. It will be slightly cooler tonight in New England and the middle Atlantic states and a little warmer on Saturday.

HERE YOU ARE Sunday Dessert Tutti Frutti. You couldn't plan anything more economical or more tempting or pleasing to everybody. Any dealer who serves Hardings All Ice Creams will be happy to supply it, and you can find one in almost every city block.

CHOICE FOREQUARTERS LAMB, LB. 137 1/2c. 1917 MILK-FED SPRING CHICKENS, LB. 29c. Includes a list of various meats and their prices.

SPECIALS IN GROCERIES, FRUITS and MEATS FOR SATURDAY. Includes a list of various grocery items and their prices.

WASHINGTON MARKET. 1407 DOUGLAS ST. TEL. TYLER 4700. THE MOST UP-TO-DATE AND SANITARY GROCERY THE MIDDLE WEST.

FINE PRIZES FOR FALL MARKET WEEK

Retail Merchants Expected in Large Numbers to Be the Guests of This City.

Retail merchants and their families will gather in Omaha August 20 for the fall market week. The function this year will eclipse all other efforts ever made by the local committee of manufacturers and wholesalers, particularly insofar as entertainment is concerned.

More than that, about fifty visitors will be rewarded for their enterprise in attending the market week, with prizes ranging from a Ford touring car, 1917 model, to a two-pound box of chocolates. All told, about \$1,600 in gifts will be distributed. The second principal gift will be a round trip railroad ticket to the Yellowstone park, valued at \$89; the third award is to be a round trip ticket to California, valued at \$60.50. To follow five Liberty bonds, worth \$50 each, which will go to five women visitors, and another five similar bonds will be awarded to five men.

Athletic Events. But this is not all the gifts. A comic athletic contest is to be staged one evening, and the winners of the various events will be awarded with prizes aggregating about \$500 in value. The award of gifts is entirely without restriction, excepting that they will be given only to visiting merchants and their families, and they are, as stated, absolutely free gifts, there not being even an "entrance fee" to pay.

But the distribution of gifts is not all of the entertainment, by a long way. Thursday evening, August 20, the men folks are to be taken to the Ak-Sar-Ben den, where a special initiation is to be put on for them. Only a few visitors have ever been fatally injured at the "den," and a corps of Red Cross nurses will be provided to care for all those who may be temporarily disabled. The men folks are also hereby notified that their wives will not be awaiting them anxiously on their return—for the fair sex is to be taken to the Strand theater and given one of the most up-to-the-minute "movie" entertainments that ever was screened.

Thursday evening is the "big time" of all. The affair will be staged at Krug park and the principal feature will be the distribution of gifts.

Real Barbecue. An old-fashioned barbecue will also be provided and the committee is figuring on roasting an ox, a sheep and a couple of pigs. Big buses, mustard, coffee and other good things to eat will accompany the steaming steaks, cut hot from the carcasses. This is the eighth semi-annual market week event and it will, without doubt, be better and more enjoyable than all others. Last spring more than 1,000 representatives of business houses registered with the committee. The Omaha Wholesalers' and Manufacturers' association, which acts as host, is preparing for an even greater gathering this fall.

Omaha Railroad Board Urges Carload Shipments

General Managers Jeffers of the Union Pacific, Walters of the Northwestern, and Oldrege of the Burlington, comprising the executive committee of the Omaha branch of the railroad war board, National Council of Defense, met in Mr. Holdrege's office to informally discuss the freight car situation. The committee decided it is necessary to irradically notify shippers of Omaha trade territory that in the future they must load all freight cars to capacity and that by so doing they will be able to aid in increasing the supply of available cars 25 per cent. The importance of capacity loading is to be impressed upon grain men and they are to be asked not to order cars until they have sufficient grain storage to load them.

Elevation of Belt Line Tracks is Well Under Way

The force employed by the Missouri Pacific in the elevation of the tracks of the Omaha Belt line has been greatly increased and the work is being pushed all along the line from Cuming nearly to Leavenworth street. North of Farnam street the temporary track to be used during the construction of the permanent line is almost ready for traffic and the south work has been started. A large quantity of material for use in the construction of the overhead street crossings has arrived and is being distributed at points where it will be used.

Railroads Prepare for Word To Move Nebraska Troops

Anticipating a movement of Nebraska troops to training quarters near Deming, N. M., railroads are already beginning to line up their passenger equipment. The railroads have not been advised of the date of the movement, but expect it soon. Railroad men look for an order to move the Fourth, Fifth and Sixth regiments. The units making up those regiments, as a rule, are now at the towns where the companies were organized, and at these stations they will entrain and be consolidated into through trains at some central point, not yet announced.

Sugar Not Necessary in Home Canning

Fruits will keep perfectly well in water. When properly packed in jars. Buying large quantities of sugar for canning summer fruits. Not necessary. If expense is prohibitive, sugar may be added, in small quantities. As time of serving. As pie filling, salad material. For baking sauce, etc. The flavor will not be exactly the same. As when the fruit is preserved in syrup. But the healthfulness and food value are equal.

Help Save the Nation by Helping the Nation Save. THERE is a difference between saving and self-denial. Giving your family pure foods, keeping well-nourished bodies, maintaining normal strength and normal appetite is cheaper than paying doctor bills. In fact, raising your table standards may be the truest form of economy. For the difference between extravagance and thrift is not a question of how much you spend, but the value received. The housewife's problem has always been to select the best values for her money. We have simplified that problem by putting the Oval Label on our top-grade foods, definitely assuring highest quality and value. And this identitying mark appears on a large list of Package Foods—Vegetables, Meats, Condiments, Soups, Lard, Vegetable Shortening, Butter, Grape Juice, Sausage and Oleomargarine. Always a mark of highest quality, the Armour Oval Label, under present conditions, becomes the symbol of true economy. It indicates the highest food value and the purity in preparation that preserves health. It becomes a true buying guide to every housewife who wants the best. Serve the nation by eliminating waste. And eliminate the possibility of waste by insisting upon Armour's Quality Products, the line of standardized value. Put This List In Your Purse Use it as a Shopping Guide. Armour's Oval Label Package Foods. Includes a list of various food items and their prices.