

BREAD TO SHRINK IN WEIGHT; PRICE DROP TO FOLLOW

Nebraska Bakers Agree on 12-Ounce Loaf Instead of 16, With Proportionate Decrease in Cost.

The size of a loaf of bread in Nebraska is to be changed from a 16-ounce loaf to 12 ounces.

This was decided at a meeting of 150 bakers of the state in Omaha Wednesday, when a resolution was adopted that for household use the sale of bread will be limited to 12-ounce loaf baked in multiple or in twins.

It is planned to make the 12-ounce loaf do what the 16-ounce is now doing and the price will be in proportion, probably 7 1/2 cents, retail.

Committee to Fix Plans.

A committee was appointed, consisting of P. F. Petersen, Omaha; J. I. Markey, South Omaha; Thomas McKay, Lincoln; Robert Teviotdale, Grand Island, and Thomas Lewis, Norfolk, to work out plans for baking the new uniform loaf and to report to G. W. Wattle, national food administrator for Nebraska, for approval. These men also compose the baking committee of the state food administration.

Nebraska bakers further agreed to conduct a campaign of education among the bakers of the state on the use of flour substitutes and all agree to give all information in their possession to other bakers.

CHLORINE FUMES OVERCOME EIGHT; GAS TANK LEAKS

Eight men were gassed, one seriously, when a six-foot steel acetylene tank was punctured early Thursday in the junk yard of Morris Ferrer, Eighth and Douglas streets, letting out dense fumes of chlorine.

The injured: J. L. Morrin, acetylene cutter, 1812 Corby street; seriously overcome. Al Williams, 1012 Davenport street. Frank Bennett, 1307 Douglas street. Charles Stanytke, 2716 Walnut street.

Joseph Usedovski, 810 Douglas street. Louis Geetlin, Nineteenth and Charles streets.

Abe Ferrer, 2541 Chicago street. M. Miller, Eighth and Douglas streets.

They were given first aid treatment by police surgeons and all will recover.

The gas that caused the men's asphyxiation is said to be similar to that used by the Germans on the western front in France.

The tank was taken to the yard with a shipment of junk from a Nebraska town, the name of which Morris Ferrer, owner of the place, could not state.

Further Restrictions Placed

On Manufacturers Using Sugar

Manufacturers of less essential food-stuffs, requiring sugar, who started in business, or increased their capacity between Nov. 1, 1917, and April 1, 1918, will be allowed only 50 per cent of their sugar requirements. Those who began their operations after the April date will not be allotted any sugar.

Announcements of these rulings are made by Gurdor W. Wattle, federal food administrator for Nebraska, and are for the purpose of protecting the patriotic manufacturer who has complied with the rules of the food administration.

Less essential manufacturers are entitled to 80 per cent of their requirements, while the essential food manufacturers are given 100 per cent, which means their full requirements.

Ice cream has been added to the essential list to assure consumption of surplus milk products and to encourage dairy interests to continue their production, says Wattle.

Sugar will be sold to all manufacturers only on signing of certificates after May 15.

Injured in Fall From Porch;

Sues for \$15,000 Damages

Deafness and partial loss of memory, as a result of a fall from a porch sustained by Mrs. Hattie A. Wilson, are alleged in a suit for \$15,000 damages being heard in county court. It is alleged that Mrs. Wilson was injured June 15, 1917, when a railing of a porch in the rear of 1315 Park avenue gave way. West Myers, owner of the house, has died since the date of the accident and the claim is brought against his estate. Mr. and Mrs. Wilson had rented the house two weeks before the accident.

Bird Societies Will Hold

Annual Meeting Friday Night

The Nebraska Ornithologists' union and the Nebraska Audubon society will hold a joint meeting and annual dinner at the Unitarian church Friday night and at 7 o'clock Saturday morning will hold their field day at the Fontenelle reserve, commonly called Child's Point.

George Mickel of Lincoln will speak on the subject, "Warblers," following the dinner. Professors Bruner, Swenk and Wolcott of the Nebraska university will attend.

Lieut. Wallace Undergoes

Operation for Appendicitis

Lieutenant Glenn Wallace, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Wallace, 5012 Cuming street, Thursday underwent an operation for appendicitis at the Ford hospital. The young officer is home on sick leave. He is stationed at Camp John Wise, San Antonio, Tex. Prior to going he was a cadet at the balloon school at Fort Omaha.

Smith is First Commissioner

To File Expense Account

Ed P. Smith, commissioner-elect, was the first of the city election candidates to file an expense account with election commissioner:

The details: Campaign committee, \$250; music, hall rent and advertising, \$60; stenographic and clerk hire, \$37.50 making a total of \$347.50.

GRAIN EXCHANGE EMPLOYEES FORM HOME GUARD UNIT

Omaha Grain exchange members and employees have organized a company of home guards with John T. Buchanan, captain; L. L. Quinby, first and Chester E. Hunter, second lieutenants. Fifty-three men have been enrolled and recruiting will continue until the company strength is 100.

Later on a name for the company will be selected. Provisions are being made for an armory.

All three of the officers of the company of home guards organized by the grain men have seen active army service. They were in the Spanish-American war.

Captain Buchanan has had 10 years of National guard service and was one of the members of the Thurston Rifles, that 25 years ago was the crack military organization of the United States. At a national tournament held in Galveston, where more than 100 companies were in competition, it won the cup and brought it to Omaha.

A home guard company also has been organized at the University club with the following members:

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| James E. Davidson. | Dr. C. W. Follard. |
| A. B. Warren. | A. H. Fetters. |
| Rose D. Towle. | James Richardson. |
| W. W. Reed. | George C. McIntyre. |
| A. G. Ellick. | F. R. Hoagland. |
| Charles L. Sikes. | Geo. D. Tunnell. |
| Arthur E. Hall. | F. A. Cusack. |
| W. E. Rhoades. | H. D. Bentley. |
| C. R. Belden. | F. M. Fiss. |
| W. C. Ramsey. | Miles S. McFarland. |
| E. Witt. | C. J. Clausen. |
| E. A. Creighton. | R. M. Switzer. |
| Charles E. Teater. | H. W. Pierpont. |
| Joseph Barker. | H. M. Goodell. |
| Herbert M. Rogers. | M. Waddington. |
| Palmer Findley. | W. H. Taylor. |
| William McAdams. | A. J. Richardson. |
| W. R. Robertson. | D. A. Johnson. |
| W. R. Wood. | Lawrence Brinker. |
| Miles Standish. | R. W. Coak. |
| Harry McCormick. | R. E. Davis. |
| George Durkee. | C. G. Powell. |
| T. J. Nolan. | J. T. Stewart 2d. |
| E. E. Kimberly. | W. A. Finley. |
| George Sumner. | W. B. Fonda. |
| E. M. Millard. | Harley G. Moorhead. |
| D. M. Ederly. | A. R. Walsh. |
| Stanley M. Kosswater. | S. Caldwell. |
| Ralph E. Sunderland. | William Clark. |
| L. V. Nicholas. | John McCasus, Jr. |
| J. E. Davidson. | |

Young Joy Riders Plead

Guilty; Each Fined \$50

Tearful and penitent, Bert Crook and Joe Sollars, youthful joy riders, faced Judge Britt in police court Wednesday morning.

They pleaded guilty to having taken the car of Edwin T. Swobe from in front of the Strand theater Tuesday night and with some friends going out on a joy ride.

Judge Britt assessed the fines against Sollars and Crook at \$100 and costs. Later he reduced it to \$50 and costs.

Paul Massey, who was with the two older boys in the car, was not held for participation in the offense. The case was pushed by the Omaha Automobile club.

"Corn-Less Day"

for Feet, Every Day

Use "Geta-It," the Great Corn Discoverer!

Look at the illustration below. See the two fingers peeling off a corn as though it were a banana-peel! And the man is smiling, while his wife is laughing. All done painlessly, joyfully. The moment "Geta-It" touches a corn or callous the growth is doomed. It

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Thursday, May 9, 1918

STORE NEWS FOR FRIDAY

Store Hours: 8:30 A. M. to 6 P. M.

Phone D. 337

Friday Will Be a Day of Wonderful Values in the DOWN STAIRS STORE

Announcing for Friday

Our Semi-Annual Sale of Trimmed Hats

at \$1.00

A TWICE yearly event, to which hundreds of women look forward with eager anticipation—realizing it's the supreme event of the season.

There are large hats trimmed with wings and flowers, small clever turban effects trimmed with quills and ribbon. Lace hats, transparent hats. Hats of almost every possible description, arranged on table for convenient selection at the remarkably low price of \$1.00 for your choice.

The display and variety of selection is the largest we have ever been able to offer at the price—in fact the range of choice is so large that there's a hat here to suit every fancy—a smartly trimmed hat at a price much less than you'd ordinarily expect to pay for the untrimmed shape.

Naturally, like all good things, we anticipate a great response,—the best of course will be scrapped up quickly so we advise an early selection.

No exchanges, No C. O. D's and no refunds.

Burgess-Nash Co.—Down Stairs Store

Extra Special!

29c Children's overalls stripes and solid colors, ages 2 to 6 years at 29c

59c Baby and children's rompers, 6 months to 6 years, gingham and chambrays, neatly trimmed 59c.

35c Children's muslin drawers and corset waist combinations, sizes 1 to 6 years at 35c.

20c Women's hose, black or white cotton, full seamless, very special for Friday at 20c pair.

39c Women's hose, black or white, pure silk, seamless foot, seconds, special at 39c pair.

39c Women's Burson hose, black cotton, split soles, fashioned leg, special at 39c pair.

39c Women's hose, fine quality black cotton with ribbed tops, very special at 39c pair.

50c Women's union suits, fine white cotton, low neck, regular or extra size, 50c.

12 1/2c Wash goods, including 36-inch voile, batiste flaxons, etc., mill ends, to 10 yards, light or dark colors 12 1/2c yd.

25c Gingham, 27 inches wide, stripes, small checks and plain colors at 25c yard.

25c 36 and 40-inch white fancy voiles, neat stripes, plaids, as well as fancy weaves; splendid quality, at 25c a yard.

25c Remnants of wash goods, voiles, batistes, mulls, gingham, poplins, etc., 1 1/2 to 6 yards in length, 27 to 36 inches wide, at 25c a yard.

Extra Special!

25c Silk mulls, 36-inch in a big selection of the leading shades. Very special for Friday at 25c yard.

69c Stamped best quality tubing, day or night pillow cases, standard size, at 69c pair.

10c Peri Lustra crochet cotton, large ball for slippers or sweaters, gray, blue and black 10c ball.

25c Stamped fudge or cooking aprons, on cream art linen, neat designs, at 25c each.

10c Odd numbers of D. M. C. crochet cotton, extra mostly. Very special at 10c ball.

89c Corsets, all well-known fancy batiste in pink and white, embroidery trimmed, low bust, free hip, 89c.

185c Corsets, all well-known makes such as "C. B.," "W. B.," "R. & G.," and "B. N. Special," sizes 19 to 36, at \$1.85.

39c Confiners, pink mesh, open back, with elastic band in back, straps over the shoulder, at 39c.


89c Crochet bed spread, good design, trimmed ends, size 54x79 inches. Special for Friday at 89c.

15c Bleached Turkish towels, size 17x31 inches, good absorbing quality, perfectly hemmed, \$1.69 dozen, 15c each.

25c Homespun crash centerpieces, size 30x30 inches, stitched edge scallop effect, also fancy colored designs on border; each, 25c.

Clearaway of Women's Pumps \$2.19

A special clearaway of several short lines of women's pumps at a price less than the present cost to make.



Women's Pumps

Included are:—

- Women's patent kid pumps.
- Women's patent kid strap pumps.
- Women's white kid pumps.
- Women's gray kid pumps.

Very Special Friday for \$2.19

Women's new four-bar patent pumps, turn soles, \$3.95.
 Women's low heel pump, dull and patent, \$4.85.
 Infants' kid and patent ankle ties, \$1.19.
 Child's Mary Jane pump at pair, \$1.65.
 Child's instep strap pump 8 1/2 to 11, \$2.45.
 Misses' instep strap pump, 11 1/2 to 2, \$2.65.
 Boy's scout shoes of tan elk, solid leather elk soles, \$2.95 and \$2.45

Burgess-Nash Co.—Down Stairs Store

House Dresses \$1.00

Percalé and gingham, light or dark, some have pockets and extra belt, special at \$1.00

Silk Waists 99c

Jap silk waists, hemstitched and tucked, square collar, special value at 99c.

Child's Dresses 59c

Children's gingham and chambray dresses, also combinations, light and dark, sizes 6 to 14 years at 59c.

Burgess-Nash Co.—Down Stairs Store

Clearaway of Men's Shirts 79c

WONDERFUL values for business and work—the materials from which they are made are worth double the price asked two years ago. Good dressy negligee coat styles in late patterns and most favored materials.

There are all sizes from 14 to 17 1/2 neckband

You can't afford to let this opportunity slip by, for the values are really most unusual. Come Friday and buy a season's supply and save generously.

Men's Union Suits 89c.
 Men's halbriggan union suits, for present and summer weather wear at 89c.

Men's Fiber Silk Hose, Friday At 4 Pair, \$1.00.

Fiber silk hose in black and tan, all sizes. Special for Friday at 4 pair for \$1.00.

Burgess-Nash Co.—Down Stairs Store

House Furnishing Specials

- Galvanized Iron garbage cans, with galvanized iron cover with cover lock. 6 quart size, \$1.45. 8 quart size, \$1.85.
- Galvanized iron poultry netting, 1 to 6 feet high, in rolls of 150 running feet, per square foot, 1c.
- Windowboxes, made of heavy lumber painted green. 30 inch size, 59c. 36 inch size, 69c.
- Sapolin screen wire paint, per can, 29c.
- Wall paper cleaner, 8c.
- Johnson's floor wax, pint can, 42c.
- Curtain stretcher, adjustable to several sizes, nickel plated brass pins. Special, 88c.
- Screen wire painted black, square foot, 3c.
- Perfection or puritan oil stoves. Everyone warranted to give satisfaction, smokeless and odorless. 2-burner size, \$13.50. 3-burner size, \$18.00.
- Garden hose, 50 foot length, 4 ply, 3/4 inch size, fully guaranteed, \$5.50.

Burgess-Nash Co.—Down Stairs Store

Notion Sale

Spool cotton, 3 cord white only, dozen, 28c. spool, 2 1/4c. Sanitary belts, good quality saten, perfect fitting. Each 10c.

Hair nets, each, 3c.
 Buttons, dozen, 3c.
 Corset laces, pair, 3c.
 Bias tape, package, 3c.
 Elastic remnants, 3c.
 Twill tape, bolt, 3c.
 Dress buckles, black and colors. Each, 10c.
 Safety Pins, nickel plated, assorted sizes. Dozen, 5c.
 Dress Belting, assorted sizes, yard, 5c and 10c.
 Dress Shields, pair 10c.
 J. & P. Coats spool cotton, 6 cord white or black. Spool 4c.
 White Bias trimming, assorted sizes. Bolt, 7c.
 Dressmakers pins, nickel plated sharp points. Package, 5c.
 Dextons mending cotton, black cord, 15c.
 Rick Rack braid, bolt, 3c.

Burgess-Nash Co.—Down Stairs Store

Boys' Wash Suits Friday 98c

HERE'S a big assortment of boys' wash suits, made of good washable materials, in plain colors and stripes, for ages 2 1/2 to 8 years, special, at 98c.

Boys' Wash Pants, 75c

Boys' wash pants in an almost endless variety of colors and patterns, for ages 6 to 16 years, at 75c.

Boys' School Pants, 79c

Made of good heavy material for hard wear, for ages 6 to 17 years, special, at 79c.

Boys' Shirts and Waists

Splendid assortment of boys' sport shirts and blouses, sizes up to 14 in plain and fancy colors, special Friday at 39c.

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