

SHARP ADVANCE MADE IN PRICES OF MILL FEEDS

Cheaper Flour to Consumer Predicted as Sequel to Cancellation of All Milling Regulations.

Washington, Dec. 20.—Cancellation of all flour milling regulations, including fair price schedules and the price and quantity restrictions on the sale of wheat flour by millers, which officials expect will result in cheaper flour, was formally announced late today by the food administration.

Notification of the action was telegraphed last night to all zone agents of the food administration's grain corporation and today there was a sharp rise in the price of wheat bran and other mill feeds on the Minneapolis market which officials expect to be followed by a drop in flour prices.

Unfair Practices Under Ban.
Existing regulations restricting margins of profit on flour and mill feeds remain in effect as do general regulations of the food administration prohibiting profiteering, hoarding and unfair practices, and officials said these would be strictly enforced.

The prediction of cheaper flour to the consumer, it was stated at the food administration, is based on the immediate rise today in the price of mill feeds, amounting to several dollars a ton. Close observation of the market trend in flour and mill feeds, made by the food administration's milling division and grain experts, it was said, showed that with every upward movement of feeds came a fall in the price of flour on a basis of an average drop of three and four-hundredths cents a barrel on flour to every \$1 a ton increase on mill feed.

Bran Makes Big Jump.
Minneapolis, Dec. 20.—The price of bran jumped from \$27.73 to \$46 a ton here today, the sudden rise being due to the removal of all milling restrictions by the government.

Victor Parrish of the food administration's office says the orders here mentioned will make little change in the situation as flour restrictions have been practically removed for more than a month. Strict measures against profiteering will be taken, however.

Abe Braniff Gets Sentence of Year in Federal Prison

A federal jury returned a verdict of guilty in the case of Abe Braniff yesterday. Braniff was charged with stealing from a shipment of interstate freight, and was sentenced to one year and one day in the federal prison.

PHOTOPLAYS.
LOTHROP 24th and Lothrop
LILLIAN WALKER in "THE EMBARRASSMENT OF RICHES"

RIALTO
A. H. Blank
Presents for First Time Here
FLORENCE REED
in "TO DAY"

STUN
BESSIE BARRISCALE
in "TWO GUN BETTY"

MUSE
Carmel Myers
in "ALL NIGHT"

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Strands
DIRECTOR A. H. BLANK
SLIPPERS—HUSBAND—Nother Man—DIVORCE—SCANDAL

CONSTANCE TALMADGE
In Her Comedy Drama, "MR. LEFFINGWELL'S BOOTS"
Also Two-Part Comedy, "Pathe News"
At 11, 1, 3, 5, 6:30, 8:00 and 9:30.

Germer Says He Often Had Sausage and Beer With Victor L. Berger

Chicago, Dec. 20.—Cross examination of Adolph Germer, general secretary of the national socialist party, was concluded today at the trial of five socialist leaders charged with conspiracy to violate the espionage laws.

Germer denied responsibility for many of the anti-war activities with which he is charged by the government.

In reply to questions, Germer expressed the opinion that the socialist proclamation and war program adopted at the St. Louis convention and circulated in several languages, if taken as a whole, was not pro-German. He stated that Victor L. Berger, one of the defendants visited socialist headquarters about once a month. Mr. Fleming asked him what they talked about on these occasions.

"He always asked me to come down town to eat sausage and drink beer," answered the witness.

"Is that all you talked about?" pursued the lawyer.

"Yes, that is about all."

Santa Claus Organization Asks Salvation Army Aid

New York, Dec. 20.—Because the work has become "so vast this year as to overwhelm it," the Santa Claus Association of America, which supplies poor children in 20 of the largest cities with Christmas gifts, has asked the Salvation Army to take over the organization, it was announced here last night. The 20,000 members have pledged themselves to continue their activities, which include sending gifts to the thousands of children who write to Santa Claus through the mails.

Oederlin Will Inspect Prison Camps at German Request

Salt Lake City, Dec. 20.—Frederick Oederlin, charge d'affaires of the Swiss legation at Washington, and Louis Henri Junod, Swiss consul at New York, arrived in Salt Lake tonight and tomorrow will begin a two days' inspection of the third war prison camp at Fort Douglas for the German government. Oederlin played a prominent part during the war in transmitting peace notes between Germany and President Wilson.

Street Car Wrecked.

Street cars on the Harney line were tied up for one hour Friday when a car split a switch at Thirtieth and Parker streets and was derailed. The accident occurred about 7 o'clock. No one was injured.

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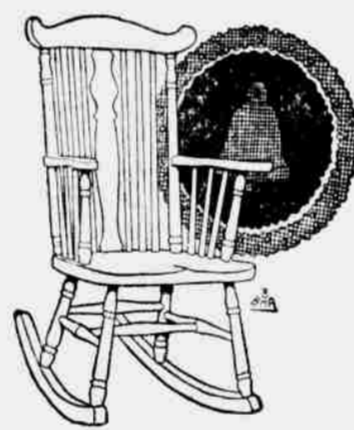
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