

CARP CAVIAR CLOSES AT 58 1/2.

Drawn for The Bee by Sidney Smith

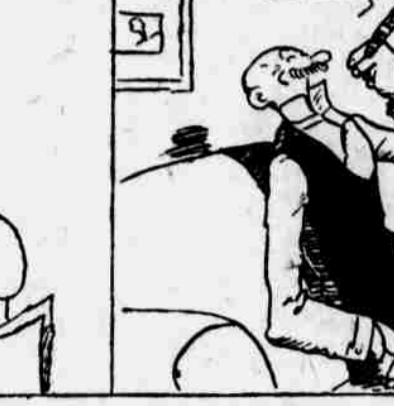
THE GUMPS—

ONLY UP A HALF A POINT YESTERDAY—THAT'S \$2,000... GEE! IT SEEMS TOO GOOD TO BE TRUE TO THINK THAT ANDY GUMP IS AT LAST RICH—

NO MORE WORRY ABOUT MONEY—NO MORE SCRAMPLING—GET ANYTHING YOU PLEASE—GO WHERE YOU WANT—BUY ANYTHING YOU SEE—HOP ON A BOAT AND GO TO EUROPE—

GOLF—FISHING—YACHTING—CLOTHES—I CAN SEE MYSELF SITTING ON THE DECK OF COMMODORE GUMP'S YACHT—Minnie—A warm summer's afternoon—White flannels—Sipping cool refreshing drinks that have procured from neighboring islands.

THEY'RE GOING! THERE GOES ONE OF THOSE NEBS THAT WOULDN'T LISTEN TO ME—LAUGHED AT ME—TRIED TO WHISPER A FORTUNE INTO HIS EAR AND YOU'D THINK HE WAS TRYING TO STEAL HIS WATCH—GO ON! YOU BARNACLE ON THE SHIP OF INDUSTRY—YOU YELLOWHAMMER—GO TO WORK!



HEAVY RAINS IN ALL SECTIONS DELAYS CROPS

Nebraska County Agents Optimistic Over Stand of Small Grains—Cold May Hurt Corn

Weekly Crop Bulletin of the Agricultural Bureau of the Omaha Chamber of Commerce.

Part of the country shows disappointment with the weather conditions which have developed during the past week. Generally, however, the first two days of the week admitted of farm work in the Missouri valley, though light showers fell on both days in many localities. Corn planting was under way pretty generally all over Iowa and Nebraska. Tuesday night's rain, however, put a stop to all farming operations in the corn belt east of the Loup river in Nebraska. The rains were heaviest north and east, Sioux City reporting two inches, Des Moines, 2.26 inches, South Dakota which needed dry weather and sunshine more than any western district was in the path of the heaviest precipitation and has a gloomy outlook on account of delay in completing seeding of small grains, though where seeding is done the weather is satisfactory as a rule. All small grains are doing well in Iowa except in some fields in the north central district which got too much rain during the week. Numerous reports have come to this office from county agents in Nebraska who are enthusiastic about the planting of winter wheat, other small grain, alfalfa and pastures, especially in the southern and eastern parts of the state. The sunshine and normal temperatures of last week put the magic touch of spring on all vegetation. But some anxiety is expressed for the start of the growing season as it is often of doubtful quality and none but the best seed will give a good stand when the weather turns cold and wet after planting.

The dry parts of Texas, Oklahoma and Kansas got an abundance of rain, central and northern Texas reporting five to six inches, Missouri and Arkansas were also in the path of this southern precipitation, Missouri stations on Thursday reporting as high as 2.52. The weather continues cool east of the Mississippi river through to the Atlantic coast. Freezing temperatures were recorded over the great lakes and New England states, the temperature in the latter district ranging from 3 to 6 degrees below normal. The low temperatures of the last half of the week gave very light frosts at many points but damage is reported even to very tender vegetation. Fruit bloom is so abundant that it is generally believed a full crop of fruit will "set," though cool, cloudy weather is not generally favorable to successful pollination of fruit bloom.

COLORED C. OF C. MAKES PLANS FOR VARIED PROGRAM

To Name Commissioner Soon—Employment Bureau and School for Girls Proposed.

A commissioner for the recently-formed colored Chamber of Commerce at 2410 Lake street will be chosen soon, it was announced Saturday. The executive committee of the chamber, of which E. W. Pryor is chairman, has also planned to start an employment bureau for colored men and women in the North. Another proposed feature of the chamber is a domestic science department for colored girls. The chamber also plans to rent a room for Roosevelt post of the American Legion. This room will also be used for community work. Efforts to secure a playground will be continued. The district large enough to permit base ball will also be made. Members of the executive committee of the colored Chamber of Commerce are: E. W. Pryor, Dan J. Hutton, A. P. Scruggs, Dan Deschamps, H. J. Finkler, J. O. Williams, S. H. Dorsey, Al Jones, P. T. Mahammit, James A. Clark, Dr. L. E. Britt, Rev. W. F. Botts, Joseph Carr and Dr. Amos B. Madison. Other committees will be the same as those of the Omaha Chamber of Commerce, and the committees of each organization will cooperate on matters of general interest.

Thousands Reached in Nebraska and Iowa by Salvation Army Relief

During 1919, 3,111 families in Nebraska and Iowa were extended relief by the Salvation Army, according to a report of the activities of the corps in the two states, completed Saturday. This relief included 2,626 persons. In the two states the total number of persons reached, according to the report, was 26,753. The cost of the relief work was \$13,078.53, according to the report. A detailed statement of the activities of the corps follows: Christmas dinners... 2,874; presents... 2,674; supplied with meals... 1,856; supplied with soap... 5,542; given transportation... 1,065; provided with clothing... 10,625; garments given... 14,158; hours assisting poor... 28,871; pairs shoes given... 12,872; shoes given... 5,542; new garments given... 1,581; applicants for employment... 152; men supplied outside... 25; women supplied outside... 25; men sent to own institutions... 85; women sent to own institutions... 71; given medical aid... 74; mothers' summer outings... 71; Father's summer outings... 71; families relieved... 3,111; families summer outings... 9,626; children's attendance at... 26,753; children's attendance at... 26,753; Milk to sick babies... 2,024.95.

Two Women and Man Given 10 Years as Blackhanders

Chicago, May 16.—Two women and a man, Sicilians and alleged members of the notorious blackhand society, were sentenced to 10 years imprisonment by Judge Mack in the United States court. One of the women is the mother of seven children. Those convicted are: Mrs. Lucia Napolitano, Mrs. Filippa Martello and Vita Pizzuto. They were on trial in a group of 12 of whom six were acquitted, the jury deciding as to the other three. They were charged with a number of Lombard and other terrorist tactics when persons they had chosen to blackmail failed to respond to demands. In many cases their victims came across and thus were listed as regular contributors.

Lighting Pictures. Burgess Grand Co.—Adv.

Bonds and Notes

Table listing various bonds and notes with columns for type, amount, and price.

Market, Financial and Industrial News of the Day

Live Stock

Receipts were: Cattle, Hogs, Sheep, Official Monday... 6,228 13,102 6,711; Official Tuesday... 7,246 14,725 8,069; Official Wednesday... 4,345 10,515 12,558; Official Thursday... 4,283 10,495 14,140; Official Friday... 3,822 12,461 2,827; Estimate Saturday... 5,500 2,000 200; Total... 31,244 87,401 50,000.

Omaha Grain

Grain arrivals today totaled 47 cars against 106 cars last Saturday and 82 cars near 800 arrivals by car lots were... Wheat... 1.84; Corn... 1.12; Barley... 1.15; Rye... 1.15.

Financial

The New York Times. Chicago Tribune-Omaha Bee Leased Wire. New York, May 16.—One favorable aspect of a generally unfavorable credit and business situation is the present success railroad companies of excellent resources are having in raising new capital.

Chicago Grain

By CHARLES D. MICHAELS. Chicago Tribune-Omaha Bee Leased Wire. Chicago, May 15.—While all deliveries of corn sold at new high figures on the crop early, the best prices were not maintained, due to profit-taking. On the declines there was good support from commission houses and the close was 3/4c higher.

Omaha Produce

Wholesale prices of best cuts are as follows: No. 1 rib, 14c; No. 2 rib, 13c; No. 3 rib, 12c; No. 4 rib, 11c; No. 5 rib, 10c; No. 6 rib, 9c; No. 7 rib, 8c; No. 8 rib, 7c; No. 9 rib, 6c; No. 10 rib, 5c; No. 11 rib, 4c; No. 12 rib, 3c; No. 13 rib, 2c; No. 14 rib, 1c; No. 15 rib, 0c.

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Northwestern Receipts

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Two-room house with oak and bath, \$3,500; 2 1/2 room house with oak and bath, \$4,500.

Two Lot Bargains

Two lots in Omaha for sale. Lot 1, 1/2 acre, \$1,500; Lot 2, 1/4 acre, \$1,000.

Buy From Owner

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