Nebraska Solon Asserts Packer Laws Necessary

McLaughlin Denics Charge That Retailers Responsible For High Meat Prices; Cites 1919-1921 Costs.

By E. C. SNYDER. Washington Correspondent Omaha Bee. Washington, May 27. — (Special Telegram.) — Congressman Mc-Laughlin of the Fourth Nebraska district, who has given deep study to packer legislation from the viewpoint of the farmer and stock raiser, as a member of the house committee on agriculture which reported the packer bill now under consideration by the house, held the attention of that body in support of the measure today. He insisted that, after reading the thousands of pages of testimony taken by the committee during the past and present session port of the federal trade commission, the necessity for supervision legislation affecting the packing in-

other things, McLaughlin said: "No one desires to hinder or eminto account the interests of the producer, the distributor and the consumer, to the end that each may re-ceive just and proportionate consid-

Denies Charge.

"The charge made by Everett C. ers are wholly responsible for present high prices is not true to fact. "I have recently compared the

prices on 33 retail products in the city of Washington, including seven packer products, and have found that these items are 47 per cent lower now than they were two years ago and 38 per cent lower than they were one year ago. I find also in comparing the prices of stock on foot and the prices charged by the packers for their finished products, that while the packers paid \$15.85 a hundred for cattle on foot during April 1919, and only paid \$8.25 a hundred in April, 1921, yet the wholesale price of the packers beef products were only 33.6 per cent lower in April, 1921, than they were in April, 1919, notwithstanding the fact that the packers paid 92 per cent more for cattle on foot in 1919 than they did in 1921.

Retail Drop Greater.

Making the same comparison of

of prewar of products were only 30.8 per cent less in April, 1921, than they were in April, 1921, than they were in April, 1921, than they were than both the wholesale prices of pork and pork products were only 30.8 per cent less in April, 1921, than they were in April, 1919. These figures had been a constant that the wholesale prices of pork and pork products were only 30.8 per cent less in April, 1921, than they were in April, 1919. These figures is a constant to Chicago via River-to-River Road—Road from recent rains. Omaha to Chicago via River-to-River Road—Road from recent rains. Omaha to Chicago via River-to-River Road—Road from recent rains. Omaha to Chicago via River-to-River Road—Road from recent rains. Omaha to Chicago via River-to-River Road—Road from recent rains. Omaha to Chicago via River-to-River Road—Road from recent rains. Omaha to Chicago via River-to-River Road—Road from recent rains. Omaha to Chicago via River-to-River Road—Road from recent rains. Omaha to Chicago via River-to-River Road—Road from recent rains. Omaha to Chicago via River-to-River Road—Road from recent rains. Omaha to Chicago via River-to-River Road—Road from recent rains. Omaha to Chicago via River-to-River Road—Road from recent rains. Omaha to Chicago via River-to-River Road—Road from recent rains. Omaha to Chicago via River-to-River Road—Road from recent rains. Omaha to Chicago via River-to-River Road—Road from recent rains. Omaha to Chicago via River-to-River Road—Road from recent rains. Omaha to Chicago via River-to-River Road—Road from recent rains. Omaha to Chicago via River-to-River Road—Road from recent rains. Omaha to Chicago via River-to-River Road—Road from recent rains. Omaha to Chicago via River-to-River Road—Road from recent rains. Omaha to Chicago via River-to-River Road—Road from recent rains. Omaha to Chicago via River-to-River Road—Road from recent rains. Omaha to Chicago via River-to-River Road—Road from recent rains. Omaha to Chicago via River-to-River Road—Road from recent rains. Omaha to Chicago via Rive pork and pork products, we find that the retailer have dropped prices, but the drop in retail prices is greater proportionately than the drop in wholesale prices.
"No one contends," he said, "that

the proposed legislation will cure all of the ills of our distributing, but we do believe that such supervisory legislation, supplemented by the advantage of co-operative efforts among the producers and consumers. eventually will result in such changes to the present marketing system as will meet the needs and requirements of the entire public."

Memorial Services to Be

of the former secretary of the in- with me. After every meal my food terior. Mrs. Lane has returned to would sour, and I suffered terribly Washington and it is expected her from indigestion and bloating. My husband's ashes will find their resting place here.

Downtown Programs.

Rialto-Douglas MacLean in "The

Home Stretch. Sun-Bert Lytell in "A Message Strand-Mae Murray in Moon-Doraldina in "Passion

Empress-"The Road of Ambi

Muse-"The Roundup." Neighborhood Houses. · Grand-"The Mutiny of the Elsi

Hamilton-Tom Mix in "A Rough Riding Romance.'

Lillian Gish is to play on the stage in the fall, co-starring with arrold Duly in his repertoire comat the Greenwich Village

Lillian had several picture offers, but rejecte I them. Her sister, Dorothy, who has never been on the stage, will try out

a play in Canada this summer with her husband, James Rennie.

Viola Dana, Bert Lytell, Gareth Hughes and Alice Lake have all renewed their contracts with Metro.

Gladys Brockwell, former Fox star but absent from the screen for nearly a year, is to return in a new play now being made at Mayer

Dore's "Crucifixion," Da Vinci's "Last Supper," Titian's "Sacred and Profane Love," Raphael's "Madonna," Michael Angelo's "Daniel," Dore's "The Nativity" and other famous paintings are being reproduced for use in the "Unfoldment," being produced by George H. Kern.

"Doug" Fairbanks is about midway in his picturization of "The Three Musketeers," from the famous book of the same name,

T. H. Matters Is Now No. 16,338 In Federal Prison

Thomas H. Matters, wealthy Omaha attorney, became Prisoner No. 16,338 in the rederal penitenary at Leavenworth, Kan.

He will be assigned to clerical vork Monday. "We are in need of this kind of elp," said Warden A. C. Anderson. Matters took his confinement as a natter of course

"He appeared to be a very quiet man and made no comment while he was being enrolled," according to the warden. Matters appeared at the prison

but was refused admit-Thursday, tance until his commitment papers Matters was sentenced to a fiveyear term for alleged violation of

U. P. Asks Authority of I.

with a Sutton, Neb., bank

C. C. to Guarantee Bonds Washington, May 27.-The Union 'acific Railroad company asked auof congress and examining the re- thority of the Interstate Commerce commission today to guarantee \$14,-755,500 of the first refunding mortgage bonds of the Oregon-Washdustry became a necessity. Among ington Railroad and Navigation company, which it now owns and which are to be excharged as part payment "No one desires to hinder or em-harrass any person in the conduct to W. A. Clarke for his share of the claim is also made that the duty of fair and legitimate business. The proposed legislation is intended to be constructive and helpful, taking

Oldest Californian Dies

At 110 in County Poor Farm Los Angeles, Cal., May 27.-Mrs. Myrem S. Kline, said to have been the oldest person in California, died Brown and others to the effect that at the county hospital here today, wholesale prices had come down to a prewar level and that the retail-ers are wholly responsible for presfor several years.

Road Condition Bulletin

Nebraska Chamber of Commerce. Omaha, Lincoln and Denver—Good. Lincoln Highway—Good cast end. V Gibbon detour one mile south to Kear-ey. East of Gibbon detour one-half mile outh out of Shelton. New bridge six outh out of Shelton. New bridge six niles east of Schuyler; no detour neces-

Golden Rod Highway-Good North c ounty line some newly worked road. Washington Memorial Highway—Good King of Trails—Fair to north end.

King of Trails—Fair to north end,
Omaha-Topcka Highway—Fair,
Cornhusker Highway—Fair,
Meridan Road—Good,
Black Hills Stoux Trail—Good,
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Black Hills, Loup River and Omaha—Fair, Bad near Stuart,
Blue Fole Road—Good west end, Fair
east end, Detour at Battle Creek, go two
miles east, then north on Blue Pole,
Grading east from Battle Creek on Blue
Pole toward Norfolk,
Highland Cutoff—Good,
Alfalfa Trail—Fair,
Central Nebraska and Loup River Highway—Heavy rains in vicinity of Loup
City.

Sunflower Trail-Fine. Bridges being re aired and replaced. Burlington Way—Good, North Platte Valley Highway—Fair

Mrs. Atwell Says She Feels Like a New Woman and Never Has an Ache

or Pain.

"When I started taking Tanlac I only weighed 95 pounds, but the medicine has actually built me up to 125 pounds and made me feel like a Held Sunday for F. K. Lane new woman," was the remarkable Washington, May 27.—Memorial statement made the other day by services for the late Franklin K. Mrs. Pearl Atwell of 1618 Washing-Lane will be held lere Sunday in St. ton street, Kansas City, Mo. Tohns church, conducted by Rev. "My stomach was so disordered otton Smith, who was a close friend that everything seemed to disagree heart palpitated so frightfully at times it alarmed me, and I often be-

came so dizzy I could hardly stay on my fect. My head ached terribly and I was so nervous and restless I ould scarcely sleep at night. I finally got so weak and rundown I couldn't attend to my work, and I simply felt miserable. "Tanlac was recommended to me

so highly by several of my friends who had taken it, that I decided to try it myself, and the very first bottle helped me wonderfully. Eight bottles have ended my troubles and built me up to my full health and strength, and I can work all day now without getting tired out. Everything agrees with me perfectly, I never have an ache or pain, and feel fine in every way. I'm just in splendid health, and wouldn't be without Tanlac in the house. I will be glad to verify this statement for anyone."



Gas Department

Spirited Fight On in House Over **Duty on Hides**

Opposition Claims Increase in Price of Shoes and Harness Will Offset Advantages To Farmers.

By E. C. SNYDER. Washington Correspondent Omaha Bee. Washington, May 27 .- (Special l'elegram.)-A spirited contest has hides. been going on in the ways and means committee over the duty on hides. Upwards of 140 members of the house signed a petition for a duty year term for alleged violation of and the subcommittee on the agri-national banking laws in connection cultural schedule, of which Mr. Hawley of Oregon is chairman, is under-

stood to be divided upon it, but like-

ly to report against a duty. Those on the committee who are opposed to the duty state that while originally in favor of it, an examination into the subject has convinced them that it will do the farmer no good. They state that the addition to the price of boots and shoes, harness and other leather goods would cost the farmer more that he would gain if he received would benefit no one but the packers, who pay for cattle according to the value of the beef, regardless of the hides and it would enable the packers to drive out of business the independent tanners and give the tanning establishments of the pack-

ers a monopoly. It is expected that

if hides are put on the free list, ordinary leather boots, shoes and harness also will be put on the free

Hides were free under both the Underwood and the Payne bills, but as the Payne bill gave a duty on leather, boots, shoes and harness, the omission of hides from the protective list gave rise to a lively fight when that bill was reported to house. The measure is likely to be repealed if hides are put on the tree list in the pending bill.

Those favoring a duty insist that the boot and shoe manufacturers have taken advantage of free hides without making any corresponding reductions to the consumer and that prices of goods in which leather enters would not necessarily be raised by a reasonable duty on

Congressman Green of Iowa ranking member of the ways and means committee, is committeed to the proposition that the permanent tariff bill upon which the committee is laboriously at work, must raise \$500,000,000 through revenues, otherwise the bill, if the revenue feature not written into it, will not raise \$1,000,000 more than the Underwood law now in force.

Ban on Wheat Importation

Raised by French Chamber Paris, May 27 .- The French cab. inet today decided to authorize the immediate and unrestricted importation of wheat into France.

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Bowen's 1921 Prices

Are From 30 to 60% Lower Than 1920 Prices

We took our loss last fall. Today we offer you clean, fresh merchandise purchased this year, at this year's prices, and offer you in savings this difference in money amounting to many dollars in refurnishing any one room, or hundreds of dollars if you are furnishing the home complete.

Simmons Beds

an all-metal bed in all finishes; sold and used in every city in the States, they immediately impress one by the character of their construction and finish. Always a value-they, today, are still greater values



\$22.50 Beds, \$9.75 \$27.50 Beds, \$13.75 \$32.00 Beds, \$14.95 \$85.00 Beds, \$44.25

Salisbury-Satterlee Beds

The Salisbury-Satterlee Steel Beds are shown by us in mahogany, white and ivory finishes. This is a bed that is particularly pleasing in construction, and one that will give you years of satisfactory service.

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\$30.00	Beds	now	۲		. \$	13.	75	į

Grand Rapids Refrigerators

A refrigerator nationally known for its superior quali-ty is offered you at the Bowen Store at a saving of many

The Grand Rapids Refrigerator is so substantially built and so scientifically constructed that maximum refrigeration is secured with minimum ice consumption.

\$17.50 to \$49.50

Drapery Materials and Curtains

store to offer the most beautiful materials in new Cretonnes and Sunfast fabrics at a decided saving in money.

In a bewildering variety of patterns and color combinations for slip covers, window or door hangings, cushions, screens, bed spreads, etc. The quality, variety and savings are most exceptional.

65c Value for 39c -

50 pieces, about 2,500 yards of high grade bordered Marquisette and Voile in Ecru, White and Cream shades. This is only a small lot on special from 8 to 9 o'clock Saturday morning. So come early.

- Only 39c per yard

Exceptional Offering_

3,000 pair of Nottingham Curtains. A special purchase. All 21/2 yards long, in Cream, White or Come Early and Pick Your Choice.

\$1.59 per pair

Filet Net Curtains in Ivory color, 21/2 yards long. Small all-over patterns with pretty borders, wonderful values. Filet Net Curtains in Ivory colors, 2 1/2 yards long. Plain

centers, most very pretty borders, some trimmed with edging to match. Special sale price,

Imported Lace Curtains

Three patterns of White Web Curtains in Irish Point, Maric Antoinette and Battenberg designs. Former prices were \$7.25 to \$10.00 per pair. Your choice \$4.95 of any pattern at, per pair. Six patterns of White Net Curtains in Brussels, Swiss and Marie Antoinette patterns. Mounted on finest quality French Bobbinet. Former prices were \$12.00 to \$8.45 \$16.00 per pair. Choice of any pattern, pair,



HOWARD AT SIXTEENTH

PHONE ATLANTIC 3400 -

Saturday Is Dollar Day in the Bargain Annex!

BEFORE TUESDAY (We close Monday, Memorial Day). Great preparations have been made to accommodate and satisfy the crowds of buyers attending Saturday's great feast of bargains. Many special purchases have arrived from the Eastern markets-many broken lots have accumulated-great quantities of limited selections have been assembled-in fact, the cream of the Reorganization Sale bargains are ready for your selection.

Lunch Kits, \$3.95

A necessary article for the motorist - complete with

Basement-Hardware

Thermos Bottles, \$1.00

Make your holiday complete-take along a Thermos Bottle. Every one guaranteed.

Main Floor-Front Room

Saturday's Sales Will Establish a Selling Precedent

Over a Thousand New Blouses—"Picked Up" at a Price—On Sale in the Annex Saturday—Every One a Beauty—Hardly Any Two That Are Alike No Approvals, No Delays-See 16th St. Windows

No Mail Orders-None Reserved

\$3.00 and \$4.00

Lingerie Blouses, \$1

Dainty Sheer White Blouses

beautifully trimmed in finest

laces and all-over embroidery

effects in over-blouses and

loose front and back models.

all sizes, and positively the

greatest values ever shown

at the ridiculously low price;

values to \$4. In \$1.00 the Annex Sat.

French Beaded Bags

in Remarkable Sale

for Saturday

Beaded Bags-made to sell at \$15.00, \$18.00 and \$20.00

Your Choice

\$8.89

on Sale Saturday

An extremely fortunate pur-

chase of Beaded Bags have

arrived just in time for Sat-

urday's Sale, genuine French

hand beaded - exquisite designs. The quanity is limited. We advise early selection.

Blouses Made to Sell at \$7.50, \$8.95, \$10 on Sale Saturday

You will want several of these wonderful blouses when you see them. Never in Omaha have such elegant blouses sold at so low a price, right when you need them. Come early and get first

Two Unusual "Specials" for Saturday in the Shoes Choice of This Lot of Shoes

\$1.95

Values to \$4.50 Big Girls' Patent and Kid Foxed Lace Shoeswith white Nile cloth tops, values to \$7.50. Men's and Women's all leather turn sole "Gym" shoes. Will make an ideal house shoe; values Misses' and Childs' patent foxed lace and button shoes; values to \$4.50. Choice of This Lot of Shoes

\$4.45 Values to \$10.50

Men's and Women's Shoes at less than replace-Men's Glazed Horse and Gunmetal Bluchers with Goodyear welt soles; values to \$7.50. Women's Fine Black and Brown Vici Kid, welt sole shoes with leather French heels-values to \$10.50.

A Few Extra Special Dollar Inducements (Front Room-Main Floor) \$2.00 Silver-Plated Candlesticks, very at-\$2.00 and \$2.50 Silver-Plated Engraved

Buy Your Season's Supply of Hosiery Saturday

Women's Pure Thread Silk Hose, full fashioned, large assortment of light colors; excellent values; sold regularly at \$2.25. Women's Thread and Fibre Silk Hose, semi-fashioned, hemmed and ribbed tops; regular and extra sizes; black, white, cordovan and navy. \$1.00 Specially priced Saturday only at.... Women's Cotton Lisle Hose in black with white regulars of 75c quality.

3 pairs for... Children's Cotton Hose in black, white \$1.00 and cordovan; first quality. 4 pairs for \$1.00 Infants' Fancy Roll Top Socks, large \$1.00 Summer Underwear Re-Marked Lower for Saturday

lin Top Petticoats, trimmed with lace \$1.98 Batiste Gowns and Chemise, trimmed with lace and embroidery Second Floor Women's Silk Lisle Vests, bodice top,

for 50c Women's Fine Lisle Union Suits, band or bodice top, tight knee or shell bottom; regular and extra sizes. or shell bottom; regular and extra sizes; ing Suits-wool, wool and cotton and cotton.

"Dollar Day" in the Annex
\$1.00 DEALS
Deal No. 1 \$_\$1.25 Hughes' Ideal Hair Brush. Deal No. 2-3 Palm Olive Soap, 3 Creme Oil Soap, 4 Peets Tar Soap, 1 Woodbury Soap.

Deal No. 4-1 75c Shave Brush, 1 35c Williams Shave Stick. Deal No. 5-Assorted Talcum, 25c value, at 8 cans for \$1.00. Deal No. 6—1 50c Armand Face Powder, 1 Pond's Vanishing Cream, 1 50c Milkweed Cream, 1 20c Powder Puff. ANNEX SPECIALS IN HOSIERY Women's Fine Lisle Hose, regular and extra sizes. Black, white and Cordovan. Regular 59c values. Our Sale imperfect, worth 75c. Sale Price, 3 pairs ... \$1.00

Children's Fine Ribbed Cotton Hose, light weight; formerly sold at 35c the pair. Sale Price, 5 pairs \$1.00 van, first quality, sold at 50c, 3 pairs \$1.00 Batiste and Nainsook Chemise and Combination Suits for stouts, trimmed with lace and embroidery; regular \$1.50 and \$1.75 values.

Women's Fine Cotton Hose in black and white,

\$1.00 Lard Specials 9 pounds Cone Leaf Lard \$1.00 8 pounds Pure Rendered Lard \$1.00 9 cans large size Carnation Milk

12 cans Fancy Sweet Sugar Corn for\$1.00

Manufacturer's Sample Sale of Men's All-Wool and Cotton Bathing Suits \$2.00 and \$3.00 Cotton | \$8.00 and \$12.00 Men's Bathing Suits Bathing Suits \$4.00 \$1.00

\$8.95 and \$10 Blouses While

This Lot Lasts

high-class blouses, made of 'Stewart's' Georgette,

which name in Georgette is the same as "Sterl-

ing." Every new spring and summer color is

here and a bright pretty lot they are—all the latest models in slip-over, tie-backs and blouse effects, daintily trimmed in fine tucks and beauty

In the Annex

Very Special Items for Your Vacation Needs-Priced Low for Saturday Three Lots of New Neckwear-Underpriced 1st Lot-Fine Venise and Embroidered Organdy

Collars in White, Ecru and fancy eolors, \$1.00 values, sale price...... 2d Lot-Lace and Embroidered Collars and Collar and Cuff Sets, also fine embroidered and lace vestees; \$1.75 and \$2.00

3d Lot-Three-Piece Sets-Collar Cuffs and

Children's Parasols

Just the thing for Decoration Day Outings— new dainty designs. Prices 50c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$1.60.

Men's \$2.00 Union Suits

3,000 Men's Union Suits, made from the finest yarns—with Cooper Spring Needle Machine—All sizes, colors in Ecru and white, values to \$2— Saturday \$1.00.

Men's Silk Fibre Wash Ties Four for \$1.00

Men's All-Silk and Silk Fibre Wash Ties, beautiful assortment of patterns. Men's 75c Silk Fibre Hose

Three for \$1.00

Men's Silk Fibre Hose, irregulars; colors in white, brown, black, gray and blue. Men's Collars and Shirts

9 Men's Soft Collars for \$1.00 Three-Tourth of a dozen Silk Stripe and Madras Collars for men-all sizes. Less than one-half the

Shirts Worth to \$2.50 for \$1.00

The biggest \$1.00 Shirt value ever shown-Madras, Percales-all sizes. Values to \$2.50.

Final "Clean-up" Sale of Slipover Sweaters in all

Bungalow Aprona 50 Dozen New Bungalow Aprons, excellent materials, cut in full sizes-Children's Dresses

values hard to duplicate at

double the price-

89c 100 Dozen Children's Dresses, sizes 6 to 14 years. These are \$2.00

"Dollar Day" in the Annex
18x20-inch Round Porch Pillows, cretonne covered, 79c Bargain Annex 36-inch Check Scrim, white only, 25c value, Dollar Day, at 36-inch Scrim, with colored borders in blue and pink, Dollar Bargain Annex Bargain Annex FLAGS American Flags, 3x5 feet, fast colors. Flags, ½ silk, on staff, size 12x16 inches, 5 for COTTON GOODS ANNEX Fancy Tucked Bath Towels, 3 for.....

 Fancy Tucked Bath Towels, 3 for
 \$1.00

 Plain White Turkish Towels, 4 for
 \$1.00

 Huck Towels, 9 for
 \$1.00

 Pillow Cases, good quality, 42x36, 4 for
 \$1.00

 Bleached Muslin, 36 inches, 7 yards for
 \$1.00

 TOHET COOPS

 TOILET GOODS Pure Castile Soap, full 3-lb. bar, special at 79¢

 25c Mum
 19c

 75c Hair Brush
 39c

 25c Zinc Stearate
 19c

 25c Mavis Talcum
 17c

\$1.00 DAY IN THE GROCERY

4 No. 21/2 cans fancy half or whole | 12 cans Early June Peas....\$1.00

Peaches in heavy syrup...\$1.00 20 lbs. Blue Rose Head Rice ..\$1.00 41/6 lbs. Our Famous Santos Blend Coffe for\$1.00 15 packages Best Domestic Spa-9 cans large size Pet Milk. ..\$1.00 for\$1.00 ghetti or Macaroni\$1.00 24-lb. sack best High-Grade Flour 10 packages Jello, assorted flavors, 4 cans Hawaiian Sliced Pineapple

Crepe de Chine Chemise, trimmed with lace and Georgette crepe; Batiste and Nainsook Gowns and Chemise, trimmed with lace and embroidery; Mus-

Deal No. 3-1 35c Tooth Brush, 2 Pepsodent Tooth Paste.

and lace yoke. \$1.00

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