

Drawn for The Bee by Sidney Smith

Food Prices Drop 15 Per Cent Here

Within 12 Months Retail Prices in 16 Principal Cities 12 to 18 Per Cent Lower Than Year Ago.

Washington, Jan. 12.—Retail prices in 16 principal cities in the United States during 1921, ending December 15 last, the bureau of labor statistics announced today.

During the month from November 15 to December 15, 1921, 12 of the cities reported decreases in food prices and two reported increases.

Decreases during the month ending December 15 included: Indianapolis and Salt Lake City, 17 per cent; Minneapolis and Washington, 16 per cent; Omaha, 15 per cent; Chicago and New York, 12 per cent.

Nonpartisan Fight Expensive to State

Lincoln, Jan. 12.—(Special.)—Action of the Nonpartisan league in circulating referendum petitions against four laws passed by the legislature will cost the state nearly as much as the special session.

D. M. Amshery, secretary of state, asserts that printing of pamphlets containing the four laws to voters as demanded by the special session will cost the state nearly as much as the special session.

U. P. Seeks to Discontinue Two Trains to Spalding

Lincoln, Jan. 12.—(Special.)—The Union Pacific railroad has filed a petition with the state railroad commission to discontinue trains No. 509 and 510, running from Genoa to Spalding.

South Side Four Stills and Much Booze Seized in Raid

Four stills, 45 gallons of alleged corn whisky and 2,000 gallons of mash were taken by Police Sgt. Murphy and his booze squad in a raid at 11 Thursday afternoon on the home of Alberico Velleio, 3216 A street.

Four Go to Jail on Charge of Stoning Automobile

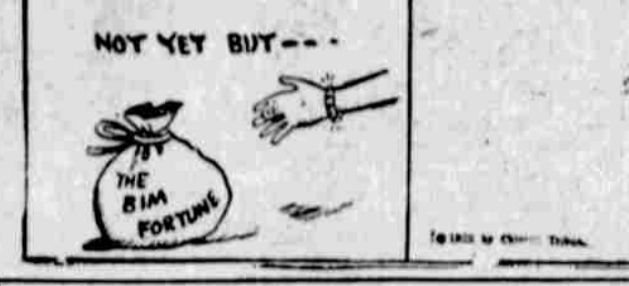
Charged with throwing bricks at automobiles on Dahman boulevard, Walter Phillips, 4309 South Twenty-sixth street; Thomas Kasat, 4112 South Twenty-ninth street; Joe Zena, 4211 South Twenty-ninth street, and John Tulek, 4308 South Twenty-sixth street, were each sentenced to five days in jail at the South Side police court yesterday.

South Side Brevities

Don't turn your money, burn Christmas... Advertisement... When in the market, call Market 692 and order a ton of our Market brand...

THE GUMPS

THIS IS THE THIRD DAY SINCE UNCLE BIM SAW THE WIDOW ZANDER AND CARLOS RIDING IN HER AUTOMOBILE...



WE LOVE AFFAIR OF UNCLE BIM AS IS THE LAST VOLUME IS INCOMPLETE

TWEET TWEET

THE BIRD IN THE GILDED CAGE AND THE CAT THAT SCARED IT AWAY



UNCLE BIM

Market, Financial and Industrial News of the Day

Table with columns: Live Stock, Financial, New York Quotations, Omaha Produce, Omaha Grain, Chicago Grain.

By ALEXANDER DANA NOYES. Chicago Tribune—Omaha Has Least Money. New York, Jan. 12.—In a day marked by continued ease in money...

Reserve Ratio Higher. What will be the cause of these reserve accounts when trade revives...

Chicago Livestock. Chicago, Jan. 12.—Cattle—Receipts 11,000...

Kansas City Livestock. Kansas City, Jan. 12.—(U. S. Bureau of Markets.)—Cattle—Receipts, 2,600 head...

St. Louis Livestock. St. Louis, Jan. 12.—Cattle—Receipts 1,200 head...

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U. S. Publishers Endorse Terms of Forestry Bill

Cleveland Owners Speaking for Newspaper Men, Favors Snell-McCormick Measure.

Washington, Jan. 12.—Provisions of the Snell-McCormick forestry bill were endorsed yesterday by Herbert H. Baker, publisher of the Cleveland Plain Dealer...

George W. Sisson, Jr., of Potsdam, N. Y., representing American Paper and Pulp Association, emphasized the necessity of preserving forests and developing new timber tracts.

Unfailing Supply Necessary. Mr. Baker stated that of approximately seven million tons of paper produced annually in the United States, about 2,100,000 tons were newsprint.

Desires Forest Policy. The paper industry has been a leader in asking for a maintained forest policy for the nation.

Grand Island Building Trades to Accept Cut. Grand Island, Neb., Jan. 12.—(Special Telegram.)—Agreements are reported to have been reached with the main body of carpenters, tinners, electricians, plumbers and painters of the city for a general reduction in wages of about 20 per cent.

Maryland Governor Urges Passage of Gasoline Tax. Lincoln, Jan. 12.—(Special.)—Governor McKelvie has received a copy of the message sent to the legislature by Albert C. Ritchie, democrat governor of Maryland, in which he urges a 1-cent gasoline tax.

Labor Commissioner Gives Compensation to Omahans. Lincoln, Jan. 12.—(Special.)—Omahans awarded varying sums of compensation to A. Kennedy, state labor commissioner, are: Minnie Smith, employe Swift & Co.; Gustave Claussen, employe McCaffrey Brothers; Adolph Wollert, employe Omaha & Council Bluffs Street Railway company; Doug G. Higbee, employe Paxton-Mitchell company; Anton Jones, employe Dock Packing company; Mabel King, employe Pullman company; Raymond N. Buck, employe Armour & Co.

Ice Harvest Rushed at Wymore; Worker Injured. Wymore, Neb., Jan. 12.—(Special.)—M. L. Rawlings is pushing his ice harvest with a force of 75 men. The ice is about 10 inches thick and is being stored at the rate of 2,500 tons a day.

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