

Retail Prices Of Bread, Meat Rise In New York City

NEW YORK, July 12 — (AP) — Retail bread and meat prices went up in New York this week.

Two firms hiked the price of a loaf of bread a penny a loaf to 17 cents. Other bakers were reported ready to do the same thing.

The Great Atlantic & Pacific Tea Co., announced increases in

the retail price of meat ranging from one to four cents a pound. The new price of sirloin steak, for instance, is 97 cents a pound. Chuck steak will cost 63 cents against the former price of 59 cents a pound.

H. C. Bohack Co., and the Grand Union Co. both said they would make similar changes in their price list.

Spokesmen for the large chains said heavy consumer demand for meat continued despite recent increases.

The bakery firms gave no explanation for the hike in bread prices.

The agriculture department said at Washington last Thursday that considerably higher prices for beef and pork are likely if the Korean situation leads to stepped-up government spending for military supplies. Such spending, the department said, would give a "new surge" to the national income and larger buying power could be expected to lead to stronger demand for meat.

Meat prices have been inching up in major cities. The rises have

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Travelogue Film Shown At Kiwanis

Roseburg Kiwanis club members Tuesday noon were enjoying a travelogue motion picture, featuring scenic attractions of the United States, when suddenly the film stopped.

An investigation showed a fuse had blown somewhere, but just where could not be determined, and the film could not continue. The motion picture, in addition to being a travelogue, contained a story of a young ex-GI flier, who was touring the country by bus attempting to locate a nurse who attended him in the military hospital during the war. The nurse was always in the town just ahead.

The Kiwanians were left "up in the air" as to whether the young fellow ever found the girl. The film was supplied by the Greyhound Bus lines.

About 21 club members went to Grants Pass Tuesday night to attend the Kiwanis club meeting in that city. This is a part of the inter-club visitation program, aimed at promoting closer relations.

The club at its meeting Tuesday held a brief memorial for Dr. F. W. Field, a former member, who died in Portland Sunday.

Mrs. T. B. Virden, president of the Business and Professional Women's club, was present and announced the forthcoming program "Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs" which her club is sponsoring here July 17 at the Junior high school.

coincided with a strong upsurge in the whole national economy which has produced near-record employment and national income in recent months.



'UMPIN' CATFISH! FLYING ELEPHANTS?—There's no telling how many toppers switched to water after watching this herd of three flying "elephants" being put through their paces at Beaulieu, Ing., by Flight Sgt. J. D. Hayhow, ringmaster. The floppy-eared pachyderms are really Royal Air Force helicopters—surprised?—in rehearsal for the RAF's "Helicopter Circus" at Farnborough.

Wheelbarrow Tourist Plans To Reach Philippines

SALT LAKE CITY, July 12 — (AP)—Larry Hightower trundled his travel worn wheelbarrow into Salt Lake city Monday to call on Utah's chief executive.

The 49-year-old man is pushing the well equipped vehicle on a tour of America. It was four years ago last Tuesday — July 4 — that Hightower left his Ellensburg, Wash., home. That also was 19 pairs of shoes ago.

Hightower upped his travel log to 19,055 miles on his arrival here. His travels (he is setting a wheelbarrow pushing record) have taken him to all 48 states, up the Alcan highway and on side trips to Mexico and Guatemala.

He now plans to head for the Philippine islands in an effort to reach his goal of 27,500 miles.

Utah's Gov. J. Bracken Lee will be the 13th governor to sign high-towers state flag.

The tanned, 165-pound traveler averages between 14 and 18 miles a day.

The steel wheelbarrow is equipped with head and tail lights, two generators, a map case and a small tool kit along with seasonal clothing. The wheel runs smoothly in 64 ball bearings.

Stricken Girl Rushed To Hospital By Plane

Dr. A. B. Munroe, Roseburg physician, reported an eight-year-old Roseburg girl was rushed to Eugene for medical treatment Sunday by private plane.

The doctor said he girl, Margie Coon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Coon, was discovered to be suffering from encephalitis, a disease originating from an infectious condition which affects the

brain covering.

She was taken to Eugene in a Stinson airplane equipped with oxygen and a bed and piloted by George Felt, local flying field owner.

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Governor McKay issued this statement:

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"May I emphasize that claims filed with the Industrial Accident commission for covered farm firms or farmers for the calendar year 1949 ranked seventh in volume among the 25 hazardous industrial categories of Oregon.

"The theme of Oregon Farm Safety week — to learn and to obey farm safety rules — could not be a better instructional guide for farmers and farm workers to follow during Oregon Farm Safety week, nor for the year to come. "Let us make Oregon a better place to live and a safer place to farm."

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The Roberts' property and the Peterson's border each other — with no hedge or fence between them. So, when Easy notices Handy had left about a four-foot strip unmowed along the boundary, he walks over and asks why.

"That's your land," says Handy. "Mine ends here. See, it lines up with that oak tree across the road!" Easy didn't think so, so they went up and down looking for

the surveyor's marker. Where did they find it? Right in the middle of their "no man's land!"

Well, they both grin and take turns finishing the job and then retreat to Easy's for a friendly glass of beer together. From where I sit, a little searching around for the truth of the matter often shows that the other fellow is as much right as you are—at which point the whole thing doesn't seem as important anyway.

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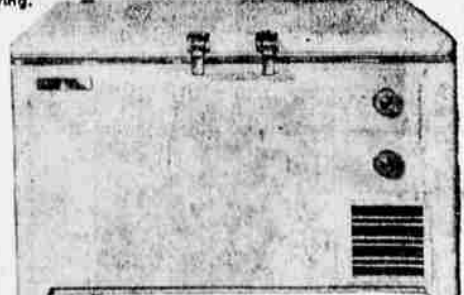
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