### Put on the Curb

for Congress to pass a measure

to wheat, yet in Rockland wheat flour is worth \$5,45 hundred and corn meal is \$9 a hundred. ask you who makes the profit? Who is being exploited under this system?"

regulating the price of substi-tutes for wheat flour. Accord-in to the clipping below, taken from a Portland daily last week.

President Wilson's pen is doing more for the cause of a

in some places the sky high price of substitutes is forcing farmers to use wheat in feeding their livestock. The extract follows:

just and popular peace than 20,000,000 swords. Vatican authorities and the Holy Father himself candidly express this opinion. The president's per-Mr. Clark calls attention to a letter written to R. F. Mitchell, food administrator for Idaho, by J. F. Fisher, of Rockland, Idaho, which, in brief, asserts: 'I can buy wheat flour for bistory will measure the ward

history will measure the war's length. Like countless other \$5.45 a hundred and you ask me to substitute cornmeal which observers, the pope sees that costs me \$9 a hundred, and yet you force me to feed my the warring peoples need politi-

yet you force me to feed my hogs, chickens and horses wheat by the same system. "It takes 10 tons of feed to run my work stock till harvest. Under the present system my audience in the white robed wheat is worth \$2.25 a hun. figure of the Vatican. Foreign dred on the ranch, and if I sub- nuncios all make substantially stitute oats they cost me \$3.35 the some report to the Holy See a hundred; if I substitute corn -President Wilson "in reality,

a hundred; if I substitute corn it costs me \$4.25 a hundred. "In December I marketed a car of hogs which fattened on wheat. I noticed the appeal made to feed hogs corn and save wheat. I tried to buy corn to political philosophy. He is said feed them and found that it to have under preparation a serwould cost me \$4.25, while the ies of encyclicals and addresses wheat only cost me \$2.25, 1 on labor and social subjects for

wheat only cost me \$2.25. I would have lost money on those hogs by substitution. "I notice that wheat in Chi-cago is worth \$2.20 a bushel and corn \$1.20 a bushel. This is about the same ratio of value that corn has always maintained

that corn has always maintained Note the label on your paper.





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PRIMARIES May 17, 1918 Paid ad. Simpson for Gov. Lengue, 411 setting hidg., Portland. 

#### Use of Gas in Warfare

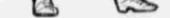
The use of gas in warfare dates back to about 400 B. C. The Spartans saturated wood with pitch and sulphur and burned it under the walls of cities which they were attacking. For several centuries gas has not been used in warfare, and The Hague convention definitely ruled against it. However, on April 22 1915, the Ger-mans liberated great clouds of gas against Canadian troops near Ypres. Terrible destruction and demoralization resulted from this first gas attack, and within a week England was making plans for gas warfare against the Germans, Soon after the first German gas attack English and French women sent to the front hundreds of thousands of homemade gas masks. For the most part they

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Of merchandising which will be a saving and should appeal to every one. The plan has been carefully studied out, but its introduction has been delayed until convinced that the new system would work no hardship, but prove of advantage to all.

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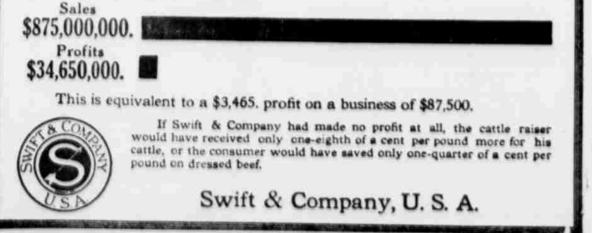
At a recent hearing of the Federal Trade Commission there was introduced correspondence taken from the private files of Swift & Company, which showed that the Company had been considering for some time an educational advertising campaign.

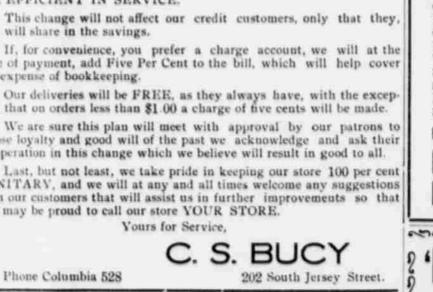
The need for this publicity has been apparent to us for several years. The gross misrepresentation to which we have recently been subjected has convinced us that we should no longer delay in putting before the public the basic facts of our business, relying on the fair-mindedness of the American people.

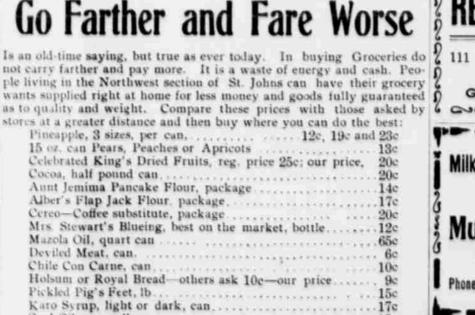
The feeling against the American packer is based largely on the belief that the income and well-being of the producer and consumer are adversely affected by the packers' operations. resulting in unreasonably large profits.

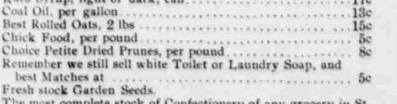
Swift & Company's net profit is reasonable, and represents an insignificant factor in the cost of living.

For the fiscal year 1917 the total sales and net profit of Swift & Company were as follows:







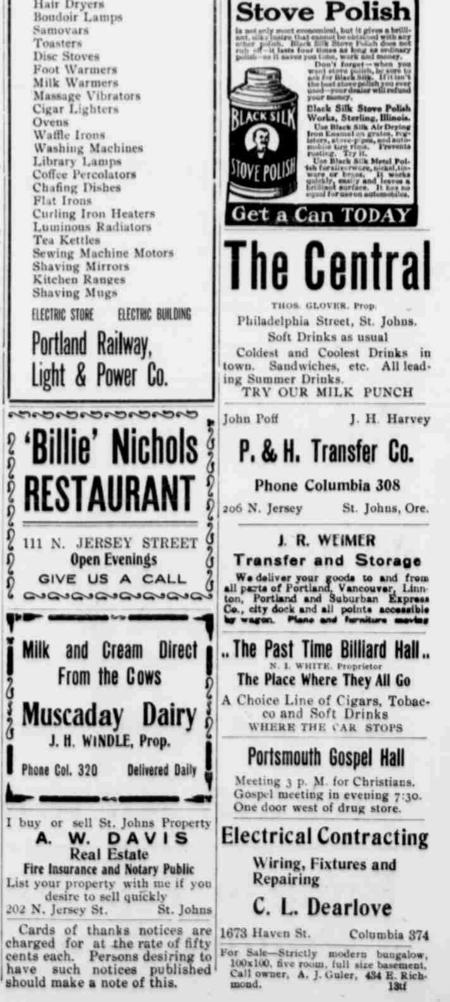


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