

BOOKS OF CHICAGO EGG BOARD SEIZED

Sharp Increase in Prices Is
Cause of Probe to See if
There Was Collusion.

COLD SENDS MARKET UP

Some Grocers Get 85 Cents for Best
Grades—Dealers Blame Recent
Boycott for Causing Cur-
rent Real Shortage.

CHICAGO, Jan. 13.—(Special).—Special agents of the Department of Justice today took possession of all the books, records and files of the Chicago Butter and Egg Board, and also are now going over them in an effort to learn whether there has been any violation of an injunction issued by Judge Landis in 1914, preventing the fixing of prices.

The books were ordered to be taken by Robert W. Childs, special assistant to the Attorney-General, in charge of the food and coal investigations, his action having been caused, it was said, by the recent sharp increase in the price of eggs.

Eggs took another "spurt" upward today, as the cold wave settled itself for a stay and threatened to bring an egg famine.

Opening at 46 cents, the market for the fresh product closed at 48 cents, making the total increase in the last three days 7 cents. This means a price of 60 cents a dozen to the householder. And some groceries today asked 65 cents a dozen for those of the "select" variety.

Chicago dealers blame the recent boycott on eggs largely for the current shortage and high prices.

"It was a boomerang for its promoters," said C. S. Borden, of the Chicago Butter and Egg Board. "We are now getting the effects of it and of the December cold weather. If there had been no boycott and the price had not been forced down so that the English and Canadian buyers were enabled to take tremendous quantities of eggs out of the country, we should have had a much even market. It has been shown that there really was a serious egg shortage, and that that was the reason for high prices instead of any cornering of the market."

It is said that there are less than one-third the number of eggs in storage in Chicago that could be found a year ago. It has been predicted by Dr. R. H. Mackenzie, president of the Chicago Poultry Breeders' Club, that the product will sell as high as 90 cents a dozen before spring.

INQUIRY TO BE NATION-WIDE

Government Preparing to Investigate
Prices of Other Foods.

BOSTON, Jan. 13.—Federal District Attorney George W. Anderson, who is in charge of the government's inquiry into the high prices of food and other necessities, said today that the raid on the Chicago butter and egg board was part of the general programme of investigation.

Other food records also were being inquired into, Mr. Anderson said.

HARVEY WELLS RENAMED

State Insurance Commissioner Is
Praised by Governor.

SALEM, Or., Jan. 13.—(Special).—Harvey Wells, State Insurance Commissioner, was reappointed to his position for a year term to that position by Governor Withycombe today. He was appointed in 1915 to succeed J. W. Ferguson.

In announcing this appointment Governor Withycombe said: "The reappointment of Mr. Wells is based upon efficient service. In the administration of the affairs of the department during the past two years Mr. Wells has proved himself the right man for the position. His administration has been characterized by economy and reliability and has really been a credit to the department and to the state."

Miss Gracie Ross Best Speaker

CHEHALIS, Wash., Jan. 13.—(Special).—The annual local declamation contest, held under the auspices of the Tillamook Wa Wa Club, of the high school, was held last night in the auditorium of the high school. The winner, Miss Gracie Ross, will represent Chehalis High School in the Lewis County declamation meet, which comes usually in March. Miss Thekla Hastings won second place. The judges were Miss Chaplin, Mrs. Sarah Urquhart, Professor Brown, Attorney W. A. Murray and P. Cordz.

Centralia Artisans Install

CENTRALIA, Wash., Jan. 13.—(Special).—The local lodge of United Artisans Thursday night elected the following new officers for the coming year: L. Maass, master artisan; Mrs. C. Gauman, master of ceremonies; Elmer Kirklin, instructor; Clifford Sayre, senior conductor; Mrs. Kate Shelton, junior conductor; Mrs. Louisa Dye, inspector; Mrs. Essie Kirkpatrick, warden; Mrs. L. Maass, secretary; and Mrs. Ethel Burdon, superintendent.

Leases on Aviation Field Authorized

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., Jan. 13.—Major B. D. Foullois, chief aviation officer of the Southern Department, has received authority from the War Department to close leases on 677 acres of land five miles south of San Antonio, as a site for the big military aviation post to be established here.

ACTRESS TELLS SECRET

A Well-Known Actress Tells How She
Darkened Her Gray Hair With a
Simple Home-Made Mixture.

Miss Blanche Rose, a well-known actress, who darkened her gray hair with a simple preparation which she mixed at home, in a recent interview at Chicago, Ill., made the following statement: "Any lady or gentleman can darken their gray hair and make it soft and glossy with this simple recipe, which they can mix at home. To a half pint of water add 1 ounce of bay rum, a small box of Barbo Compound, and 2 ounce of glycerine. These ingredients can be bought at any drug-store at very little cost. Apply to the hair twice a week until it becomes the required shade. This will make a gray-haired person look 20 years younger. It makes the hair soft and glossy, is not sticky or greasy and does not rub off."—Adv.

SCHEMSELNHAR, SULTAN'S FAVORITE, TO SHINE AT ARABIAN NIGHT'S FETE AT CORONADO BEACH.



MRS. ARTHUR D. COOK. —Photo by Underwood.
CORONADO, Cal., Jan. 13.—(Special).—Mrs. Arthur D. Cook, Boston society matron, gorgeously costumed, as Schemselnihar, the favorite of Haroun al-Raschid, was one of the notable figures in the Arabian Night's ball which has been the principal topic of conversation at Coronado beach and which took place tonight. Mrs. Cook has been a prime mover in many of the smart society gatherings at the noted beach resort and as such has helped to make this affair a success.

Coronado beach tonight was a scene of Oriental magnificence and splendor in setting, and fairy-like in appearance with its princesses, princes, gnomes, dwarfs, and other familiar characters of the Arabian Nights.

GRIFFIN IS OPPOSED

"Non-Voting Senator" From
Lane May Be Dropped.

ANNULMENT IS SUGGESTED

Walter Jones, in Lower House, De-
clares Early Agreement to Con-
sider With Representatives Is
Better for County.

EUGENE, Or., Jan. 13.—(Special).—Reconsideration of the action of the State Senate designating Walter Griffin, selected by the Lane County Court as States "Senator," as clerk of that body is probable, according to a statement made today by Attorney Walter Jones, a member of the Lane County delegation in the lower house.

Attorney Jones, upon his return from Salem, expressed surprise at the action of the County Court in designating Mr. Griffin for this position.

"I felt that the arrangement that had been made, whereby the Senate had asked the Lane County representatives to appear before the Senate committee on matters of interest to the committee, but now that the Senate has voted to recognize Mr. Griffin, I suppose they will withdraw the invitation extended to the representatives," Mr. Jones stated. "It seemed to me that the three men, there in an official capacity, could do more for the county than one man who is practically a member of the third house."

"One of the Senators asked me about this matter before I left Salem and he told me he would see what could be done. He suggested that the matter might come up for reconsideration. At any rate, the appointment is at the rate of \$3 a day for clerk and not \$5, which is the payment for a stenographer. Mr. Griffin is not a stenographer."

Regarding a statement by Mr. Jones that the relationship between Mr. Griffin, who is a hardware dealer and the County Commissioners is close, Attorney L. E. Bean, a member of the Lane County delegation in the lower house, said:

"Mr. Griffin has devoted a lot of time to public matters and I venture to say that he has expended in contributions for road funds and in other public activities, far more than the profits on all the hardware he ever sold Lane County."

Mr. Griffin declined to comment upon Attorney Jones' statement further than to say that he had not sought the appointment and had been urged to accept it against his wishes.

ALBANY TIES PHILOMATH

Two Schools Will Debate Eugene for
District Honors.

ALBANY, Or., Jan. 13.—(Special).—Albany High School won here last night in a debate with Philomath High School. Albany's negative team won unanimously in a debate here, while its affirmative team lost by a vote of two to one in a debate at Philomath. Albany and Philomath are now tied for the championship of the northern half of the district. The question discussed was, "Resolved, That Oregon should adopt a compulsory health insurance law."

In the contest here the Albany debaters were Artie Pittman and Harold Mickelson, while Philomath High School was represented by Miss Jones and Mr. Palmer. Albany and Philomath competed last night by virtue of the fact that each had won the preliminary

SCOUTS' DEATH MOURNED

Dr. M. E. Welch, of Hood River, Close Friend of "Buffalo Bill."

FUNERAL WILL BE TODAY

Casket, Weighing More Than Ton, Is to Be Under Guard While Lying in State—Rural Pupils Start Fund for Memorial.

NATIONAL "FRAT" JOINED

Oregon Dramatic Club Admitted to University Players.

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, Eugene, Jan. 13.—(Special).—An upper class dramatic local, known by the name of the Campus Players, petitioned during the Christmas holidays for admission to the National dramatic fraternity, the Associated University Players. The new chapter will be known as the "Mask and Buskin," and will be installed by the grand editor, Collin C. Clements, of the University of Washington, Seattle, during the short time between semesters.

The members of the Campus players are Charles Prim, president, of Medford; Earl Fleischman, vice-president, of Eugene; George Cotton, manager, of Portland; Rosalind Bates, secretary, of Eugene; Evia Walker, Corvallis; Victor Sether, Glendale; Rosamond Shaw, Pullman, Wash.

RELIEF CORPS INSTALLS

Gordon Granger Post Gives Pro-
gramme at Ceremony.

Gordon Granger Post, Women's Relief Corps, met in Woodlawn Hall last Friday and installed officers. A short programme was given after the installation ceremonies. The officers for 1917 are: President, Mrs. Maids, Byrnes; senior vice-president, Mrs. Nanette Van Horne; junior vice-president, Mrs. Leota Behrens; secretary, Mrs. Hilda Slater; treasurer, Miss Clara Rockwell; chaplain, Mrs. Rachel Ladd; conductor, Mrs. Hattie Erickson; guard, Mrs. Martha Barber; assistant conductor, Mrs. Joe Jackson; assistant guard, Mrs. Elaine Thompson; patriotic instructor, Mrs. Louise Severance; musician, Mrs. Peris Thornton; color-bearers, Mrs. Louise Cramer, Mrs. Nellie Butler, Mrs. Clara Hall, Mrs. Anna Renshaw.

Whitman and Washington Divide

SEATTLE, Wash., Jan. 13.—The University of Washington was the unanimous victor over Whitman College here last night in debate on the subject, "Resolved, That intercollegiate athletics should be abolished." The Washington team had the affirmative side of the question.

WALLA WALLA, Wash., Jan. 13.—

Whitman College, arguing in favor of abolishing intercollegiate athletics, won from the University of Washington in a dual debate here last night by a two-to-one vote.

MANY HONOR CODY

Tributes Come by Cable and
All Other Agencies.

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DENVER, Jan. 13.—Final arrangements were made for the funeral of Colonel William F. Cody (Buffalo Bill) at a meeting of committees representing the Elks and the city of Denver late today. Few changes, none important, were made in plans already announced.

The only song his friends ever heard him sing, "Tenting on the Old Camp Ground," was chosen by his relatives today, while the public is admitted to view the bronze casket, weighing more than a ton, in which all that is mortal of the famous scout is to remain.

A superintendent of a rural school near here today brought in the first contribution to a monument for Colonel Cody. It consisted of 47 new buffalo nickels, one for each child in the school.

Florists, express messengers and other agencies were busy today delivering flowers at the home of his sister here, where Colonel Cody's body is lying. Some of them were delivered on cabled orders from abroad; many were sent from distant cities.

Nothing has been learned as yet of the ceremonies the Sioux Indians of the Pine Ridge Reservation, in South Dakota, are expected by relatives to hold in connection with Colonel Cody's death.

Aberdeen Lodgeman Resigns

ABERDEEN, Wash., Jan. 13.—(Special).—A. C. Girard, former newspaper man, has resigned as secretary of the

BROKE HIMSELF OF SMOKING CIGARETTES

A St. Louis Man Broke Himself of Smoking Cigarettes and Chewing by a Simple Home Remedy.

Harry Riska, a well-known resident living at 2116 S. 11th St., broke himself of the cigarette habit and chewing with a simple recipe that he mixed at home. In reply to the question as to what he used he made the following statement: "I used a simple recipe which I mixed at home and which is as follows: To 3 oz. of water add 20 grains of Muriate of Ammonia, a small box of Varlex Compound and 10 grs. of Pepsin. I took a teaspoonful three times a day. Any druggist can mix it for you at very little cost."

"This recipe can be taken yourself or given secretly to another in coffee, tea or milk or in food, as it has no taste, color or smell and is perfectly harmless."—Adv.

Third Week of Our Annual January Pre-Inventory SALE.

See Our Third Street Window Display

A Sensational Lace Clearance

Broken Lines, Including 18 and 27-Inch Net Top Oriental Laces; 12 to 27-Inch Silk Lace Flouncings; 36-Inch Embroidered Silk and Cotton Nets; Oriental and Venise Edges; Metal and Silk Edges; Printed Chiffons, Etc.—All at

39¢ Yd

Qualities Selling Regularly Up to \$1.75 a Yard.

A wonderful assortment to select from. All high-grade laces such as 18 and 27-inch Net Top Oriental Laces in white, cream and black. They come in large and small patterns in filet, diamond or hexagon meshes. Some finished with Venise bottom—12 to 27-inch Silk Flouncings in shadow, net and chantilly styles in white, cream or black. 36-inch Embroidered Silk and Cotton Nets in black, white or cream. Fine Oriental and Venise Edges. 40-inch Printed Chiffons in light and dark combinations. 5 to 12-inch Metal Edges on silk nets. Lines selling regularly to \$1.75 a yard. To close, this sale at 39¢.

EMBROIDERIES

Our regular stock lines, including only the most desirable patterns and trustworthy qualities! Embroidery Edges and Insertions worth to 12½¢ a yard, to close at 5¢.

LOT 2—Choice from 4 to 18-inch Embroideries, worth to 29¢ a yard, to close at 15¢.

LOT 3—Choice from 12 to 27-inch Embroideries, worth to 48¢ a yard, to close at 25¢.

LOT 4—Choice from 27 to 45-inch Embroideries, worth to \$1.00 a yard, to close at 49¢.

LOT 5—Choice from 45-inch Batiste Flouncings for graduation dresses. Worth to \$1.75 a yard. To close at 98¢.

LOT 6—Choice from Edges, Insertions, Gallons, Beadings, worth to 20¢ a yard. To close at 10¢.

LOT 7—Choice from 45-inch Voile and Organdie Flouncings for graduation dresses. Worth to \$3.50. To close at \$1.48.

Extra! Just In by Express—a Phenomenal Purchase of

WOMEN'S SUITS

Garments Made to Sell Regularly to \$9.75

\$32.50—This Sale at

The styles are the very latest, the materials are fine velours, broadcloths, serges and poplins. Trimmings and tailors are the very best. Fortune indeed will be the woman who can arrange to attend this out-of-the-ordinary sale. Suits selling regularly from \$25 to \$32.50 go at this sale for only \$9.75.

The Greatest of 1/4 to 1/2 Off Regular Remnant Sales

Choice from our entire stock of short-length Ginghams, Percals, Flannelettes, Suitings, Shirtings, Zephyrs, Velour Flannels, etc. Odd lot Linens, Huck and Damask Towels, Bureau and Sideboard Scarfs, Damask and Plain Linens, Tea and Tray Cloths, Fancy Bath Towels, etc. Let us remind you that first choice is best choice.

Store Opens at 8:30 A. M.

Saturdays at 9 A. M.

Store Closes at 5:30 P. M.

Saturdays at 6 P. M.

The Most in Value—The Best in Quality

Aberdeen Elks' Lodge to accept a post-poned as Grays Harbor representative of

the Northwestern Board & Paper Mills. His resignation will take effect as soon as a successor is named, which will be in about two weeks.

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Odd Lot Curtains

Choice at 98¢ Pr.

Lines Selling to \$1.75.

One to four pairs of a kind—white, cream and ecru—Scotch lace, madras lace and seersucker curtains—only a limited number in assortment, so come early.

Pre-Inventory Sale of Fur Muffs

The Popular Melon-Shape Muffs in Fashionable Furs.

French Lynx Muffs reduced to \$6.95.

China Wolf Muffs reduced to \$7.50.

River Mink Muffs reduced to \$8.50.

Nippon Mink Muffs reduced to \$9.50.

Opossum Muffs reduced to \$9.95.

Raccoon Muffs reduced to \$10.95.

Sale of Wool Middys at \$2.39

All styles in blue flannel with red or white trimming and leader, lines selling regularly to \$2.95.

Pre-Inventory Sale of Women's High-Grade Shoes at \$3.89 Pair

Lines selling to \$4.50.

All fashion a size styles, light, medium and heavy weights, models for the popular blouse, both button and lace styles in patent, coil, gunmetal and vicid kid leathers.

Fashionable Styles in Men's Shoes at \$3.50

NEW STOCK, ALL SIZES.

Both button and Blucher lace styles, with Goodyear welt or flexible McKay soles; fashionable, durable shoes in gunmetal leather.

Pre-Inventory Sale of Double Weight, 54-Inch Wool Coatings at \$1.25

Qualities selling regular to \$1.50.

An extensive showing of 54 inch All-Wool Double Weight Coatings in the season's best styles and colorings. Both plain and double-faced fabrics in qualities selling to \$3.00 a yard to close at \$1.25.

Special Sale of Boys' Flannel Waists at 59¢

Well-Made, Well-Fitting Waists in the popular blouse style, sizes in a fine quality gray flannel.

By Thy Work Thou Shalt Be Known

This saying may be older than the dental profession itself, but it surely fits that profession better than any other occupation I know of—may it be GOOD or BAD work. Dentists are usually called doctors—but nevertheless cannot enjoy the same privilege of BURYING THEIR MISTAKES.

Every time you open your mouth to smile you speak volumes for or against the ability of your dentist—the work speaks for itself.

The Dentist The Patient The Work



People Demand GUARANTEED Dentistry

DR. E. G. AUSPLUND, MGR.

—It is right—it is necessary—it is ethical—that when you pay out your good money you are entitled to the same protection as when you buy a gold watch or a diamond ring.

15-YEAR WRITTEN GUARANTEE REMEMBER, WE ARE HERE TO STAY

If You Have Two or More Teeth in Either Jaw

We can give you a new set of teeth as natural as the original ones without the use of a large ordinary plate or bridge. This is what we are doing daily with our IMPROVED METHOD. When you come to our office you are consulting expert Dental Specialists. We are doing strictly first-class dental work. All work guaranteed and kept in repair Free of Charge.

We use only the very best materials, and when your work is done you are given dollar for dollar; you are happy, younger looking—and, best of all, you are perfectly satisfied.

Porcelain Crowns.....\$3.50 to \$5.00 Electro Whalbone Plates.....\$15.00

Gold Fillings, from.....\$1.00 Flesh-Colored Plates.....\$10.00