

# Week-End Bargains

## Some White House Grocery Specials

AND WE DELIVER THEM

Wesson Salad oil, large size \$1.20  
 Wesson Salad oil, medium .90c  
 One pound can Folger Baking Powder .35c  
 One large can (2 lb.) new Hominy .13c 2 for 25c (cheaper than you can make it)  
 Drake Almonds, hard shell, lb. .15c  
 New Soft Shell, No. 2 walnuts, per lb. .20c (not the Manchurian hard shell kind)

### 5c Will Buy---

A 2 oz. bottle Pine Barr extract while they last  
 A can of Polly Prim Cleanser  
 A 10c bar of Hand Sapollo  
 One package of boraxaid  
 One package of Swifts Pride Soap Powder

TO ARRIVE THIS WEEK

New Navel oranges, 25c 35c, 40c per dozen  
 New Golden dates  
 Calabar Figs, Xmas Candles  
 Bananas, etc.

## White House Grocery

## Cornell's Grocery

FLOUR IS CHEAPER  
 BUTTER IS CHEAPER  
 SUGAR IS CHEAPER

More Sugar, 13 lb. \$1.00  
 More Fresh Butter, roll .70  
 More Beans, 12 lb. 1.00  
 More Cranberries, qt. .10  
 More Small Crisco .35  
 More Peanut Butter, 2 lb. .25  
 More Cream of Wheat, 3 pk. .45

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Get our new price on Flour

4 deliveries daily

We meet all competitors.

## A Good Flour

at

# \$1.75

Per Sack

## J. PARDEE

202 South Sixth St.

## Saturday Specials



1 doz spiced sour pickles and 1 quart Sauer Kraut for

10c

Frankfurter Sausage, per lb.

15c

Sugar Cured Breakfast Bacon, per lb.

23c

Sweetland Market

## No Bait or Specials

You will find our regular prices are usually lower than the other stores specials.

Best Jap Rice, per lb. 5c  
 Wesson Oil, small. 35c  
 Wesson Oil, medium. 65c  
 Wesson Oil, large. \$1.25  
 Best Peanut Butter, 2 lb. for 25c  
 Japan Tea, per lb. 25c  
 Rose Valley Butter, per roll 75c

FOR CHRISTMAS

New Crop Nuts (all kinds)  
 Xmas Candles 15c to 30c per lb.  
 Oranges, New Navels, 25c to 40 c per dozen

WHY PAY MORE?

BASKET GROCERY

The Busy Store  
 417 G STREET.

## Friday & Saturday Specials

Fries .18c  
 Beef Pot Roast .12 1/2 c  
 Boiling Beef .10c  
 Hamburger .12 1/2  
 Sausage .12 1/2

## City Market

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5 per cent discount for cash

## CORN FED PORK

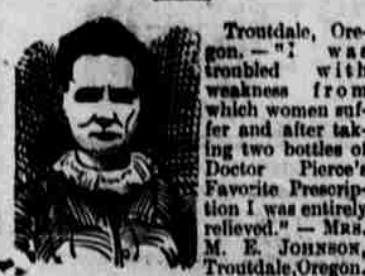
Pork Shoulders - 10c  
 Pork Steaks - 12 1/2 c  
 Spare Ribs - 10c  
 Back Bone - 8c

## TEMPLE MARKET

Phone 134

**Christmas Tree in a Bank.**  
 Employees of a large trust company in New York celebrated Christmas with a Christmas party in the banking rooms of the institution. There was a large Christmas tree in the lobby. Members of the employees' club, their wives and the women employees of the bank were invited. Two orchestras played and there was a distribution of presents. In many large city department stores the employees have Christmas celebrations with a tree, a Santa Claus, distribution of gifts, etc., just before Christmas.

## A Woman's Trouble.



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The mighty restorative power of Doctor Pierce's Favorite Prescription speedily causes all womanly troubles to disappear—compels the organs to properly perform their natural functions, corrects displacements, overcomes irregularities, removes pain and misery at certain times and brings back health and strength to nervous, irritable and exhausted women.

For all diseases peculiar to women, Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is a powerful restorative. For nearly 50 years it has banished from the lives of tens of thousands of women the pain, worry, misery and distress caused by irregularities and diseases of a feminine character.

What Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription has done for thousands it will do for you. Get it this very day from any medicine dealer, in either liquid or tablet form; or send 50 cents to Dr. Pierce, Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y., for trial box of tablets.

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## PROPOSAL OF PEACE.

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still open. He is still undetermined. He will reach no decision until he has confidential advices from American representatives at the entente capitals. He received, with the German note, a confidential note from Charge Grew of the American embassy in Berlin. It was assumed Secretary Lansing will confer with the president before tomorrow's cabinet meeting. German Ambassador von Bernstorff will probably have an interview with Lansing within the next few days.

The United Press learned today from sources of authority that President Wilson's greatest problem in the German note is to indicate, beyond question, America's desire not to "inter-meddle," while at the same time to perform the humanitarian part of eliciting from both sides some official data as to the preliminary terms upon which each regards peace as possible.

The administration hopes that the allies will not flatly reject the German note without indicating in some fashion their minimum of concessions and maximum of demands as the basis for peace. If these preliminary concessions and demands are established by the allies, the administration regards it as certain that Germany will respond with a like list.

Thus a starting point will be established from which at some time in the future peace may come. There is no idea in official circles that peace is near, and there is no idea of attempting to expedite a settlement.

It is recognized that such action on the part of this government would probably be resented. It is also recognized, however, that some time the first draft of the demands must be submitted and it is looked upon as in the interest of humanity in general that this preliminary step should be made as early as possible.

## FEAR IRISH IN THE GERMAN PROPOSAL

London, Dec. 14.—The caution, "watch out; take care," sounded by Premier Briand in his address to the French chamber of deputies, will also be England's guidance in scrutinizing the German peace proposals.

After the first shock of the news of Germany's peace plan and the first and instantaneous decision to reject it, there came today, with a strengthening of this determination not to make the peace Germany craves, the belief that England and her allies ought closely to examine the circumstances of the Teutonic move. Press and public alike were more than ever convinced today that some "German trick was behind the proffer."

Most apparent in the German peace terms is the attempt to gain the sympathy of neutrals. An attempt to create dissension among the entente allies is believed to be one consideration of the note and the chancellor's speech.

Lastly the British public believes the German government desires to make a play to the German people to support the oft-repeated assertion that Germany is only defending herself from the enemies who forced the war on her.

There is indication of popular unrest in Germany, due to shortage of food and the staggering losses of men and material which she has undergone since 1914.

England and her allies, therefore, intend to reject the peace proposals, but before that rejection, they intend to scrutinize every word in the note and the chancellor's speech for hidden meanings and to weigh all circumstances of its delivery carefully.

Popular approval was emphatically registered to the first official answer to Germany's bid for peace—made for France by Premier Briand. He spoke to the chamber of deputies, outlining the aims and policies of the reconstructed French government—and in connection with the explanation took occasion solemnly to warn France and her allies to watch for the "poison" in the Teutonic offers.

## CORRESPONDENT IS ON BRITISH FRONT

By William Philip Simms

With the Canadian forces at the British front in France, Dec. 8. (By cable, delayed.)—A wilderness of mud, a cold, clammy drizzle, a continuous drab along the battle front, finds the spirit of the Canadian forces utterly unchanged. The battle zone from the sea to Switzerland is one continuous lull. But the Canadians are contemptuous of the elements, apparently indifferent. They reply to commiserating remarks—"But Fritz has it just as bad as we do."

Utterly unemotional, the Canadians accept orders for rest and orders to go over the parapet, in rain, mud, and drizzle in the same spirit of readiness they accept instructions to go to dry billets.

In the middle of a muddy road, I met a sergeant wounded in the

shoulder. It was after the Canadians had stormed and captured the German trenches.

A staff correspondent stopped and questioned the sergeant. Despite the fact that he was direct from a hot action, and wounded and tired, he answered all questions with the same careful precision that might be observed in a court room when a star witness was on the stand.

"Did the Germans quit?" he was asked.

"No sir."

"Did they put up a hard fight?"

"No, they fought fairly well, surrendering when cornered."

"Were the prisoners glad to be captured?"

"I'd hardly say that."

With a group of officers, I stood by the roadside while relief was going on. One column was going in, one coming out. The fresh column was fairly immaculate as to uniforms and equipment. The other was covered with mud from head to foot. But the spirit in both was identical. Jokes passed from one column to the other.

Hello, Micker," yelled an outgoing maple leaver to one of his brothers going into action, as they came abreast, "where's Ye going?"

"I dunno, Bill," was the reply, "but I think there's a war on somewhere."

The condition of the foreign troops

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is most splendid. They are certainly well fed.

The Canadian field forces not only have the best staples but they have also plenty of "palate teasers," in the shape of sauces, pickles and other dainties to break the monotony of regular fare.

The relation between the Canadian officers and men is similar to that often marked in the French army. There is a cordial understanding between both. Everywhere I found the Canadians confident of the outcome, an expression of the Vancouver boys summing up the common belief—"It's merely a question of time. We've got Fritz' number."

A classified ad will give results. Job work at the Courier.

## FINE LEATHER GOODS FOR CHRISTMAS

A line of useful and necessary articles for the business man and for the home. Included are: Card Cases, Bill Folds, Purses, Collar Boxes, Cigar Cases, Address Books, Tourists' Tablets, Desk Pads, etc.

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 The New Form-Fit  
 are curve cut to fit the shoulders perfectly. 15 cents each, 6 for 90c  
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