



Profits and Prices

Profits may be considered from two angles:

- 1st—Their effect on prices;
- 2nd—As a return to investors.

When profits are small as compared with sales, they have little effect on prices.

Swift & Company's profits are only a fraction of a cent per pound on all products sold, and if eliminated entirely would have practically no effect on prices.

Swift & Company paid 10 per cent dividends to over 20,000 stockholders out of its 1917 profits. It also had to build extensions and improvements out of profits; to finance large stocks of goods made necessary by unprecedented requirements of the United States and Allied Governments; and to provide protection against the day of declining markets.

Is it fair to call this profiteering?

Swift & Company, U.S.A.

CITY NEWS

Leave for Outing—
Mrs. Sarah Wolfe and daughter, Miss Carrie Wolfe, went to Newport today for a few weeks' outing.

Visiting in Portland—
Mrs. M. B. Craft is visiting friends in Portland.

To Visit Cousins—
Miss Bessie Bell went to Portland this morning to visit her cousin, Mrs. Ringman.

On Business Trip—
R. H. Whinery went to Conser this morning on business.

Returned Home—
Mrs. Jessamine Van Hoenberg of Portland returned home this morning after a visit here with Mr. and Mrs. Earl B. Day.

To Live in Salem—
Horace Lewis went to Salem this morning to make his home.

Here From Camp Lewis—
Chas. Naper has returned to Albany from Camp Lewis.

Commercial Club Meeting—
The regular meeting of the Commercial club will be held tonight at 7:30 at the club rooms.

Spent Week-End Here—
Miss Edna Jones, formerly of the Art Craft store of Albany, spent the week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Jones.

Visiting Relatives—
Miss Anna Schultz of Mitchell, Ore-

MAKE IT SPINACH, PLEASE!

No steak today? That's a bit unkind! And sugar is getting rare? This sort of brings to a fellow's mind That there must be a war somewhere!

And so it seems there's a million men Gone over to fight for me, And some will never come back again To the land of the brave and free.

While they lie in the land of the awful dead, Where the starbells quiver above And shrapnel bursts just overhead, Far from the land they love;

They want me to have all I need to eat, But ask that I help them fight By saving sugar and flour and meat, While there's other good food in sight.

Well, if they can die without ever a whine, Or fight till their brave hearts break I guess I can think of them when I dine; Don't bother about the steak!

gon, is here visiting relatives and friends.

Working at Nebergalls—
Ed Ferley of Corvallis has accepted a position with the Nebergall Meat company. Mrs. Ferley will move to Albany and join her husband in a few days.

Funeral Postponed—
The funeral of Christian DeWall has been postponed until Thursday afternoon at 2 p. m. from the Evangelical church.

Weather Report—
Yesterday's temperature ranged from 50 to 86 degrees. The river is 1.1 feet.

HOT?

The Cooler is in the Bottle!

A golden brew—The Drink that Fits.

Everybody Sells It!

The PORTLAND BREWING Co.



Jodie Sedgwick in Triangle Play, "Keith of the Border," Rolfe Wednesday and Thursday.

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Regular Prices :

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MACARONI, bulk, 3 pounds 25c
MASON QUART JARS, dozen 90c
ECONOMY QUART JARS, dozen dozen \$1.20

PLENTY OF ALL SIZES FRUIT JARS

STONE JARS, ALL SIZES 25 cents gallon

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Low comfortable Shoes at low price. Big selection at **\$2.98**

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A pair
Worth \$1 on today's market

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The remainder of the stock—any of them—at a yard, **23c**

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The finest kind of Dress Shoes, still some left if you find your size you are truly in good fortune. Values to \$10—
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TOMORROW ONLY, \$1.25
After That, \$1.50

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Letters uncalled for at the Albany, Oregon, postoffice July 29, 1918:

Mr. Betzer.	Mr. Ch. Jones.
Mr. John Courtney.	Mrs. C. E. Mathiesen.
Mr. Cecil Ford.	Mrs. E. C. Morse.
Miss O'Garita Gillispie.	Miss Irene Price.
Mr. Chas. C. Hall.	C. H. STEWART, P. M.

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