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 "We don't give credit here," he said. "Gimme back the jar."
 Meekly the small boy handed back the jar, which was emptied and returned with a scowl.
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INVESTIGATE RISING PRICE OF LOAVES
 Bureau of Labor Gathers Figures from 45 Centers of Industry.

WHEAT PRICE IS MAIN CAUSE
 Portland Only City in Northwest to Give Detailed Report—Nearly All Have Big Shrinkage.

Use Potatoes in Baking Bread is Advice.
 Washington, D. C.—More general use of potatoes in making bread is recommended by the baking specialists of the Department of Agriculture. Bread containing boiled and mashed potatoes was found, during experiments just concluded, to be just as nutritious as wheat bread and to have the quality of remaining fresh longer. Potato bread is known in Europe as made with potato flour, which is not available in the United States. In their experiments the government experts baked excellent bread with three pounds of potatoes and 2 1/2 pounds of flour.

Washington, D. C.—The extent of increases in the prices of bread or decreases in the weight of loaves during the four months from May 15 to September 15 is detailed in figures from 45 of the country's principal industrial centers, made public Saturday by the Bureau of Labor Statistics. Bakers, in reports to the bureau, gave as reasons the increased cost of materials and ingredients, especially flour. Changes in prices and weights have been most numerous during the last two months which the reports cover. Of 210 brands of bread that retailed for 5 cents and weighed 15 ounces or over on May 15, only 14 remained at the same price and weight on September 15.

Comparative figures regarding the wheat and flour prices and the average retail price of bread show that in September the wholesale price of wheat was 31 per cent greater on September 15 than on May 15, the wholesale price of flour 37 per cent higher, the retail price 23 per cent higher for the same period, and the average retail price of bread was 11 per cent higher.
 Another table shows the retail margin of prices for bread and retail. In May, flour was \$5.48 a barrel wholesale and \$7.62 retail, leaving a margin of \$2.14 to cover transportation, retailers' expenses and profits, usually jobbers' expenses and profits between the mill and the retailer. In September, the margin was \$1.90 a barrel. The retail price of bread per pound before baking in May was 5.5 cents. In September it was 6.2 cents. The wholesale price of 10.45 ounces of flour in one pound of bread before baking, assuming 300 loaves to the barrel, in May, was 1.8 cents. In September it was 2.5 cents.
 In May the wholesale value of 10.45 ounces of flour was 1.8 cents; the average retail price for 16 ounces of bread, before baking, being 5.5 cents, making a margin of 3.8 cents between the wholesale price of flour in a 16-ounce loaf of bread and the retail price of the same loaf baked. The margin figures do not include the cost of re-tailing and the retailers' profits.

"Gas Bacillus" on Coast.
 Berkeley, Cal.—Infection in a broken leg of L. A. Mattes, a salesman, was diagnosed here as "gas bacillus," a disease peculiar to the wounded in the European trenches and probably for the first time making its appearance in the west. Mattes broke his leg in a fall. The bone poked through the flesh. The diagnosis was made by Dr. Dexter N. Richards, who recently returned from the east, where he made a thorough study of "gas bacillus," with no idea, however, that he was to find a case here when he returned.
 Stacker Get Hard Task.
 Douglas, Ariz.—Ninety-six members of the New Jersey Signal Corps who recently refused to hike to Nogales received what is termed by army men a more arduous task, when ordered to take with them to San Geron, N. J., 192 horses left here by the New Jersey artillery and cavalry units which departed Sunday.
 Preparations for the care of the 10 carloads of horses for the long journey, it was said, would delay the departure of the signal corps for several days.

Woman is Naval Officer.
 Geneva, via Paris.—A woman has been commissioned by the government of Wurtemberg as second in command of a small gunboat on Lake Constance, which is employed in guard duty at Friedrichshafen, where the Zeppelin works are located. She has been given the rank and uniform of a lieutenant. Women employed on South German railways, according to a new order, must wear uniforms, consisting in part of loose trousers and gaiters.
 Guard Relief Unlikely.
 San Antonio, Tex.—There is no immediate prospect for state troops on border duty to return home, other than organizations already under orders. General Funston made this clear Saturday. All national guard troops remaining in state mobilization camps are taking the place of an equivalent number that have been on duty for several months. Troops not relieved must remain indefinitely unless the war department changes its policy.

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Bad Men Escape From Pen.
 Salem.—James O'Brien and Frank Smith, two of the most desperate characters in the Oregon penitentiary, escaped Wednesday night. Posses scoured the surrounding country, but obtained no trace of the fugitives. A reward of \$50 for the capture of each man has been offered.
 Both Smith and O'Brien were serving from two to five years for burglary.

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Some Never Do.
 "We are taking in boarders this summer."
 "Have they found it out yet?"—Grit
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 "Then why not give him a clock."—Baltimore American.

YOUNG WOMEN MAY AVOID PAIN
 Need Only Trust to Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, says Mrs. Kurtzweg.
 Buffalo, N. Y.—"My daughter, whose picture is herewith, was much troubled with pains in her back and sides every month and they would sometimes be so bad that it would seem like acute inflammation of some organ. She read your advice in the newspaper and tried Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. She praises it highly as she has been relieved of all these pains by its use. All mothers should know of this remedy, and all young girls who suffer should try it."—Mrs. MATILDA KURTZWEG, 629 High St., Buffalo, N. Y.
 Young women who are troubled with painful or irregular periods, backache, headache, dragging-down sensations, fainting spells or indigestion, should take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Thousands have been restored to health by this root and herb remedy.
 If you know of any young woman who is sick and needs help, write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass. Only women will receive her letter, and it will be held in strictest confidence.

NEWS ITEMS
 Of General Interest
640-Acre Bill Not Law.

The Dalles.—Because of numerous inquiries regarding the passage of the stockraising homestead 640-acre bill, Representative N. J. Sinnott has given out the following statement:
 "The statement that has been published in several small papers in this state that the stockraising homestead 640-acre bill had been passed and became a law is erroneous. The bill did not pass. The bill went through the house and passed to the senate where several amendments were attached to it and returned to the house. The return was made on the last day of the session and, therefore, the house could not have passed it if it wanted to, as there was not enough time for consideration. The bill will not be acted upon until the next session of congress."
 The bill provides for the taking up of 640 acres of stockraising land with the sanction of the secretary of the interior.

Coos Coal in Demand.
 Marshfield.—Local coalmine operators are receiving urgent inquiries from several points in the Willamette valley about coal shipments and it is believed that the fall and winter business will develop an extensive and steady demand.
 Four mines of average capacity are now working, but only two could handle orders over the railroad at the present time.
 The Henryville mine is keeping its output up to a point which will furnish the Smith-Powers Logging company locomotives their necessary 50 tons per day, and would have to do some development to increase the sales to twice that size. The Beaver Hill mines in Coos county are handling a much larger daily output.

Europe Again Buys Refined Sugar.
 Negotiations have been completed by the Federal Sugar Refining Company for the sale of 30,000 tons of refined sugar to a foreign government, according to advices just at hand from New York. This purchase involves about 3,500,000 and stands as a record in the history of the industry. Shipments are to be made over January, February and March.
 The Federal company has just finished clearing a cargo of 5500 tons for Greece, and will load 7000 tons for the British commission. Six thousand tons will be sent to France. Altogether these four transactions total close to 50,000 tons of refined sugar worth about \$5,000,000, done by the Federal, and indicate the pressing need abroad for sugar. In addition to this business Norway and Argentina are in the market and still to be taken care of by the refiners of this country.
 All this sugar was bought in the raw state from Cuba, which, besides supplying the United States with most of its raw sugar, is also shipping heavily to the other side. Cuba's shipments to Europe thus far in 1916 total some 700,000 tons as against 327,000 last year.

Station Bulletins Now Available.
 114 Hop Investigation, Tartar & Pilkington Machinery, Bracker.
 117 Loganberry By-Products, Lewis & Brown.
 118 Ammonification and Nitritification Studies of Certain Types of Oregon Soils, Beckwith, Vass, Robinson.
 119 A Report of the Experimental and Demonstration Work on the Substation Farms at Moro, Burns, Redmond and Metolus, Scudler.
 121 The Common Red Spider or Spider Mite, Ewing.
 122 Irrigation and Soil Moisture Investigations in Western Oregon, Powers.
 123 Somatic Segregation of Characacters in the Le Conte Pear, Tufts.
 129 Pollination of Pomaceous Fruits, Part II, Bradford.
 132 Economics of Apple Orcharding, Lewis & Vickers.
 133 Selection, Adjustment and Care of Farm Machinery, Bracker.
 134 A Study of Variation in Apples During Growing Season, Whitehouse.
 135 Variation of Internal Structure of Apple Varieties, Kraus.
 136 Vegetative Rest on Sandy Soil at the Umatilla Experiment Farm, Allen.
 137 The Drainage of "White Land" and Other Wet Lands in Oregon, Powers & Tetter.
 138 The Pollination of the Pomaceous Fruits, Gross, Fascular, Anatomy of the Apple, Kraus & Ralston.
 Cir. 18 Swine Husbandry.

Graduates All Pleased.
 Oregon Normal School, Monmouth.
 "Every member of both the February and the June graduating classes in 1916, who wanted a position, has one and is teaching," was the announcement made by J. H. Ackerman, president of the Oregon Normal School, who lauded it as being the school's big teachers when calls came in. There were 45 in the February class and 124 at June—a total of 169—and from these 155 are teaching. A few married and some are pursuing higher courses before beginning to teach.

Fresh Ranch Eggs Are Scarce.
 Portland.—Receipts of eggs are now nearly at the low mark and fresh stock particularly is hard to find. At the produce exchange fresh current receipts were sold at 37 1/2 cents.
 Butter continues firm. For extras 33 1/2 cents was bid, with no offerings. The cheese market is holding steady. Oregon triplets were offered at 17 1/2 cents, with 17 cents bid, and Oregon young Americas were offered at 18 1/2 cents, with 18 cents bid.
 The poultry market was in fair shape, with a good demand for small turkeys and large hens. Ducks and geese were dull, but turkeys sold well. The market was well supplied, with dressed veal and hogs, and both lines were weak.

Car Short; Mill Closes.
 Aberdeen, Wash.—The Hoquiam Sash & Door company, of Montesano, has closed its plant indefinitely, due to the car shortage, which is keeping that plant from disposing of its output. This is the second sash and door factory in the county to close down because of the car shortage. The big McCleary plant having closed about 10 days ago. Due to the combined shortage of both water and rail tonnage, many of the millyards are becoming heavily stocked and a big curtailment in the lumber production is anticipated.

New Road Hauling Wood.
 Clackamas, Or.—Three thousand cords of wood have been hauled to Milwaukie and Portland over the Oregon City Railway company's line within the last 10 months, according to information given out recently by Stephen Carver, president of the new rail road. Nine hundred cords of wood belonged to Frank Robertson and were piled at Carver station now and will be shipped soon. Mr. Carver has just bought a tract of timber near Lewthwaite station containing more than 2600 cords of wood.
 Late Peaches Moving.
 Portland.—There was a fairly good demand for late peaches today. Salways were in liberal supply and sold at 65 to 70 cents and clings brought 65 cents. Storage stocks of Elbertas are almost cleaned up. Jonathan apples are moving regularly at \$1.25 to \$1.50, and there is a moderate inquiry for Winter Bananas.
 Grazing On Reserves Increases
 San Francisco.—During 1916, livestock grazing on the United States national forest reserves, in the west principally, increased by 740,979 head of cattle, horses, swine, sheep and goats. Albert F. Poter, associate United States forester, told a convention of western district foresters here.

Two American Ships Sunk.
 London.—Two American ships, the Harvita and the Columbia, have been sunk, according to a dispatch received by the Norwegian minister in Petrograd, from H. A. Falson, the Norwegian consul-general at Archangel, Russia. The dispatch says great difficulty has been experienced in obtaining accurate information.

NORTHWEST MARKET REPORTS: GENERAL CROP CONDITIONS:

Portland.—Wheat—Bluestem, \$1.39; fortyfold, \$1.35; club, \$1.31; red fire, \$1.31; red Russian, \$1.28.
 Oats—No. 1 white feed, \$28.75.
 Barley—No. 1 feed, \$33.50.
 Millfeed—Spot prices: Bran, \$22 per ton; shorts, \$24 per ton; rolled barley, \$35 per ton; peas, \$15.50.
 Corn—Whole, \$42.50 per ton; cracked, \$43.50 per ton.
 Hay—Producers' prices: Timothy, eastern Oregon, \$16.50 to \$18 per ton; timothy, valley, \$15 to \$16 per ton; alfalfa, \$14.50 to \$15.50; wheat hay, \$15.50 to \$16.50; oat and vetch, \$13 to \$13.50; cheat, \$12; clover, \$10.
 Butter—Cubes, extras, 33 1/2c bid. Jobbing prices: Prints, extras, 36 to 37 1/2c; butterfat, No. 1, 35c; No. 2, 33c. Portland.
 Eggs—Oregon ranch, current receipts, 37 1/2c per dozen; Oregon ranch, candled, 40 to 42c.
 Poultry—Hens, 13 1/2 to 14 1/2c; spring, 10 to 17c per pound; turkeys, live, 22 to 23c; ducks, 12 to 16c; geese, 10 to 11c.
 Veal—Fancy, 11 to 11 1/2c per pound. Pork—Fancy, 12 to 12 1/2c per pound. Vegetables—Artichokes, 75c to \$1 per dozen; tomatoes, 50 to 65c per crt.; cabbage, \$1.25 per hundred; peppers, 50 to 60c per hundred; eggplant, 60c per pound; lettuce, 20 to 25c per dozen; cucumbers, 50c to \$1.10 per box; celery, 60 to 75c per dozen; corn, 10 to 20c per dozen.
 Potatoes—Oregon buying price, 90c sweets, \$2 to \$2.25 per hundred.
 \$1 per hundred country points.
 Onions—Oregon buying price, \$1.75 per sack country points.
 Green fruits—Apples, new, 75c to \$2 per box; cantaloupes, 60c to \$1.25 per crate; peaches, 50 to 75c per box; watermelon, 10 to 12c per pound; pears, 75c to \$1.50; grapes, 75c to \$1.50; casabas, 1 1/2c; cranberries, \$9.50 to \$10 per barrel.
 Hops—1916 crop, 10 to 12c per pound. Hides—Salted hides, 25 pounds and up, 17c; salted hides, 50 pounds and up, 12c; dry salted hides, 24c. Wool—Eastern Oregon, fine, 23 to 26c; coarse, 30 to 32c; valley, 30 to 32c; Cascaria Bark—Old and new, 5c per pound.
 Cattle—Steers, prime, \$6.50 to \$7.10; good, \$5.50 to \$6.50; common to fair, \$5.50 to \$6.50; cows, choice, \$5.75 to \$7.50; good, \$4 to \$5; ordinary to fair, \$4 to \$5; heifers, \$4 to \$5.75; bulls, \$3 to \$4.25; calves, \$3 to \$6.
 Hogs—Prime, \$9.50 to \$9.75; good to prime mixed, \$8.50 to \$9.50; rough heavy \$8.75 to \$9.25; pigs and skips, \$8.25 to \$8.75.
 Sheep—Lamb, \$5.50 to \$7.75; yearling wethers, \$5.75 to \$7.25; old wethers \$5.00 to \$7.25; ewes, \$3.50 to \$5.50.

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He Met His Match.
 A slight faked old man, feeling very sick, asked a friend to recommend a physician. The friend named a certain specialist.
 "Is he very expensive?" asked the sick man.
 "Well, not so very. He'll charge you \$4 for the first visit and \$2 for each one after that."
 The old fellow soon afterward walked into the office of the physician named by his friend, and upon being admitted to the consulting room, plunked down \$2, remarking: "Well, doctor, here I am again."
 The physician calmly picked up the money and put it in a drawer, which he locked securely. The sick man looked on, expectantly, awaiting the next move.
 "Well, I'm ready to be examined," he said at length.
 "I don't think it's necessary," replied the shrewd specialist. There's no need to do it again. Keep right on taking the same medicine. Good day, sir."—Washington Post.

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Net Flattered.
 An old Scotch woman, who had related all the entreaties of her friends to have her photograph taken and who was at last induced to consent, in order that she might send her likeness to her son in America, is the heroine of the following anecdote.
 On receiving the first proof she failed to recognize the figure thereon represented as herself, so, art in hand, she set out for the artist's studio.
 "Is that me?" she queried.
 "Yes, madam," replied the artist.
 "And is it like me?" she again asked.
 "Yes, madam, it's a speaking likeness."
 "Aweel," she said resignedly, "it's a humblin' sikit."—Tit-Bits.

What a Nerve.
 "Boy, take these flowers to Miss Bertie Bohoo, room No. 12."
 "My, sir, you're the fourth gent wot's sent her flowers today."
 "What's that? What the deuce? Who sent the flowers?"
 "Oh, they didn't send any name. They all said, 'She'll know who they came from.'"
 "Well, here, take my card and tell her these are from the same gentleman who sent the other three lots."—Pearson's Weekly.

Fixed That All Right.
 Galleigh—Here's the dress suit you loaned me, old man, and many thanks. It didn't fit me very well, so I had the tailor make a few alterations. Ducky and Green—The deuce you did! Well, of all the ——— Galleigh—Oh, it's all right, old chap. I told him to send the bill to me.—Boston Transcript.

Fair Exchange.
 Mother—Our daughter sends 20 kisses and wants 10 by return?
 Father—Ten kisses?
 Mother—Don't be absurd, John! Ten pounds, of course!—London Answers.
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 A Wise Guy.
 "So Jack is going to get married. He doesn't know when he is well off."
 "Maybe not; but he knows when a girl's father is well off."—Boston Transcript.
 Her Reading.
 "Do you ever read aloud to your husband?"
 "Yes, indeed. I read all the key lines to the moving picture we see to him."—Detroit Free Press.
 Might be an Ass.
 "Would you advise me to bull or bear the market?"
 "I would advise you not to monkey with it."—Boston Transcript.

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