

# FRESH FRUIT AND VEGETABLES COST UP 121 PER CENT

Chicago, Jan. 24—(U.P.)—Fresh fruit and vegetables now cost the consumer 121 per cent more than they did in 1939, Geoffrey Baker, chief of the food price division of the OPA in Washington, told a meeting of the United

Fresh Fruit & Vegetable association today. Most of the increase in prices were caused by the necessity of equalizing the farmer's income with other industries, and of encouraging increased production, he said. High wages and scarcity of labor have also contributed, he added.

The food price chief assured housewives that 1945 ceiling prices for fresh fruit and vegetables will be no higher than last year, and probably will be revised downward. He predicted that nearly all fruits and vegetables not now under price control will be soon.

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### Livestock

Portland, Ore., Jan. 24—(U.P.)—Live-stock: cattle 300, calves 50. Generally active, strong to higher prices. Few sales fully steady. Steers scarce. Good fed steers quotable to 16.00. Medium heifers 12.00 @ 14.00. Banner-cutter cows 6.00 @ 8.00. Fat dairy type to 10.00. Medium beef cows to 11.00. Good-choice vealers 13.50 @ 15.00. Hogs 5.00. Very active, steady. Good-choice 170-270 lbs 15.75; 280-330 lbs, 14.50 @ 15.00. Good sows 13.50 @ 14.00. Feeder pigs 15.00 @ 15.25. Sheep 100. Quotable steady. Good-choice trucked-in lambs salable 14.50 @ 15.00; one choice lot held higher; one load late Tuesday 16.25. Good-choice ewes quotable 90c above last week at 6.50 @ 7.50.

## Aid for Innocent Victim



A U. S. Army doctor renders medical assistance to a Filipino child, still fully wounded by shrapnel during the fighting on Luzon, while her anguished father looks on. Signal Corps photo.

## ACCIDENT DEATHS ABOVE WAR TOLL

Chicago (U.P.)—Deaths from accidents on the home front since Pearl Harbor still are running more than two to one over deaths to American fighting men on all battlefronts, announced Ned H. Dearborn, president of the National Safety Council.

The death totals on Nov. 1 were 280,000 for accidents and 108,897 for war, Dearborn said.

"No one means to imply, of course, that life on the home front is as dangerous as on the battlefield," he said. "But as long as accidents are making a second-place killer out of war, they are a challenge no serious-minded person can ignore."

"Success of the campaign rests in the final analysis with the private citizen—the GI Joe of the home front, who drives a car, works in a factory or office and otherwise lives the life of an average American," he said.

"The least we can do on the home front is to go to a little extra trouble to prevent these accidents that make things tougher for the boy on the battlefield."

### Southpaw Teachers Found Acceptable To 81 Principals

Trenton, N. J.—(U.P.)—Left-handed teachers in New Jersey, at least—are not particularly handicapped in their chosen profession, a survey by Christie Jeffries, assistant professor of English at the State Teachers college, Paterson, reports in the New Jersey Educational Review.

Curious about the subject of left-handed teachers, she sent a questionnaire to Jersey principals and learned that 81 principals had no objection to a "southpaw" teacher, 22 were doubtful because of lack of experience with left-handed teachers, and 24 said they regarded left-handedness as a teacher handicap because of the tendency of pupils to emulate the teacher's writing habits.

Left-handedness has increased from four to 13 per cent in the past two decades, she found, but only 1.6 per cent of the principals who answered her questionnaire were southpaws.

### WOMAN HOSPITALIZED BY SAWMILL ACCIDENT

Jennie Lawless, 832 North Central avenue, was taken to a local hospital yesterday afternoon where she was found to be suffering from shock as a result of a hand truck loaded with green lumber tipping over and striking her in the stomach, according to George Davis who took her to the hospital in the Perl ambulance. Hospital authorities said she would be released some time today. The accident occurred at Timber Products company where Mrs. Lawless is employed.

### PERSONAL ASSESSMENT RETURNS DUE MARCH 1

County Assessor C. A. Myers requests that taxpayers of the county mail or bring in their personal assessment blanks, sent to them January 1, as soon as convenient, and before March 1, the final date for filing. The county assessor reports quite a few have been tardy with the blanks.

### BIRTHS

VAN RIPER—To Mr. and Mrs. Fred, Rt. 1, Box 407, Jan. 23, 1945, a girl, seven pounds, at Community hospital.

HAMM—To Pvt. and Mrs. Gordon, 1103 Queen Anne, Jan. 23, 1945, a girl, eight pounds, at Community hospital.

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## MUSTEROLE

### South San Francisco livestock market (USDA)

Cattle: 75. Steady. Good fed steers and heifers absent. One load and half range cows Tuesday 12.25. Today common to medium cows 9.50 @ 10.50, few 11.00, cutters 8.00 @ 9.00, canners 6.00 @ 8.00. Odd head good bulls 12.00 @ 12.25; medium sausage kinds 10.00 @ 10.50. Calves: none; nominal. Good to choice vealers quoted 14.00 @ 14.50.

Hogs: 100. Steady; good to choice 200-270 lb barrows and sows 15.75; sows 50c higher, good mostly 14.75. Sheep: 150. One load good to choice full-wooled Idaho 16.00, sorted 15 per cent at 14.00. Good full-wooled ewes quoted 8.00 @ 8.25.

Chicago, Jan. 24—(U.P.)—(WFA)—Livestock: Hogs: 11,000; complete clearance early. Good and choice 170 lbs and over 14.75; 140-160 lbs 14.75 @ 14.65; good and choice sows 14.00.

Cattle: 12,000; calves: 200. Vealers 15.50 down; fed steers and yearlings predominated in receipts, bulk 14.00 @ 16.00; top 17.25 on long yearlings; best heavy steers 17.00; top heifers 15.15.

Sheep: 5,000; higher asking prices regarding trade on slaughter lambs; good and choice fed wooled westerns held 16.00 and slightly above, bidding steady.

### Portland Produce

Portland, Jan. 24—(U.P.)—Wholesale market: Cauliflower—local, \$1.90-2.20 crate. Rhubarb—California, \$2.25 @ 2.50 per 40-lb box. Spinach—Local \$2 per orange box.

### Chicago Wheat

Chicago, Jan. 24—(U.P.)—Wheat: Open High Low Close May 1.59 1/2 1.60 1/2 1.59 1/2 July 1.50 1/2 1.51 1/2 1.50 1/2 Sept 1.48 1/2 1.50 1/2 1.48 1/2 Dec 1.49 1/2 1.50 1/2 1.49 1/2

### S. F. DAIRY PRICES

San Francisco, Jan. 24—(U.P.)—Dairy market: Butter: score 43, 82 score 42 1/2, 90 score 42 1/4, 89 score 41 3/4.

Cheese: Wholesale prices loafs 27.9, triplets 27.2.

Eggs: Large grade A 47 1/2, large grade B 43 1/2, medium grade A 44 1/2, small grade A 39 1/2.

### Wall Street

New York, Jan. 24—(U.P.)—Renewed interest in railroad shares lifted the general list of stocks fractions to around a point today after a small early decline. Trading was light.

Wall Street viewed the pickup in demand for railroad stocks as an indication that recent heavy selling in that group may have been overdone. The undertone of the market, moreover, in the five previous sessions of decline had been such that any concentrated buying in any group of leaders would have provided the necessary stimulus for a fair recovery, analysts said.

Today's closing prices on selected stocks:

American Tel. & Tel.	160 3/4
Anaconda	30 1/2
Chrysler	92 3/4
Curtis Wright	5 1/2
General Electric	38
General Motors	63 1/2
Montgomery Ward	49 1/2
Penn R. R.	33 1/2
Phillips Petroleum	45
J. C. Penney	108 1/4
Radio	11
Southern Pacific	39 3/4
Standard Oil of Calif.	39
Texas Gulf Sulphur	37 1/2
Transamerica	10 3/4
United Aircrafts	29 1/2
U. S. Rubber	52
U. S. Steel	58 1/2

### FOR WALLACE

Washington, Jan. 24—(U.P.)—Sen. Glen H. Taylor, (D., Ida.) who not so long ago used to sing about feuds, came out today for Henry A. Wallace. The erstwhile singing cowboy issued a formal statement saying Wallace's "pre-visioned experience and demonstrated ability can leave no doubt about his qualifications."

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COFFEE	All Popular Brands	lb. 27c
Campbell's	TOMATO SOUP	3 for 25c
Lynden	Chicken & Noodles	Large Jar 25c

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