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Investigating Charges of Retail Food Prices Being Increased Unnecessarily

Chicago, Oct. 31.—United States District Attorney Clyne today continued his examination of big wholesale grocers, in compliance with the charge of the Chicago retailers that food prices are being unnecessarily raised.

The wholesaler has replied to the retailers' charge that nature, not himself, is to blame.

Investigation by the United Press today showed actual retail prices now compared with a year ago. These prices were secured at downtown stores. In many cases suburban dealers have added two to five cents to quoted figures. Here are the city prices:

	October, 1915.	October, 1916.
Canned tomatoes	.66 1-2 per dozen	\$ 1.25
Canned corn, fancy	.92 1-2 per dozen	1.40
Canned corn, standard	.75 per dozen	1.15
Canned string beans, fancy	.90 per dozen	1.40
Canned string beans, standard	.85 1-2 per quart	1.25
Hand picked navy beans	.69 7-8 per dozen	1.12 to 25
Canned peas, standard	.69 7-8 per dozen	.95
Canned peas, fancy	1.15 1-25 per dozen	1.40-1.50
Brick cheese	.15 1-2 per pound	.23
Colored twin cheese	.15 1-2 per pound	.22
Domestic Swiss cheese	.23 to 25 per pound	.35
Potatoes	.95 per bushel	1.80
Flour	5.90 per barrel	10.30
Butter	.28 per pound	.35 to 38
Eggs	.26 per dozen	.34 to 37

C. W. Hakes, being manager of the Randolph Market company, which operates several large retail stores, said:

"Increases are coming so fast that we cannot keep up with them. The wholesalers seem to advance all prices in company to extreme quotations in food. Wholesalers are holding back goods for higher prices and are getting them."

Most of the Chicago wholesalers refused to be quoted while the United States inquiry is on. Officials of Steele-Wedels company, however, attributed the increase in food prices to the extreme hot weather in July and August, which destroyed much of the corn crop and the early frost, which practically killed the tomato and late potato crop.

"If the public knew the actual condition of food in this country a panic would result," said the statement.

"They will have to pay a high price until another crop has been received. Prices may come down then, but at present there is no relief in sight."

Prices Will Be Much Higher.

San Francisco, Oct. 31.—Rises in the retail prices of flour and other staples effective yesterday and today are only the forerunner of increased cost of every edible and the consumer must accept this as inevitable, said officials of the Retail Grocers' association today. The only grain of comfort was the postponement of the raise in bread prices to six cents, but this is too short lived as the new price becomes effective Monday.

The price of every other commodity also is up. Everything in which wheat is used, including breakfast foods, is rising. The canned milk problem is also acute, the largest firms having withdrawn from the market.

rupt October 10, 1916, by the district court of the U. S. for District of Oregon. He says there is the sum of \$2,545.09 on hand. The order was made.

An order was asked of the court dismissing the suit of W. A. Taylor, receiver of the Abaqua Lumber company, against J. H. Hawley and V. J. Krebbel, because the action has been settled.

Final report of W. A. Taylor, receiver of the Abaqua Lumber company, in the case of D. A. Vogt against the Abaqua Lumber company, states that after expenses are all paid he will have on hand \$21,891. He asked for an order ratifying his actions as receiver and directing him to turn the money over to himself as trustee. The order was granted by Judge Galloway. The Abaqua Lumber company was declared bankrupt in September by the district court of the United States.

Steel Goes Higher In Wall Street Market

New York, Oct. 31.—The New York Evening Sun financial review today said:

In the first half hour the stock market was unsettled with a trend of softness, particularly in the industrial list. In either direction the changes were for the most part narrow and were taken to reflect the uncertainties engendered by the sinking of the British ship Mariner.

As the session advanced strength developed in the specialty list, with pronounced improvement in Crucible Steel, which gained more than two points. The common and preferred shares of the International Agricultural Corporation advanced a point or more.

By the end of the first hour there was marked improvement throughout the industrial list with advances of substantial fractions to more than two points. United States Industrial Alcohol gained 2 5/8 points after its early depression.

Market movements continued narrow and halting into the afternoon trading. There was neither extreme weakness nor pronounced strength, except in spots.

Wheat Is Affected by Submarine Attack

Chicago, Oct. 31.—Wheat received a moderate setback today on a nervous market. Quite general selling was induced by the unfavorable developments growing out of the new submarine attacks. At the opening today December showed a decline of 1 5/8 and May dropped 1 1/2 from yesterday's close. July was down 3/4. December was down half at noon over today's opening at \$1.88 1/2; May down 1/4 at 1.57 1/2; July down 1/4 at 1.48 3/4.

Corn opened at the same prices as yesterday's close and on fair selling weakened. December was down 1-8 at 86 7/8; May unchanged at 88 3/4.

Oats opened steady, but general selling caused a moderate decline, December being down 1-8 at 45 1/2; May down half at 37 3/4.

Provisions were steady with a downward tendency.

Down in Portland
Portland, Ore., Oct. 31.—Wheat dropped 3 to 5 cents on the Portland market today. It was the first decrease in many weeks. Bluestem went down to \$1.61. Lower markets abroad were given as reason for the drop.

Monmouth News
(Capital Journal Special Service.)
Monmouth, Ore., Oct. 31.—On Saturday, October 21, occurred one of the most important events of the social season in Monmouth, the occasion being the annual reception given by President and Mrs. Ackerman to the citizens of Monmouth and vicinity in the parlors of the normal dormitory. The decorations were

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WHERE THEY WILL HEAR IT

New York, Oct. 31.—One week from today the voters of the country will have their say in the campaign. The various candidates will receive returns next Tuesday night as follows:

* President Wilson, at Shadow house, the "summer white house."

* Charles E. Hughes, in New York; probably at the Astor hotel.

* Allan L. Benson at his home in Youkers.

* J. Frank Hanly at his home in Indianapolis.

* Vice President Marshall, probably at his home in Indianapolis.

* Charles W. Fairbanks at his home in Indianapolis.

Monmouth high school and an extra row of seats had to be put in to accommodate the late comers.

E. R. Ostrom is suffering from a carbuncle on his side, which compels him to take things easy for a time.

Mrs. Alderson is planning to spend the winter in the east and expects to leave in about two weeks.

William Ireland and wife, of Corvallis, visited with friends in Monmouth last Sunday.

There will be a lecture on Christian Science at the Odd Fellows hall Sunday afternoon, November 5. This is free and everyone will be welcome.

The senior reception of Monmouth high school was given Saturday night, October 28, in the high school gymnasium. Practically all of the students and many of the alumni were present; also several of the patrons and faculty members. The decorations consisted of a profusion of hats, black cats and witches swinging about overhead and the usual corn shocks and pumpkin jack-o'-lanterns that belong to a hallowe'en affair. In the way of entertainment there were several musical selections, many games and contests and a peanut hunt which caused much merriment, the peanuts being hidden among the corn stocks and in the dry autumn leaves which were scattered about the floor. Refreshments consisted of orange sherbet served in the orange shells, orange-ade and honey jumbles decorated with icing and purple M's; white and purple being the senior class colors.

"Civilization" was given here both Friday afternoon and evening in the normal chapel, both times to a crowded house.

Practically no farming has been done in this vicinity up to date as there has not been sufficient rain to enable farmers to plow.

Mr. Nahum Morton, who lives three-fourths of a mile south of Monmouth is building an addition onto his house.

Mr. A. H. Craven recently dug 500 bushels of potatoes off of one and a half acres of his farm which is situated about three-fourths of a mile southeast of town.

COMPLEXION SECRETS OF AN ACTRESS

In a recently issued volume bearing the above title, the author says: "Continuous use of grease paints, rouge and the like, had ruined my complexion. My skin was colorless, wrinkled, coarse and punctured with large pores. While abroad I heard of the virtues of mercurozized wax; my first experience with this marvelous substance convinced me it was more valuable than all cosmetics combined. Now whenever my complexion begins to go wrong I get an ounce of mercurozized wax at the nearest drug store, spread on a thin layer of it before retiring, washing it off next morning. The wax, after a few such treatments, seems literally to absorb the worn-out cuticle, when a brighter, healthier, younger looking skin appears.

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INFANTILE PARALYSIS

Sacramento, Cal., Oct. 30.—Soon after the state department of health was advised today that infantile paralysis had caused the death of a child in San Mateo, Cal., and that there are several children there who are apparently afflicted with the same disease, Dr. J. C. Geiger, of the bureau of communicable diseases, was sent to the scene to conduct an investigation.

Downed, as Usual.
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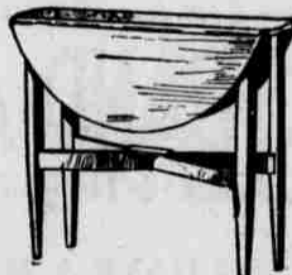
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