

PRICE OF BREAD LIKELY TO FALL

Public Pressure May Force Bakers to Meet Slight Temporary Losses

CLEVELAND, O., Nov. 29.—The price of a 24 ounce loaf of bread was reduced from 12 cents today by a grocery company operating a large number of stores here.

By EDWARD M. THIERRY, N. E. A. Staff Correspondent.

CHICAGO, Nov. 29.—Give us this day our daily bread. Yet you are paying more for your daily bread than you thought you would when you saw wheat and flour prices go tumbling. Wheat and flour prices, which began to decline spectacularly several months ago, are way down and seem certain to stay down. But bread has only begun to go down, the decline not being universal, because bakers still contend high labor costs prohibit a general recession from the 1920 national average retail price of 11.9 cents for a pound loaf.

Public pressure will continue to hammer down bread prices, for bakers are now resigned to the necessity of bearing a temporary loss. But you can make up your mind that you will never have the pre-war 5-cent loaf or anything like it.

CONCLUSIONS FROM SURVEY

These are conclusions obtained from an exhaustive survey of the wheat situation from the wheat field to the dinner table.

In the wheat-flour bread situation, you get an amazing conflict of opinions and an endless circle of accusations fixing the blame. Each factor blames the other. The farmer blames speculators, bankers, millers, Miller's blame farmers, bakers, the shipping board. Bakers blame millers, jobbers and labor. And the public blames them all as profiteers.

Sifting the claims of everybody brings this verdict:

The basic cause of the high cost of bread is labor's high wage standard. The immediate cause of the collapse of wheat and flour markets is the foreign export buyer.

Which enables you to back back and blame it all on the war!

Wheat is now at the lowest price level in four years. So is flour. Farmers are losing money on every bushel of wheat they sell. Flour mills are working at 50 per cent capacity.

EVERYTHING OUT OF BALANCE

Everything is out of balance, experts agree. Re-adjustment is bound to come, they say. The majority think wheat eventually will go up a lot, flour will go up some—and bread prices thereby will rebound from the present sporadic decline, unless labor costs are reduced materially.

But optimists and pessimists agree on this:

That America never will see wheat at the pre-war figure of 50 cents a bushel, flour at 3 cents a pound and bread at 5 cents a loaf.

Flour consumption has fallen so much that 20 million barrels is 20 million barrels less than the 1919 production of 130 million barrels.

Farmers and millers are out of luck because America already has exported too much wheat and not enough flour. Flour exports, 25 million barrels in 1919, have decreased tremendously.

So you—if you are a farmer or miller—can justifiably blame the slump on the canny foreign buyer.

DEPENDS ON THREE THINGS

And if you are just a disinterested citizen of bread, the only conclusion left for you is that bread prices will not go down very much and will not stay down very long unless wheat and flour stay down and labor costs are reduced. Farmers do not want the former to happen. And labor does not want the latter to happen, which is the reason why the price of bread probably will remain disconcertingly unstable.

BARGE WITH 23 PERSONS ON BOARD NOT LOCATED

SEATTLE, Wash., Nov. 29.—Patrol parties continued today their search along the rocky Washington coast for traces of the barge W. J. Pirie, cut adrift in a gale Friday from the steamer Santa Rita near James Island with twenty-three persons aboard.

The coast guard cutter Quillowish sent a radio message that parties from the cutter and from the Quillowish Indian reservation were patrolling the coast.

Quantities of lumber which is believed might have been a part of the Pirie's cargo were washed up on the beaches.

KONDON'S CATARRHAL JELLY FOR Colds

Get a tube today. Makes your head and nose feel fine.

Easy to apply Quick to act

30 treatment tin FREE—Write KONDON MFG. CO. Minneapolis, Minn.

LEAGUE STARTS ON HARD WEEK

Geneva Delegates Must Act on Mandates and Whether to Admit Austria

GENEVA, Nov. 29.—(By the Associated Press.)—Appointment of a permanent mandate commission and election of a successor to Sir Reginald Dwyer as high commissioner at Danzig were two important matters before the council of the league of nations when it met here today. It is believed that some of the most important work before the council and the assembly of the league will be accomplished during the coming week. Committee reports are rapidly being put into final form were two important matters before the assembly by Saturday night, it is said.

ADMISSION OF AUSTRIA

Among the important questions which will come before the assembly this week is the question of admitting Austria and Bulgaria to the league of nations. Despite the strong opposition of Serbia, Rumania and Greece to the granting of membership to Bulgaria at a time when a large number of delegates seem in favor of taking that step. This is virtually no opposition in the case of Austria, the application of which probably will be favorably acted upon in a few days.

Discussion of the detachment of troops the member nations will send into Lithuania as well as the organization of a medical force to be dispatched to Yugo-Slavia also will be considered by the council today. In addition the council intended to take up the guarantees extended racial and religious minorities in Yugo-Slavia and Czechoslovakia.

POLAND AND RUSSIA

Delegates to the meeting of the assembly are awaiting with keenest interest the probable discussion tomorrow of a motion proposed by George Nikolai Barnes, of Great Britain, regarding the conflict between Poland and Russia. It is reported Mr. Barnes may attempt to put the league in a position of defending its inactivity in that war, but there is a disposition on the part of delegates not to permit the subject to reach any decisive issue.

For the last two days European delegates have been dividing their attention between the sessions of the assembly and the meeting of Premier Lloyd George and Lecky in London. The decision of France and England regarding Greece and the Near East is awaited with much concern. Many delegates continue to discuss the probability of Greece losing its place on the council of the league if Constantine returns to the throne.

Most of the delegates have the impression that the first reply of President Wilson to the council's note relative to Armenia will be perfunctory, not committing the United States in any way, definitely rejecting the offer. Mr. Wilson's answer is expected to arrive within the next few days.

APPROVE MANDATE PROGRAM

The council today approved the final draft of the project for the permanent mandates commission, tentatively accepting the proposal to have the council appoint a non-mandatory and four mandatory powers. It was decided that all the members be chosen by the council.

The permanent commission, it is foreseen, will probably meet once a year at Geneva and review the administration of the mandate holding countries.

Detailed rules for the commission also were ratified.

The council did not consider today the proposed invitation to the United States for its participation in the discussion over disarmament.

SMALL STATES BARRED

The committee on the admission of new members finally agreed today that it is impossible to admit now the new states carved out of old Russian territory. The theory of the committee is that these states will eventually form part of a new Russian confederation, entirely changing their present status. The committee will recommend, however, that while these states are not admitted to full membership, their delegates, shall be allowed to sit in the assembly in a consulting capacity without the right to a vote.

TRUMP MOVEMENT OPPOSED

MADRID, Nov. 29.—Attacks upon the project of sending Spanish troops to Lithuania in execution of the plans of the league of nations were renewed today by the newspaper El Ideal. It declares that the project is "of serious significance" for Spain, "whose people were not consulted beforehand about this decision regarding their army which was reached by foreigners." The newspaper argues this is a peculiar manner in which to "pursue open diplomacy."

CARDINALS NAME TEXAS CITY AS TRAINING GROUNDS

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Nov. 29.—The St. Louis Cardinals will train at Orange, Tex., it was announced today. The players will be notified to report there February 20.

Masonic Notice

The annual visitation of the Grand Lodge will take place Monday evening, Nov. 29th, in Masonic Temple. Members of Weber Lodge, No. 6, Unity Lodge, No. 12, and George Washington Lodge, U. D., please take notice and be present if possible. Sojourning brethren cordially invited.

By order of Grand Master of the Grand Lodge. 7824

IRISH MEETINGS IN EAST SPLIT

Discord Rules Conventions for Massachusetts and Pennsylvania Friends

WORCESTER, Mass., Nov. 29.—One hundred of the 455 delegates to the state convention of the Friends of Irish Freedom Sunday walked out of the auditorium when it was announced that Justice Cohan of New York was in open defiance of the resolutions of the Irish Free State adherents.

The de Valera men stuck through the most stormy business session which tested the tactfulness of the chairman in keeping order at times when the opinions of the rival factions clashed.

Judge Cohan, who was received with cheers, took the break between himself and deValera over the plank to be presented to the national political convention. He declared that his plank had been made part of the Republican platform would have prevented the previous atrocities and reprisals in Ireland.

PENNSYLVANIA DISCORD

POTTSTOWN, Pa., Nov. 29.—Proposed propaganda in America and the methods to be used carried a split today in the state convention of the Friends of Irish Freedom, many delegates headed by former Congressman Donahoe and John T. Flood, both of Philadelphia, leaving the hall and organizing a separate convention. The bolters declared most of the Philadelphia delegation and parts of the Republican platform would have prevented the previous atrocities and reprisals in Ireland.

Supporting of the other faction later adopted resolution to merge with the American association for the recognition of Irish freedom.

REFORMERS WOULD CLOSE EVERYTHING ON THE SABBATH

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Nov. 29.—A campaign about to be inaugurated by the Lord's Day Alliance of New Jersey for a Puritan Sunday was given the approval Sunday of the house of bishops of the Methodist Episcopal church.

The campaign, if successful, would result in the closing of all stores on Sunday, prohibit the playing of all games, stop the running of all trains and the publication of newspapers.

LAST HONORS ACCORDED MILLIONAIRE OIL MAN

ARDMORE, ORE., Nov. 29.—Men and women prominent in the public life of the state and nation are in Ardmore to attend the funeral this afternoon of James L. Hamon, the national committeeman and millionaire oil man. Among those present are the five representatives of Oklahoma elected in November.

Out of respect for Mr. Hamon all trains on the Wichita Falls, Ranner & Fort Worth railroad, of which he was the owner, will stop ten minutes this afternoon from 2 to 2:10 o'clock. All operations on the Hamon leases will halt from 2 to 2:10 o'clock this afternoon.

Isn't it fortunate that good coffee costs just about the same per cup as ordinary coffee!

Isn't it fortunate that the full original flavor of really fine coffee is now protected by vacuum-sealed tins, so that all the goodness and rich smooth taste get into your breakfast cup?

And isn't it particularly nice that you can get your money back if you don't like Schilling Coffee?

Schilling Coffee

GREEKS PREPARE BID TO EX-KING

Notables May Carry Out Formal Notification of People's Vote

ATHENS, Nov. 29.—(By the Associated Press.)—It is probable that former King Constantine will not turn at once to Greece, but after the plebiscite to be held on December 5 a number of deputies and ministers may go to Switzerland to notify him of the result of the vote. Every effort is being made to win the favor of France and Great Britain which is taken to be evidence that Greece is disposed to remain neutral.

The newspaper Estia, official organ, states the present Greek government has received no unfavorable word from the allies.

Returns from the vote cast by the army in the election of November 14 show that it will give the followers of Constantine a larger majority in the chamber. It is reported that 50,000 ballots cast by the army were fraudulent.

Important British and French squadrons have arrived at Salonica from Constantinople. So far no foreign ministers have left Athens.

"So far it would be folly," said Prince Christopher, brother of Constantine, "to be pro-German today with Germany so low. Greece wants only to live in peace. This is Constantine's program."

COUNTERFEITERS NABBED WITH NEWLY MADE NOTES

CINCINNATI, O., Nov. 29.—Following information given by a woman, three policemen entered a room here Sunday and arrested two men who were drying the ink on more than 1,000 worth of 10 bank notes which had been printed from copper plates. The counterfeiting outfit, police say, is one of the most complete which has ever been found in Cincinnati. The prisoners were registered as Martin Hamman, 37, Cincinnati, and John Schwick, 25, former old Vincennes, Ind. Nine of the bank notes had been completed and the paper was still wet. The paper used was of the best grade and an artificial toughness was added with glue.

Police said Hamman was sentenced to serve five years in the federal prison at Leavenworth, Kan., after he had been convicted of counterfeiting in Oklahoma and was recently released.

The proprietress of the rooming house gave the information leading to the arrests.

All of the bills were of the same denomination and the issue of the federal bank of Chicago of May 5, 1919.

DIVORCING OF STOCKYARDS FROM PACKERS IS OPPOSED

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—Opposition to any plan for divorcing the five big meat packers from their stockyard properties by court decree, as tending to interfere with enactment of controlling legislation, was expressed in a joint statement issued here today by Charles A. Lyman, secretary of the national board of farm organizations, Florence Kelly, secretary of the National Consumers League, and Mrs. Maude Wood Park, president of the National League of Women Voters.

The statement, also signed by representatives of the Farmers' National Council and the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, declared the motion to interfere with enactment of controlling legislation must be "exercised as a whole," the statement said.

S. F. CHIEF OF POLICE DIES OF INFLUENZA

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 29.—Chief of Police V. A. White died early Sunday from influenza and complications after an illness of 10 days.

He had held the position of chief for nine years continuously, longer than any other appointee ever did.

While received many commendations from various parts of the country for efficient handling of the crowds at the Democratic national convention here last June.

AMERICAN ENVOY WINS FRENCH RULER'S SHOOT

PARIS, Nov. 29.—Hugh C. Wallace, the American ambassador, proved the "best gun" of 15 prominent hunters who attended President Millerand's first official invitation game shooting party Sunday.

Mr. Wallace accounted for 125 pieces of game out of a total of 650 for the entire party.

El Monte Commandery No. 2, Knights Templar

Special meeting, Tuesday, November 30, 8 p. m., for K. T. Degree which will be given by the R. E. Grand Commandery, who will make visit for that purpose. Refreshments by order of the E. C.

F. E. NICHOLS, Recorder.

Wright's
A GOOD PLACE TO TRADE

Toyland's Christmas Opening

Better Than a Circus

If a circus was in town, every mother in Weber county would be taking the kiddies to the parade. And yet here is a show, infinitely more attractive to the childish heart than a circus parade. For here is Toyland, the realm of Santa Claus—the realization of every child's dream for the past year.

Do you know, parents, that Toyland is not directly profitable to the store? If we looked merely upon the profits in money that accrue, Toyland would be discontinued.

We continue Toyland, because the children expect it of us. When Christmas time comes, children's thoughts turn to toys and Wright's. It is worth all the trouble and expense that it costs, to establish in every child's mind a pleasant recollection of the store at which he will trade when he grows up.

This year's Toyland is the best we have ever planned. You see here today a stock of toys that cost \$15,000. And never before has the buying been so early. Every day since the opening, sales have doubled those of last year. We're quite sincere in advising that you select your toys now—we'll hold them if you wish. But bring the children in and make selections now to avoid heartaches on Christmas morning.

WOULD RESTRICT FLOW OF ALIENS

So. Dakota Senator Wants Immigration Controlled by New Board

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—Senator Sterling, of South Dakota, a Republican member of the senate immigration committee, announced here today that he would introduce in congress a bill creating a federal immigration board with power over all questions relating to immigration and including the right to decide the number of immigrants to be admitted to the country.

The senator declared there were two fundamental reasons for restricting immigration—first, the need to continue American labor on a high standard and to make more stringent the restrictions against the radical elements entering the country.

The proposed immigration board in determining the number of immigrants to be admitted to the country would, the senator said, take into consideration the amount of employment or unemployment in the United States. It also would be expected to admit only such immigrants as could be assimilated.

WILSON OFFERS TUMULTY PLACE AS CUSTOMS JUDGE

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—Joseph P. Tumulty, secretary to the president, has been offered by President Wilson an appointment to the customs court of appeals, but has reached no decision with regard to its acceptance. This was disclosed last night in a statement issued by Mr. Tumulty, prompted by various published reports as to what his future plans were.

The statement also took notice of reports that Mr. Tumulty planned to enter a partnership.

"I have made no definite plans for the future," Mr. Tumulty said. "It is true that the president has generously offered to me a judicial post made vacant by the death of Chief Justice Montgomery of the cus-

HAVE A CUP OF

BLUE PINE COFFEE

TODAY at

J. H. Tillotson
2281 Washington Avenue

Free demonstration of Blue Pine Coffee and Tea will be given at Ogden grocers during the next ten days.

SPECIAL

Children's "Cadet" stockings, regular 85c and 75c grades

Now 50c Pair

EVERYTHING CHEAPER

Children's mercerized stockings, "Buster Brown" and "Victor" makes; regular 85c and 75c grades

Now 50c Pair

Buster Brown children's hosiery, regular 40c and 50c grades, now 3 pair for \$1

OGDEN-UTAH KNITTING STORE

2357 WASHINGTON AVE.