WILSON SAYS FOOD PRICE TABLES WILL HELP PUBLIC

By BILL PRICE.

Clarence R. Wilson, Food Administrator for the District, was sanguine today that he is on the right line in making public food tables giving the low prices at which staple foods may be bought wholesale and retail. He proposes to develop this method, as information and events justify, that those who may wish to keep informed as to food prices may easily do so.

"I believe we are on one line that is very helpful to the community," said Mr. Wilson today. "I have talked with wholesalers, retailers, and consumers, and the wholesaler and consumer appear to be satisfied with the food price tables. The majority of retailers do not seem to like it."

Watching Wholesalers.

Mr. Wilson is watching wholesale prices pretty closely, because his authority over these places is broad. He is not only keeping track of prices they charge retailers, but also the prices they pay, so as to determine whether there is profiteering and to know the margain of profit they make in the handling of goods.

"The two principal things we had in mind in these tables," went on Mr. Wilson to The Times, "were: First, prevention of profiteering and exorbitant prices; second, education of the public as to the reasons for prices and as to how they can obtain lower prices if they wish.

"In other words, the dealers and the public are being brought together in a common understanding.

"I have been in consultation with my advisory committees on groceries, markets and produce as well as with wholesalers. Some of these advisers criticise the publication of any price list as causing unnecessary agitation and discontent on the part of the public, but the majority approve the publications. There is also some criticism of the form of the price list on the ground that the prices to consumers ought to give the range of the highest and lowest prices.

"The reason we do not give these ranges is that the tendency would be to increase prices to the highest range quoted.

Few Complaints Made.

"In view of our invitation to the public to report exorbitant prices to us we naturally expected many complaints, but as a matter of fact we have received comparatively few. We have had, however, many inquiries. Our investigations of complaints and inquiries have uncovered remarkably few cases of exorbitant prices, and have led us to explain that the prices complained of are charged by stores which give extra service in the way of credit and delivery. For these services the public must, of course, expect to pay."

Will Not Hesitate at Prosecution.

On the subject of extortion Mr. Wilson does not hesitate to let it be known that he will bring prosecution when facts are sufficient to warrant. He was selected for his position because of his widom as a lawyer, part of this gained in his experience as United States attorney for the District. As prosecuting officer of the District he showed no favors, but went after big and little alike. As a prosecutor of food profiteers his shadow promises to loom large all the time.

Mr. Wilson finds that women are not the only ones watching food prices. The male population is on the job, too. He explained two methods he has of bringing the retailers and consumers together in a common understanding.

"The grocers are being enrolled as members of the United States Food Administration," he said, "and working with us are groups of men and women in every district of the city whose business will be to keep in touch with food prices and consult frequently about them. These are under the leadership of the men and women who took charge of the pledgecard campaign in November last. These committees will work continuously in the study of prices and market conditions, and will materially aid in our campaign of education as to the purchasing power of money. Their duties will be to help check and control exorbitant prices wherever charged."

To Take Up Meat Later.

Mr. Wilson has not yet taken up the prices on meat products. Beef, lamb, and pork are sold wholesale in such a way that it is not possible at once to show the difference between the wholesale and retail prices. It will be possible later to give the low wholesale prices for meats, which will contrast with the high retail prices the consumer has to pay. There is known to exist a wide margin in low and high retail prices on meats, especially on cuts of beef, and these matters are now under consideration.

Today's Official District Food Price List

Published by authority of the Federal food administrator for the District based upon reports made and corrected to January 22, by wholesale and retail merchants. IN PUBLISHING THESE PRICES THE FOOD ADMINISTRATOR FOR THE DISTRICT DOES NOT AT THIS TIME SAY THAT THEY ARE RIGHT OR WRONG, FAIR OR UNFAIR.

In the left-hand column is given the range of prices charged by wholesalers to retailers and in the right-hand column the lowest prices to consumers quoted by retailers. Prices on other commodities will be published from time to time.

All complaints of excessive prices or profiteering, or other unfair practices, should be made promptly in writing to Clarence R. Wilson, Federal food administrator for the District of Columbia, 901 Sixteenth street northwest.

Commodity.	Wholesale prices to retailers.	Low prices to consumers.
Corn meal, per lb., white	.04¼ to .05	.05
Hominy, whole, per lb	.05¾ to .06	.07
Wheat flour, 24-lb. bag	$1.39 to $1.45	$1.50
Buckwheat flour, per lb	.05 to .07	.07
Rice, whole, per lb	.08¾ to .10	.10
Rice, broken, per lb	.07½ to ...	.08
Rolled oats, bulk, per lb	.05½ to .05¾	.07
Cornstarch, per lb., bulk	.07½ to .09	.09
Butter, creamery, extra fresh, prints, per lb	.53 to .55	.55
Butter, cold storage, prints, per lb	.48 to .50	.55
Oleomargarine, 1st grade, per lb	.29 to .30	.29
Nut Oleomargarine, per lb	.27 to .31	.30
Lard Compound, per lb	.23 to .25	.25
American Cheese, per lb	.27 to .30	.30
White potatoes, No. 1 (½ bu.), 30 lbs	.74 to .80	.75
Onions, per lb	.03½ to .04	.03½
Dry beans, lima, per lb	.11½ to .16	.16
Dry beans, navy, per lb	.11½ to .16¾	.17
Sugar, best granulated, bulk, per lb	.08½ to .08 9-10	.09
*Corn syrup, per can of 24 oz	.12 to .12½	.13
Peanut butter, bulk, per lb	.16 to .20	.20
*Split peas, per lb	.11 to .12	.13
*Soya beans, per lb	... to ...	.09
*Pinto (Colorado) beans, per lb	... to ...	.11
*Dried fruits, peaches, per lb	.13½ to .14½	.14
*Dried fruits, apricots, per lb	.18½ to .22	.23
*Prunes, 40 to 50 to the lb., per lb	.12 to .15	.15
*Prunes, 50 to 60 to the lb., per lb	.10 to .13	.13
*Prunes, 60 to 70 to the lb., per lb	.11 to .12	.12½

*Prices published for the first time.

QUEBEC PROVINCE TO BE DRY.

QUEBEC, Jan. 23.—The province of Quebec is to have absolute prohibition, beginning May 1, 1919. A caucus of the Liberal majority has so decided.

LIEUT. O'BRIEN QUAILS BEFORE HOME PLAUDITS

MOMENCE, Ill., Jan. 23.—There were delirious doings in this little old town tonight for Lieut. Patrick O'Brien, who went away last spring just plain Pat, but returned today a world-famous hero.

He is the man who battled with seven German aviators 3,000 feet up in the air, got two of them, and was then shot down himself, waking up a day or so later in a German hospital with a bullet in his lip that had entered near his ear. Afterward, while being taken to the interior of Germany, he leaped from a fast-moving train and dodged sentries, an electrically charged fence, and starvation for seventy-two days, eventually getting into Holland, thence to London, and finally home on three months' leave.

No one will question the courage of Lieutenant O'Brien, but his knees began to wabble when the train approached his home town today. There they were at the station, all of his old neighbors and the Momence Silver Cornet Band, which struck up "See, the Conquering Hero Comes," and, best of all, his gray-haired mother. The lieutenant admitted he was too scared to talk.

This evening there was a public reception at the town garage, which is the largest building.

COMMISSIONER GARDINER DENOUNCED FOR SPEECH

The Public Interest Association of East Washington last night passed resolutions denouncing Commissioner W. Gwynn Gardiner for his remarks concerning the colored citizens of the District of Columbia in a speech opposing suffrage in the District delivered before the Washington Board of Trade. The remarks were characterized as bitterly unfriendly, and it was declared that he should be removed from the office of Commissioner.

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E. C. ROGERS, Business Manager, THE WASHINGTON TIMES

FOUR JURORS ARE CHOSEN AS TRIAL OF SNOWDEN OPENS

(Continued from First Page.)

room, all of the colored witnesses were separated from the white and placed in the far corner.

Judge Duncan interrupted a verbal tilt betwen the opposing counsels during the selection of the talesmen. He delivered an impromptu lecture on the difference between strong, weak, and circumstantial evidence.

The jurors selected from the first panel were: Granville Simpson, farmer—the first juror is automatically designated as foreman; Caleb Bortel, stonecutter; William E. Lochkwood, storekeeper and Frank Wheeler, storekeeper.

Undertaker Challenged.

The first man to be disqualified as a juror was an undertaker, David Davidson. He was challenged by the defense, presumably on account of his occupation.

E. Zan Hensor, a farmer, declared that his wife had read about the case to him in the papers, and that he had formed an opinion that could not be changed by an earthquake. He was excused.

Michael Hennessey, a trucker, was excused because he declared that he was "opposed to murder" as a capital punishment.

Henry A. Johnson, a farmer, was exempted" by the court because he had a barrel of pork in the railroad station that was liable to spoilation. The cout ruled that the pork was needed by the city of Towson, and the juror was needed by the State.

Thomas Whelan was excused because he expressed a prejudice against negroes.

Conscientious Scruples.

Most of those excused by the court had conscientious scruples against capital punishment.

The panel was exhausted at 11:30, and another was drawn by the clerk of the court. The sheriff and his deputies then were sent out by Judge Duncan to secure the necessary talesmen.

After twelve jurors had been accepted the defense challenged C. H. Bartel, the second, and L. J. Wheeler, the fourth, jurymen accepted. John B. Koener was accepted in the place of Bartel, and William B. Klohr in the place of Wheeler. The panel was again complete, but the defense challenged William Lockard, which left another vacancy in the panel. This was filled by William H. Timmons.

Jury Sworn In.

The jurors were sworn in and enjoined by the court. The indictment was read by William P. Cole, clerk of the court. Recess was taken at 1:10 o'clock until 2 o'clock, when the court will convene until 4 o'clock. The jury, in the custody of the sheriff, was taken to a local hotel for lunch.

More than two score of witnesses have been subpoenaed, but it is not believed that all of them will be used. The State, according to Attorney Green, should complete the presentation of its case in two days after the jury is drawn, which process is expected to consume only a few hours.

On two negro women the State will rely to prove that Snowden was seen coming out of the Brandon home on the day of the murder, while the young husband was at work at the naval experiment station across the Severn river.

Detectives Pohler, Kratz, and Dougherty, of Baltimore, will be used to show Snowden's actions when arrested; to tell how he did not even ask what he was wanted for when taken from the ice wagon he was driving in Annapolis on the day of his arrest.

The detectives will also testify as to conflicting statements made to them by Snowden; how he first denied having been near the Brandon home on the day of the murder and later admitted passing the house.

Snowden's wife was laundress for the Brandons, and he had often called for the week's wash money. Contrary to his usual custom he did not report for work on the day of the murder, but showed up on the day following, bearing bruises on his body and scratches on his shoulders, which he claimed to have sustained in a fight with his wife. The State will contend they were inflicted by Mrs. Brandon in trying to defend herself.

Valentine Brandon, husband of the woman, who was about to become a mother, is expected to prove a material witness. He will tell of her physical condition, of kissing her just before he went to work early in the day, of how she was in good spirits and how he found her dead upon his return, with a bruise on her head and signs pointing to strangulation. A theory one time advanced was that the child-wife fainted and feel against the ice box, suffering the bruise and fatal injury on the head. Finger prints on her neck disproved such a theory.

Fair Verdict Assured.

State's Attorney Hartman has assured the officials of Anne Arundel county that a fair and impartial verdict will be rendered here. He has held several conferences with Attorney Green, and together they have what they claim is an open and shut case against the negro Snowden.

Brady declines to give any intimation of the line of defense that will be offered.

Contrary to the usual order of things, the jury will not be made up of tobacco-chewing farmers with corntassle beards. Baltimore county is thoroughly "citified," and most of its population live in the city of Baltimore, but outside its corporate limits—where the fight between the State and city factions for annexation is being so bitterly waged.

Judge Robert I. Duncan will conduct the case. As he always calls in an associate in capital cases, Judge Allan McLane is scheduled to sit with him.

PRESIDENT AIDS BOY SCOUTS.

NEW YORK, Jan. 23.—President Wilson and Secretary McAdoo, in letters received here, urge financial aid for the Boy Scouts, who are seeking to raise $600,000.

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WALL ST. MARKET

STRENGTH IN SPECIALTIES FEATURES OPENING

Initial Advances Range From Fractions to More Than 1 Point. United Cigar Stores Rises to 99. A Jump of 1¼ Points.

NEW YORK, Jan. 23.—Strength in the specialties was the feature of the stock market at the opening today, initial advances ranging from fractions to over one point.

United Cigar Stores continued it's upward movement and rose 1¼ to 99. United States Rubber was in good demand, and advanced 1¼ to 56¾. American Beet Sugar gained 1½ to 76½, and Mexican Petroleum rose ⅞ to 91. Distillers' Securities rose ¾ to 37⅝, and Marine preferred advanced ½ to 91⅝.

The steel stocks showed fractional gains, Steel common selling a quarter higher at 91⅛, while advances of about half were made in Bethlehem Steel B and Crucible.

The copper stocks held steady, Anaconda selling up to 61¼, while American Smelters rose ⅝ to 82⅝.

The railroad stocks suffered slight losses.

The market became broader and more acute after the first fifteen minutes and during the remainder of the morning room traders supplied stocks at concessions.

Steel common, after selling at 91⅛, dropped to 90. Marine preferred, after selling up to 91⅞, dropped to 90⅝, but the common moved up ½, to 24¾. Many of the stocks which had shown good gains in the initial dealings, reacted about 1 point. United Cigar Stores lost all of its early gains, dropping to 97⅞.

Yesterday Close.		High.	Low.	1:30 P.M.
2⅝	Alaska G M.	2¾	2¾	2¾
2¾	Alas.-Juneau	2¾	2¾	2¾
19	Allis-Chal...	19	19	19
75	Am Beet Sug	77½	76	77½
36¼	Am Can....	37	36½	37
	Amer Can pf.	89¼	89¼	89¼
71	A C & Fdy..	71	71	71
28½	Am Cot Oil..	28	28	28
12⅝	Am H & L...	12¼	12¼	12¼
53	A H & L pfd	53	53	53
31	Am Linseed	31⅜	31	31⅜
56	Am Loco....	55¾	55¾	55¾
66	Am Sam Tob	67	66½	67
82¼	Am Smelting	82¾	81¾	82⅝
60	A Steel Fdy.	60¼	60¼	60¼
104	Am Sugar...	105¾	104½	105
104½	Am Tel & T.	104⅝	104⅝	104⅝
47	Am Woolen..	47⅛	46¾	47⅛
61	Anaconda...	61¼	60½	60⅞
58	Associate Oil.	58½	57½	58½
83	Atchison....	83½	82¾	83½
	Atchison pfd	82	82	82
	At Bir & A..	8½	8½	8½
100⅛	A G & W I...	101	101	101
59	AtG&WI pfd.	60	60	60
59½	Bald Loco..	59⅝	59⅝	59⅝
50⅛	Balt & Ohio..	50	49½	49½
	Barrett Co..	86	86	86
	Barrett pfd..	101	101	101
	Batopilas Mn	1	1	1
74¼	Beth Steel...	76	76	76
75⅜	Beth Stl B...	74⅝	73⅝	74½
98½	Beth S pf cts.	98½	98½	98½
42⅛	Brook R T...	42⅞	42¾	42¾
19	Butte & Sup..	18½	18½	18½
15¼	Cal Petrol...	15½	15¼	15½
42½	Cal Pet pf....	42¼	42¼	42¼
139⅛	Can Pacific..	139⅛	138¾	138¾
65½	Cent Leather.	65½	64¾	65½
31	Cerro Cop...	31	30½	30½
	Chandler M..	72¼	72¼	72¼
51⅞	Ches & Ohio..	51⅞	51	51
	Chi Gt West..	6⅝	6⅝	6⅝
42	C M & S P....	41⅝	41½	41½
72¾	C M & S P pf.	72¼	72¼	72¼
19¼	C R I & P R..	19	19	19
49½	CRI&P 6 wi..	49¼	49½	49¼
60	CRI&P 7 wi..	59½	59½	59½
15¾	Chile Copper.	15⅝	15⅝	15⅝
43	Chin C Cop...	42½	42¼	42¼
35½	ColF & I.....	35	35	35
33¼	Col G & E....	33¼	33¼	33¼
87½	Consol Gas...	87¼	87¼	87¼
31⅛	CornProd....	32⅝	31¼	31⅝
90⅞	Corn Prod pf	91	91	91
54	Crucible Stl..	54½	53½	54¼
30¾	Cuba C Sug.	32¼	30⅝	32¼
36¾	Dist Secur..	38⅛	36⅞	38
14⅝	Erie.....	14½	14½	14½
24	Erie 1st pf...	24	24	24
	F M & S pf...	30⅛	30⅛	30⅛
100	Gen Elec....	100	129¾	29¾
112	Gen Motors.	113¾	111½	113¾
	Gen Mot pf..	61¼	61¼	61¼
40½	Goodrich B F	41¼	40½	41
88¼	G North pf..	87½	87½	87½
26⅝	Gt Nor Ore..	26¾	26½	26⅝
	Hask & Bar.	35	35	35
	Ill Central...	94	94	94
44¾	Int Copper..	43½	43	43
43	Int Agri pf..	45	45	45
	Int Harves...	64¾	64¾	64¾
28⅝	Int Nickel...	28½	28½	28½
28¼	Int Paper....	27	27	27
33½	Kennecott...	32	31¾	31¾
76	Lack Steel...	76	76	76
23¾	Marine com..	24¼	23⅞	24⅛
91¼	Marine pfd...	97⅛	90⅞	91¼
90⅛	Mexican Pet.	92	90	91½
44	Midvale Stl..	44⅛	43⅝	43⅞
31½	Miami Cop...	31½	31¼	31¼
	M K & T pf...	8½	8½	8½
21¼	Mo Pacific...	21¼	20⅞	21¼
41⅞	Mo Pac pf....	41¾	41½	41¾
42½	Nat E & S....	43	42½	43
45	Nat Lead....	45	44⅞	44⅞
	N. O. & MRR.	18	18	18
28½	N Y N H&H..	28½	28½	28½
82	North Pacific	82	81⅞	81⅞
65¼	Nova Sco Stl.	66	66	66
6¼	Ohio Gas....	7	6¾	7
4⅜	Ontario Silvr.	4½	4½	4½
44½	Peo G & C...	45	44⅞	45
90	P. Am. Pet. pf	89	88½	87½
46	Penn R R....	45⅞	45	45⅛
	Pierce Arrow	5½	34⅞	35½
45⅞	Pitts Coal...	45	45	45
27	Pitts & W Va.	27¼	26⅞	27¼
65½	P & W Va pf.	66	66	66
111½	Pull Pal Car.	111	111	111
23	Ray Con Cop.	23	23	23
74⅜	Rep I & Stl..	74⅛	74⅛	74⅛
72⅜	Reading.....	73	72¼	72⅞
76	Royal Dutch.	76½	75½	76½
	Savage Arms.	58	58	58
9½	Seab'd A L..	8	8	8
150	Sears Ro'buck.	150⅝	150	150⅝
33¼	Sinclair Oil..	33¼	32⅞	33¼
22⅜	Southern Ry.	22⅜	22¼	22¼
81¾	South Pacific	82¼	81	81
11¾	S L & S F....	11½	11¼	11¼
48¼	Studebaker..	48¼	48	48
40¼	Stutz Motor..	40⅝	40⅝	40⅝
48	Texas Co....	151⅜	48⅛	49⅛
17	Tex & Pac...	18⅛	16½	18⅛
54¼	Tenn C & C..	55¼	54⅛	55¼
54⅛	Tobac Prod..	54½	54	54
111¾	Union Pacific	112	111¼	112
97	U Cig Stores.	99	97⅞	97⅞
111½	United Fruit.	118½	118½	118½
20½	U S Ind Al...	121	120	121
55½	U S Rubber..	56¾	55⅛	56
50⅞	U S Steel....	51⅛	50	50⅝
	U S Stel pf...	110	109¾	110
82⅛	Utah Copper.	82	80¾	81⅛
13	Utah Sec....	14	12⅛	14
	Va C C pf....	99	99	99
	Va I. C. & C..	51½	51	51
7⅞	Wabash.....	8	8	8
	Wabash pf A.	40	40	40
39⅝	West'house..	40¼	40	40
17⅛	Willys Over..	17⅜	17⅛	17¼
57	Wilson Inc..	53⅞	52¼	53⅞

HEARST-PATHE FILMS SHOW 'WORKLESS DAY'

How New York looked on the first "workless" Monday under Fuel Administrator Garfield's order is shown in the Hearst-Pathe Weekly pictures released in the Washington theaters today. Deserted business districts of the metropolis are shown in comparison with the usual crowded streets.

Effects of the severe storm which swept over the middle Western States can be seen in the stalled trains and paralyzed transportation. The burning wreck of a freight train that jumped the track when speeding at a sixty-mile-an-hour clip pictures one cause of delayed freight.

Knitting has become popular all over the whole country, but it seems to have become a habit in San Francisco, Cal., where the bell hops spend their leisure moments weaving new yarns. An unusual picture shows the Chinese cook deftly wielding the knitting needles.

French aviators demonstrating to American troops the use of the observation balloon are part of the official war pictures.

TELEGRAPHERS MAY GO ON NATIONAL STRIKE

NEW YORK, Jan. 23.—The Commercial Telegraphers' Union of America has made public a tentative program which contemplates a national strike among the Western Union and Postal telegraphers.

The plan calls for an "organization day," on which the telegraphers will "organize openly and if the telegraph companies attempt to discharge any one, inaugurate a general strike without delay."

DEFENSE COUNCIL SEEKS ROOMS FOR U. S. WORKERS

The District Council of Defense sent another appeal to Washington householders today, asking that all those with spare rooms in their homes register them for rental to incoming Government employes. The room registration office of the council is at 1321 New York avenue.

The following information is asked by the District council officials: Name, location, number and description of rooms, with or without board, for men, women, or either, bath, and whether on same floor, kind of light, kind of heat, telephone number, is there a reception room for women, price, what car line to take and where to get off, references, and any further details.

BALTIMORE GRAIN MARKET.

BALTIMORE, Jan. 23.—Wheat—Firm; No. 2 soft red, $2.22; No. 2 winter, $2.24; receipts, 9,598 bushels; shipments, 9,295 bushels.

Corn—New, as to quality and grade, $1.60 to $1.95; receipts, 29,653 bushels; shipments, 1,856 bushels.

Oats—Firm; No. 3 white, $1@$1.01; receipts, 3,698 bushels; shipments, 5,216 bushels.

Rye—Firm; No. 2 Western export, spot, $2.01; receipts, 3,555 bushels; shipments, 35,911 bushels.

Hay—Firm; unchanged.

Flour—Good demand; firm.

Vital Records.

Marriage Licenses.

Otto A. Tingling, 43, and Anna S. Ingram, 38, both of Washington, D. C. The Rev. Henry Anstadt.

Percy Norman, 23, of Bladensburg, Md., and Virginia Mead, 22, of Langdon, D. C. The Rev. Francis R. Mitchie.

Jesse Miser, 21, and Mary Millard, 21, both of Washington, D. C. The Rev. Paul Griffith.

Walter Reed, 21, and Margaret Allcock, 19, both of Youngstown, Ohio. The Rev. Howard F. Downs.

Stephan Boulwell Robinson, 28, U. S. N., and Rita Hartwell Brown, 27, of Washington, D. C. The Rev. Roland Cotton Smith.

Arthur S. Cudmore, 22, and Mary S. Poole, 18, both of Washington, D. C. The Rev. George A. Miller.

Warren A. Hilleary, 21, and Mary A. Clark, 20, both of Washington, D. C. The Rev. Ed. J. Magrath.

James Edward Joy, 55, and Emma C. Cannon, 50, both of Washington, D. C. The Rev. A. T. Perkins.

John L. Felton, 34, of Clearfield, Pa., and Edna B. Roderuck, 32, of Frederick, Md. The Rev. E. H. Lamar.

William Kollmorgen, 42, and Ella Kummerlein Weidner, 42, both of Milwaukee, Wis. The Rev. John H. Jeffrids.

James F. Evans, 22, and Jessie R. Ryan, 22, both of Syracuse, N. Y. The Rev. G. W. Van Fossen.

G. E. Johnson, 21, and Grace Jackson, 21. The Rev. William D. Battle.

L. P. Roberson, 35, and Martha Dixon, 31. The Rev. J. E. Willis.

L. Henderson, 21, and Bertha Washington, 18. The Rev. S. Miller.

S. Holt, 21, and Beatrice B. Starks, 18. The Rev. William J. Howard.

Deaths.

The following deaths have been reported to the Health Department during the last twenty-four hours:

John M. Grahame, 88 yrs., 477 M st. nw.
Almira Shimp, 80 yrs., Nat. Lutheran Home.
Lydia O'Donnell, 62 yrs., 1430 W st. nw.
Kate Minor, 65 yrs., Garfield Hos.
Andrew J. Ballinger, 54 yrs., St. Elizabeth's Hos.
John G. Breden, 39 yrs., Walter Reed Hos.
Elizabeth W. Gill, 30 yrs., 1824 Belmont st.
Rollin A. Harris, 49 yrs., 49th and Ashby sts. nw.
Sallie C. Hickay, 10 mos., 1136 K st. nw.
Nancy Scott, 76 yrs., 1829 9th st. nw.
Howard B. Davis, 4 yrs., 1507 Marion st. nw.
Minerva Clements, 70 yrs., 87 G st. nw.

THE LOCAL MARKET

CAPITAL TRACTION STOCK AGAIN FEATURED

Seventeen Shares of Transportation Company Issue Sold After Call in Lots of Two and Fifteen at Eighty and Three-quarters.

Capital Traction stock again monopolized the trading on the Washington Stock Exchange today. No sales were made on call, but seventeen shares of the stock sold after call in lots of two and fifteen, at 80¾. The session was dull today, selling orders predominating, and there was little change in the market.

Patrons of the Commercial National Bank are to have the assistance in making out their income tax returns of Richard E. Claughton, secretary of the Washington Stock Exchange.

Mr. Claughton is an expert on the income tax requirements who has made a careful study of the law for months. He is in close touch with the office of the Commissioner of Internal Revenue, and is well posted on the finest distinctions of the new law. He will be at the Commercial National Bank from now on to assist the patrons of the bank or any persons having difficulty in filling out the necessary blanks.

Forms for making out reports on salaries in excess of $800 will be available to Washington business houses today or tomorrow, the Treasury announces. These reports must be made by every individual or concern to the collector of internal revenue by March 1 regarding all salaries over $800 paid in 1917. The law does not require the employer to withhold the amount of the tax, but merely to furnish the collectors of internal revenue with the necessary information as to salaries in excess of $800. Blank forms are to be available to Washington business houses upon application to the Bureau of Internal Revenue.

TODAY'S SALES.

AFTER CALL.

Capital Traction, 20@80¾, 15@80¾.

LOCAL BOND MARKET.

GOVERNMENT BONDS.		
U. S. Reg. 2's	96⅝	96⅝
U. S. Coupon 2's	96⅝	...
U. S. Reg. 3's	98⅞	99⅞
U. S. Coupon 3's	98⅝	99⅞
U. S. Reg. 4's	104¼	105¾
U. S. Coupon 4's	104¼	105¾
Liberty Loan 3½'s	98.32	...
Liberty Loan 4's	96.32	...
GAS BONDS.		
Washington Gas 5's	95	...
RAILROAD BONDS.		
Capital Trac. R. R. 5's	98	...
Wash. Rwy. & Elec. 4's	...	72
Wash., Al. & Mt. V. 5's	...	75
MISCELLANEOUS BONDS.		
Potomac Elec. Cons. 5's	94	...
Potomac Elec. Lt. 5's	..	100
Potomac Elec. Power 6's	..	100½
C. & P. Telephone 5's	99½	101
Amer. T. T. 4's	82	83
Amer. T. & T. 4½'s	..	93
A. T. & T. c'l'l. Tr. 5's	90½	91
Am. Grapho. 1st 6's	..	95
D. C. Paper Mfg. 5's	99	100
Wash. Market 5's (1927)	95	...
Wash. Market 5's (1947)	95	...
W. M. Cold Storage 5's	94	...
Sec. Stge. & Safe Dep. 6's	..	101
N. & W. Steamboat 5's	100	...
Riggs Realty 5's. (long)	..	100
Riggs Realty 5's (short)	100	...
U. S. Realty 5's	104	...
PUBLIC UTILITY STOCKS.		
Capital Traction	80	81
Wash. Ry. & Elec. com.	...	56½
Wash. Ry. & Elec. pf.	66¼	67
N. & W. Steamboat	150	...
*Washington Gas	52	53
Amer. Tel. & Tel.	104	...
TYPE MACHINE STOCKS.		
Mengenthaler Linotype	123	125
Lanston Monotype	...	70
NATIONAL BANK STOCKS.		
Am. Nat. Bank	150	...
Capital Nat. Bank	215	...
Columbia Nat. Bank	200	...
Commercial Nat. Bank	202½	...
District Nat. Bank	143	...
Far. & Mech. Nat. Bank	235	245
Federal Nat. Bank	169	...
Lincoln Nat. Bank	160	...
Nat. Met. Bank	200	...
Riggs Nat. Bank	...	455
Second Nat. Bank	136	...
Nat. Bank of Wash.	...	230
TRUST COMPANY STOCKS.		
Am. Sec. & Trust	235	240
*Nat. Sav. & Trust	282	...
Union Trust	120	123
*Wash. Loan & Trust	240	255
Continental Trust	118	121
SAVINGS BANK STOCKS.		
Home Savings	129	...
Bank of Com. & Sav.	12	...
East Wash. Sav. Bank	11	...
Sec. Sav. & Com. Bank	165	...
FIRE INSURANCE STOCKS.		
Arlington Fire Insurance	8	10
Corcoran Fire Ins.	76	...
Firemen's Fire Ins.	19	...
Ger. Am. Fire Ins.	250	...
Nat. Union Fire Ins.	6½	...
TITLE INSURANCE STOCKS.		
Columbia Title Insur.	4	..
Real Estate Title Ins.	..	80
MISCELLANEOUS STOCKS.		
Chapin Sacks	...	180
D. C. Paper Mfg. Co.	140	200
Merch. Trans. & Stor.	100	115
Security Storage	185	...
Sec. Stge. & Safe Dep.	110	...
Washington Market	16¾	..
U. S. Realty Co.	12½	..

TELLS WHOSE JOB IT WAS TO PUT BOMBS ON SHIPS

NEW YORK, Jan. 23.—Identification of the man whose alleged business it was actually to place time bombs on supply ships leaving New York for England and France was today brought out here in the trial of Capt. Franz von Rintelen and eleven co-defendants before United States Justice Howe.

Police Lieutenant Barnitz swore that the man's name was Ebling, and that he was familiarly known to Von Rintelen and the other alleged bomb plotters as "the cigar man."

4% INTEREST ON SAVINGS ACCOUNTS

WASHINGTON SAVINGS BANK

10th AND GRANT PLACE N.W.

FIRE-FIGHTERS OF ALEXANDRIA GET INCREASE