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### STATE IS HARD HIT

EXTREME HIGH PRICES COSTING COMMONWEALTH \$100,000 PER YEAR.

INCREASE IS 20 PER CENT IN PAST TEN YEARS. Comparative Figures on Some of the Necessary Food Products—Increase Necessary in Allowance For Support of State Wards—Election Law Facts.

Special to Times-Republican. Des Moines, Feb. 11.—The state of Iowa is stuck for at least \$100,000 a year on account of the extreme high prices.

Table with 3 columns: Item, 1900, 1905, 1909. Rows include Bacon, Beef, Sausage, Flour, Potatoes, Eggs, Butter.

Meat prices, potato prices, egg prices, everything is way up. The state buys over \$500,000 worth of produce every year for the state institutions.

As a result of this increase in cost of all supplies, and the cost of coal and clothing, and the increase in salaries and wages of workmen made necessary by reason of the higher cost of living, the next legislature will have to increase the allowance for support at some of the institutions.

Two years ago, Mayor Haddock, of Bedford, obtained from the office of attorney general an exhaustive opinion as to the operations of the law makers in the time and manner of election of officials in towns and second class cities.

Senator B. W. Newberry, of Strawberry Point, will not make the race for railroad commissioner.

The decision of the attorney general in the matter of the making the voting list for the next June primary as full and complete as possible instead of making out only a partial list, will cause county auditors a great deal of trouble.

It is significant that State Auditor Bleakly, who seeks a second term as state auditor, does not base down on the theory that present entitles him to the office.

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### MOTHER'S FRIEND

A LINIMENT FOR EXTERNAL USE. Cheerfulness and a bright disposition during the months before baby comes, are among the greatest blessings a mother can bestow upon the little life about to begin.

Over thirty residents of this city and vicinity went to Sheffield yesterday to attend the funeral services of George Johnston. An accident befell Milton Tucker, of Hansell, Wednesday evening, in which he suffered a bad cut in his left foot.

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