

WHEAT COMING AFFECTS CORN

Chicago, Jan. 15.—Announcement that 70 per cent of the grain cars loaded to the elevators here would be wheat with wheat as a source of difference of opinion today among corn dealers.

CHICAGO FUTURES

Table with columns for Jan. 15, 1920, and rows for Corn, Oats, Pork, Lard, Rib, and July.

Potatoes

Chicago, Jan. 15.—Potatoes, strong; arrivals, 23 cars; northern whites, 4.30@4.50 per hundred-weight; kings, 4.25, and western russets, 3.25 per hundred-weight.

Liberty Bonds

New York, Jan. 15.—Prices of Liberty bonds at 11:30 a. m. today: second 4 1/8, 98.64; first 4 1/8, 92.30; second 4 1/8, 91.46; third 4 1/8, 91.52; fourth 4 1/8, 91.50; Victory 3 1/2, 98.66; Victory 4 1/8, 98.70.

Peoria Grain

Peoria, Ill., Jan. 15.—Corn, unchanged to 1c lower; No. 4 white, 1.45; No. 3 yellow, 1.46; No. 2 yellow, 1.44; No. 5 yellow, 1.42; No. 4 mixed, 1.42 1/2; 1.43 1/2; sample, 1.33.

Peoria Livestock

Peoria, Ill., Jan. 15.—Hog receipts, 3,900; 10@25c higher; active; top price, 15.20; bulk, 15.10; 15.15; lights, 14.90@15.15; mediums and heavies, 15.00@15.20.

Kansas City Grain

Kansas City, Mo., Jan. 15.—Cash wheat, steady to 5c higher; No. 1 hard, 2.80@2.98; No. 2, 2.75@2.94; No. 1 red, 2.71@2.73; No. 2, 2.70.

Chicago Cash Grain

Chicago, Jan. 15.—Corn, No. 2 mixed not quoted; No. 2 yellow, 1.48@1.50; Oats, No. 2 white, 85 1/2@87 1/2; No. 3 white, 85@87c.

HONORS PAID TO LIEUT. DE RESZKE

Paris, Jan. 15.—Posthumous honors have been paid Lieutenant Jean de Reszke, son of the former grand opera tenor who was killed while leading his section in battle near Metz, southeast of Montdidier on June 20, 1918.

Special Opportunity NO ONE DARE MISS Friday Tender, juicy Chuck Steak cut from corn fed three-year-old steers, per lb. 22c Dairy Veal Chops 25c Dairy Veal Stew 20c Fresh Hams, whole or half 25c 7 rolls Toilet Paper 25c Fresh Spare Ribs 20c Pork Chops, per lb. 25c 2 cans Pumpkin 15c Tall can Milk 15c Buehler Bros. Money-Saving Busy Store 1628 Second Ave., Rock Island.

Weather Forecast

Illinois: Unsettled weather tonight and Friday, probably with snow in north and rain or snow in south portions; no decided change in temperature.

Kansas City Livestock

Kansas City, Mo., Jan. 15.—Hog receipts, 8,500; higher; bulk, 14.90@15.25; medium, 14.90@15.25; lights, 14.60@15.25; light lights, 14.50@15.00; pigs, 13.50@15.50.

Chicago Produce

Chicago, Jan. 15.—Butter, lower; creamery, 61@60c. Eggs, lower; receipts, 4,142 cases; firsts, 61c; ordinary firsts, 50@58c; at mark, cases included, 57@60c.

Bar Silver

New York, Jan. 15.—Bar silver, 130 1/2; Mexican dollars, 99 1/2.

COE

Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Ashdown are the proud parents of a little daughter who arrived last Thursday.

Ralph Genung, little son of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Genung, is quite ill with tonsillitis.

Clarence Cook of Moline was a guest at the home of William Elpper Saturday and Sunday.

A large number from the surrounding community attended the installation of officers and banquet of the Odd Fellows of Port Byron at the I. O. O. F. hall last Monday evening.

Mrs. Emma Reeves of Cordova spent a few days at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Harry Sample, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hutten entertained at their home on New Year's day. A large number of relatives enjoyed a bountiful dinner prepared by the hostess for her guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Mahstedt and daughter Lucy and Mrs. Henry Andow were Sunday guests at the home of Ed Johnson.

The Cos Lighting company will soon have their line completed, when the power will be turned on in a few days.

Miss Margaret Schable spent Sunday at the William Elpper home.

Louis Elpper, who has been quite ill with tonsillitis, is now able to be around again.

Mrs. Peter Mahstedt entertained a number of little guests in honor of her daughter Lucy's 11th birthday anniversary. A delightful afternoon was enjoyed by them.

Also brought a number of gifts as remembrances of the happy occasion. A splendid luncheon was served to the guests before returning to their homes.

Mr. and Mrs. John Miesel entertained a large number of friends and neighbors at their home last Monday evening. After a social time dancing was enjoyed by the young people.

All who were present had a delightful time. William Hutten entered Brown's business college in Moline last Monday. He will attend the coming year.

Mr. and Mrs. William Pearsall gave a reception to their friends last Friday evening in honor of their son, Robert Pearsall, who was married to Miss Winifred Lawrence of Spring Hill, on New Year's day at the home of the bride's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Lawrence. They will reside with the groom's parents for the present.

John Cochran, who has been serving in the navy, spent a few days at Erie this week with his uncle, John Head and family. From here he went to Rock Falls to visit relatives, and will also visit at Harmon, near Sterling.

Mr. and Mrs. George Avery attended the funeral services of a nephew of Mr. Avery, at Clinton, Iowa, Tuesday of this week.

Miss Mirinda Gardner and Edna Raney returned home the first of the week from Mathersville, where they spent the holidays with the E. L. Raney family. Mr. Raney was formerly principal of the Erie schools, but is now teaching at Mathersville.

Misses Nina and Maud Butters returned to their home at Sherrard, Ill., Monday after spending the holidays with their sister, Mrs. Harley Mayers near Erie.

SOME STOCKS ADVANCE, SOME GO OTHER WAY

New York, Jan. 15.—The early advance in stocks today assumed further dimensions, especially among motors, steels and equipments and shippings. General Motors, United States Rubber, Crucial and Republic steels, Baldwin and American locomotives, Atlantic Gulf and American International were the outstanding features at gains of 2 to 5 points.

The tone of the stock market was strong at the active opening of today's session, although fears of yet more stringent money rates continued to hang over the financial district.

Oil and motors, re-converted features of weakness, reduced substantial rallies with several of the representative steels, equipments and shippings shares.

Further changes within the first half hour were mainly at advancing quotations.

Table listing various stocks and their prices, including American Beet Sugar, American Car & Foundry, American Locomotive, etc.

MOLINE BRIEFS

A. Murphy, 1530 Third avenue, Moline, was found guilty of violating ordinances and was fined \$1 and costs yesterday.

Wallace Hughes, night clerk at the Moline Y. M. C. A. and one of the veterans of the present staff, leaves the Y service Saturday evening.

The regular monthly meeting of the Rock Island County Undertakers' association was held in the E. B. Knox chapel of Moline Wednesday evening.

Patrolman George Daebellien broke his right arm last evening in a fall which occurred at the Moline postoffice.

The school will give an entertainment and serve lunch after the evening of the town hall Saturday evening.

Erert Hobart spent Saturday evening and Sunday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gilmore Hobart's, returning to East Moline Sunday night.

John H. Hauberg and a number of his Boy Scouts, walked on the ice down the river from Rock Island to this place Saturday and Sunday to sulphur springs for a drink of sulphur water.

Mrs. Charles Wenks, who has been to Rochester, Minn., the past week, taking radio treatments for cancer, is expected home this week.

The new seats for the Baptist church arrived Monday of this week and they expect an all-day service in the church next Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bischoff and Betty and Billy returned to their home last Tuesday evening after a ten days' visit with relatives in Chicago.

Andrew Frie and Rollin Huntley and several of Peter Johnson's children and little Marjain Baumont have all been having an attack of la grippe this week.

One of the most delightful parties of the season was given by the Juniors of the high school in honor of the senior class. A banquet was served and toasts were responded to by the teachers, Misses Clark and Marshall and Professor Lewis.

Mrs. J. E. Gustafson, Jr., and son John, have returned from Cincinnati where they spent the holidays with a brother of the former.

Walter Essenspreis, who has been employed on the farm of Arthur Bothwell, the past five years, has gone to Waterloo, Iowa, to accept a position as demonstrator of the Waterloo Boy Tractor company.

Misses Mabel and Esther Samuelson entertained a few friends Monday afternoon in honor of Mrs. Foster of Minnesota, who is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Bothwell.

Rev. C. G. Anderson and family have departed for their new home in South Bend, Ind., where Rev. Anderson will enter upon his new charge.

Charles Gustafson, Arthur Erickson and Peter Marker left Monday for Vero, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lindholme have gone to Rock Island to reside, where Mr. Lindholme has a position.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Frew have a nine pound daughter.

Moline and East Moline

ELECT WOODCOCK PRESIDENT OF BOY SCOUTS OF MOLINE

E. W. Woodcock was elected president of Moline council Boy Scouts of America at the annual meeting of directors held Wednesday afternoon.

Scout executive, reported that "the council is not marking time, but every member is in unison to provide through conservative judgment, yet with progressive spirit, every means by which education through scouting may be increased."

The Moline council now has 15 active troops, each with scoutmasters and only three lacking assistant scoutmasters. There are 356 registered Scouts, 313 in tenderfoot class, 48 second class, four first class and three merit badge Scouts.

\$16,500 worth of Victory loan bonds was sold by the Scouts, \$2,000 worth of savings stamps were sold and 2,000 posters in the Red Cross insurance propaganda and an equal number in the war relief work were distributed in 1919.

Sixty-nine Scouts received public service badges last year.

Moline Obituary

Mrs. John S. Nelson Funeral. Brief funeral services for Mrs. John S. Nelson will be conducted at 2 o'clock Friday afternoon in the home, 1841 Eighteenth avenue, and at 2:30 from the Swedish Lutheran church. The Rev. C. O. Morland will have charge. Burial will be in Riverside cemetery.

UNUSUAL ACCIDENT DAMAGES MACHINES

An unusual auto collision occurred in East Moline at 8 o'clock this morning and resulted in the slight injury to a man and woman and the damaging of three autos. The principals in the accident were Ralph Schilling who was driving a truck for his father, G. F. Schilling, a plasterer residing at 728 Twenty-first avenue, East Moline and F. J. Titus, jeweler and optometrist, 908 Fifteenth avenue, East Moline.

Ralph Schilling was driving north on Seventh and Titus was driving his roadster east on Fifteenth avenue, when the two autos collided.

Titus, seeing his mistake, tried to avoid the accident by driving his car into the sidewalk, and in doing this he ran into a mail box partially knocking it down and injuring Mr. and Mrs. Henry Crawford who were on their way to their restaurant near the R. & V. plant.

Mrs. Crawford's glasses were broken and she sustained several cuts and bruises. Mr. Crawford was slightly bruised. It is alleged that Titus was driving at a very fast rate. The streets are very slippery and it is thought that the slippery walks are partially to blame for the accident.

Neither Schilling nor Titus were injured. Titus' roadster was badly damaged. The Schilling truck was slightly damaged.

DETACHMENT OFF TO BRING BODIES

New York, Jan. 15.—The army transport Powhatan, sailing today for Antwerp, Belgium, has on board a party of 75 service men and officers who will visit the battlefields to begin the work of returning the bodies of American soldiers dead to this country.

The expedition is in charge of Herbert S. Foreman, a former artillery officer of the Rainbow division.

ZUMA

Mrs. Clyde Wake spent Wednesday and Thursday in the tri-city. Mr. and Mrs. Johnson of Erie were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Walthen a few days last week.

Miss Linna Hall spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents in Moline.

Miss Laura Taulbee was shopping in Joslin Friday.

Verna Mumma was a business caller in Rock Island Saturday.

Rose Hill aid society met at the home of Mrs. Samuel Wainwright Wednesday, at an all-day meeting. There was a good attendance.

The social aid of Frank Wake's home Friday evening by the builders' boxes sold well and \$35 was added to the treasury. The class wishes to thank all those who assisted, especially Auctioneer Sande who sold the boxes.

Frank Schaefer sawed wood for S. W. Mumma and Ambrose Searl Monday.

Alvah Searl shipped cattle from Osborn Monday night.

Ed Wainwright departed Monday night with his carload of household goods and stock for his new home which he has purchased near Mansfield, Ohio. Mrs. Wainwright will depart on the Tuesday morning train and is expected to arrive there with her husband arrived.

Willard Whiteside received a carload of coal Saturday afternoon. There were 14 wagons waiting as soon as the car was stopped and the car was soon emptied.

Ira Scott visited his sister, Mrs. George Johnson, Sunday.

Mrs. Anna Cox returned home Sunday after a three weeks' visit with her daughters in Port Byron, East Moline and Joslin.

The Fidelis class of the Zuma M. E. Sunday school met at the home of Mrs. Edgar Walthen, Wednesday afternoon and held its monthly meeting. There was a good attendance. Rev. Menzie was present and taught the class, making the lesson very interesting. At the close refreshments were served by the hostess.

TODAY IN ALEDO AND MERCER COUNTY

HOME NURSING CLASSES WILL OPEN SHORTLY

Mrs. E. R. Winkler States That Enrollment Now is Practically Complete.

Home nursing plans for Mercer county rounding into shape and classes will soon be started, according to word from Mrs. E. R. Winkler, chairman of the home hygiene section of the Red Cross.

A nurse will be secured as soon as enrollment in the classes is sufficiently large to warrant the action.

Those wishing to enroll in home hygiene classes in Aleddo will do so at the millinery establishment operated by Miss Laura Love, Mrs. Rose Church is chairman of the enrollment committee.

Nearly all of the branches throughout the county have signified their intentions of using the opportunity for teaching home hygiene. As soon as the remainder of the branches decide their course steps will be taken to secure the services of a nurse competent to teach the classes.

A small sum probably will be charged to cover current expenses incurred in conducting the classes, but the charge will be nominal. Each class will have from 10 to 20 members, adult women. An attempt will be made to secure some public place for holding the classes rather than a private home.

Courses in home nursing will be made up of 16 periods of one and a half hours to two hours each, covering a term of eight weeks. Following periods will be for examination and the final one will be for examination. The examination is optional and those who take it and pass with a satisfactory grade will be issued a Red Cross certificate.

Salary of the nurse who conducts the class will be paid by the various branches. That is, the nurse's salary is placed at \$250 plus transportation, etc., and will be divided proportionately among the various branches. The nurse will be named by the director of nursing department, central division of the Red Cross.

In the event that evening classes, to accommodate persons who are employed during the day, are necessary, they will be conducted the same as the day classes.

PEORIA MEET IS A SUCCESS

Many Problems Confronting the Farmer Are Discussed at the Sessions.

L. F. Gillmor, member of the executive committee of the Illinois Agricultural association, Scottville, Ill., secretary of the Mercer county farm bureau and P. S. Richey, Mercer county farm adviser, returned last night from the annual meeting of the Illinois Agricultural association at Peoria, which was held Tuesday and Wednesday of this week.

Many plans for the benefit of farmers were introduced and acted upon at this session. Mr. Gillmor is very enthusiastic over the work which is being done throughout the state and especially by and for Mercer county farmers. Mr. Gillmor stated that one of the most important things accomplished at this meeting was the appropriation of a large sum to take care of the development of seedler hogs and for the development of a better market and possibly an export market for serrat-bred hogs of Illinois.

Another item of great interest to Mercer county farmers was the report of the grain committee of which A. A. Hill of Decatur is the chairman in which it was stated that a project is on foot to take over the grain market and make a better market for the grain producers.

Another important action which is on foot is the formation of a department to develop better market facilities for dairy and poultry products. The plan will be to cut out many of the farm production expenses by direct selling to the consumer. It is claimed that this will be an important work, both for the benefit of the producer and of the consumer.

Mr. Gillmor was named as a member of the committee on credit for the coming year. The members of the executive committee for 1920 are: Henry M. Guff, H. F. Marshall, L. E. Burdull, Robert N. Clark, J. W. Morgan, A. L. Robinson, C. J. Johnstone, J. W. Robinson, A. A. Hill, Joseph Fulkerson, John P. Stout, J. C. Gumpfshelmer, Edwin G. Ectfell, N. F. Elder, C. F. Kest.

ALEDO SOCIETY

Mrs. Boyd Finch entertained the So-and-Sow club at her home in the regular monthly meeting yesterday. Every member of the club was present and a very enthusiastic business meeting was held. The election of officers took place during this meeting. The officers were named as follows: President, Mrs. Jack Parkman; secretary, Mrs. Harry Richey; treasurer, Mrs. A. E. Finch. Following the business session a social hour was enjoyed and refreshments were served by the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Ague of Osborn were callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Johnson Sunday afternoon.

THE ARGUS

118 North College Avenue. Telephone, Old and New. 72. L. C. Johnson, Manager.

INDOOR SPORT FOR MEMBERS OF FALLERANS

Basketball games for Aleddo by a first class team will soon be possible, according to plans being made by Fullers post, No. 121, of the American Legion. A number of high school stars are organizing, and practice has been started.

Tomorrow night at the regular meeting of the post basketball and minstrel show probably will be the main topic of discussion. As interest in boxing in legion circles has taken a leap it is expected that more than one bout will be on the program tomorrow night.

A basketball team for the legion in this city has been discussed for some time but failed to get the proper momentum until the past week when a practice was called and a captain and manager was elected. Frank Bradford, former high school star, was named captain and Harold Stevens, former player on the Drury academy team, was named as manager. Much good material is to be had in Fullers post and it is thought that some fast games will be scheduled. The gymnasium at William and Vashti college will be used by the team for practice and games.

Men who have already appeared for practice and who are expected to form the nucleus of the team are: Frank Bradford, Harold Stevens, Wilbur Cook, Frank Brown, Ralph Butcher, Spence Burlund, Monroe Alquist, Dudley Brown.

A minstrel show by the legion members should prove a big hit in Aleddo as there is much good material among the men. It is expected that rehearsals will be started soon and a date set for the staging of the event.

Tomorrow night's boxing program for the members has attracted much attention and is bringing a feeling of interest in the legion that has heretofore been felt. Fullersans post has been somewhat handicapped by lack of interest and it is thought by members of the post that athletic activities will cause the lagging members to take hold and aid in making Fullersans truly an organization for promoting a feeling of good fellowship among the men of Mercer county.

WILL VOTE ON BOND ISSUE IN A SHORT TIME

New School for Aleddo Will Be Question—Expect to Finish in the Fall.

Call for bids on the new Aleddo school building will soon be sent out and a vote on the issue for the bond will be held. This is the word given out today by the school board.

Architectural plans have been submitted and the board has accepted the drawing. A strictly modern school building for Aleddo is assured for next year.

Work of raising the old north side school property preparatory to constructing the new building is expected to be started within the next two months. The building was built in 1889 and has outgrown its usefulness. The new structure will occupy almost the same site with the exception that it will be set closer to College avenue. When work of raising the old building is started, classes will be conducted at William and Vashti college, and possibly at the public library.

A three story building with the first floor just slightly above the street level is planned. "A complete school in every way," is the opinion of Dr. M. M. Marquis, chairman of the building committee. A gymnasium and auditorium capable of seating 500 people will be one of the many attractive features of the new school. In the auditorium there will be a stage 17 by 28 feet for entertainments, etc. The auditorium will be 52 by 70 feet with windows all around and a skylight. This room will be one story in height.

The new building will house the grades and the high school. The graded classes will occupy the first floor along with the manual training room, showers and boys' club room. The second floor will be occupied by the library, assembly room, recitation room and the rest room or first aid room, where sick or injured pupils will be given care pending the arrival of a physician.

The third floor will house the domestic science classes, lunch room, chemistry, physics and agricultural laboratories and lecture room.

A heating plant for the building will be staled which will be large enough to take care of the whole building and of any addition which may be needed in future years.

As labor saving machines are almost unknown in Mercer women's work is done by the crudest and hardest methods possible, from shelling rice with a heavy wood of stone pestle to washing clothes by beating them in the streams and ironing them with sticks.

SET PLANS FOR MERCER COUNTY FAIR NEXT YEAR

Event Will Again Last For Five Days and This Has Been Found to Be Satisfactory.

At the annual meeting of the Mercer county fair association executive committee, held yesterday, Guy Vanatta was named general superintendent of the fair for next fall. Committees were named to start the work of the fair association and prepare for next fall's event.

Joe Amiong was named chief of police and a committee composed of T. R. Chambers, W. C. Dillig, G. C. Bowers, E. B. Dodson, was named as the committee on speed with power to name the superintendent of speed. Department heads were named at yesterday's meeting. The various departments incident to the taking of the fair to be headed by a committee who appointed direct heads which was composed of T. R. Chambers, K. L. Wickert and Mrs. F. L. Church.

The subject of another 5-day fair was discussed and a motion was made to have the 1920 fair continue for five days. It is thought by officers of the fair board that five days is more appropriate for this event than four days. A resolution was passed to the effect that 25 per cent of entrance fees should accompany the application for reservation of stalls for horses and cattle and pens for hogs or sheep. The resolution as read was: "All parties making application for reservation of stalls for horses or cattle and pens for sheep or hogs shall accompany their application for such reservation with 25 per cent of the entire amount of reservation made by them. Any party making reservation shall be required to pay the full amount of all reservation made by them unless they have asked for a release of these reservations at least five days prior to opening date of the fair."

ALEDO CROGER IN ROLE OF A MODERN PIPER

L. C. Newton, popular croger, lacks only a pair of Scottish bag pipes to become a close second to the Pied-Piper of Hamelin. A few days ago Newton was solemnly poring over a sales lists for the purpose of a hiding place, but Aleddo has such good piping that not a hole could be found. Changing his course the rat dashed around the corner of the building, but found his way blocked by two women. No, the women were not frightened, they merely jumped high to give the rat a clear avenue of escape. Straight between the women and then down Seventh street, presumably toward the stockyards, fled Mr. Rat. But Mr. Newton has rather long legs, and it is said, was at one time quite a runner. At any rate the rat is no more. Newton caught him half way down the block.

ALEDO PERSONALS

D. E. Farr left Monday evening for Chicago for a short business visit.

Mrs. E. R. Petrie went to Bigsby Monday evening for a short visit with relatives.

Miss Cora Stephens went to Joy Monday evening to spend the night with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. McGarry went to Joy Monday night for a few days' visit with friends.

Mrs. S. A. Boruff and Mrs. Alice Stead, went to Galesburg Tuesday morning to spend the day with friends.

Miss Ella Reynolds departed Tuesday morning for Albuquerque, N. M., for an extended visit at the home of her nephew, Gene Graham.

Mrs. O. M. Dunley went to Galesburg Tuesday to be in attendance at the state Sunday school convention.

Mrs. Mabel Snyder of Tuttle, Okla., departed for her home Tuesday morning, after an extended visit in the city with her aunt, Mrs. Minnie Carroll.

PRESBYTERY MEET IS ATTENDED BY ALEDO DELEGATES

One of four of the sectional conventions of the Rock river presbytery was held at Burgess yesterday. Three delegates from Aleddo were present. Owing to no service on the Rock Island Southern, many delegates were prevented from being present.

Many interesting subjects were discussed. Talks were made on Sabbath schools, meetings, and young people's work by Dr. Verkey and Rev. M. W. Walter. Music was furnished by the Burgess choir, assisted by Louis Hart, cornet, and Ernest Cronson, violin, both of Joy. The delegates from Aleddo who attended were Mrs. W. H. Dool, Mrs. L. C. Detwiler and Mrs. C. H. Finch.