

Cutting of All Food Prices to Be Hoover's First Work in Service

Washington, May 29.—Reduction of the high prices the consumer pays for food, it was announced to-day, will be one of the first aims of the food administration which will be created with Herbert C. Hoover at its head, as soon as Congress passes the Government's food-control legislation.

This will be undertaken by cutting down the margin between producer and consumer through a system of executive orders under the administration, each to study means of snoring the speculative clan that handles a particular commodity. Probably the first staples to be studied will be grain, flour, meat and sugar.

Stability of prices, Mr. Hoover believes, is vital to the successful lowering of costs to the consumer, both here and abroad. The executives will have under them boards on which will be represented producer, middleman and consumer. Their efforts will be in the direction of modification of present trade methods and the stimulation of production.

To Advise on Buying The system of executive orders which will be one of several divisions into which the administration will be divided. One duty of the executives will be to advise on allied purchasing, which Mr. Hoover and Government officials hope will be removed from a competitive basis when the allies have established

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Tells Her Weight When Jail Yawns

Los Angeles, May 30.—Mrs. Sadie C. Sanford, whose feud with her next door neighbor, Mrs. Emma J. Cote, has been the cause of several court fights, told her weight in Superior Judge Wellborn's court under threat of being sent to jail.

United States in Need of Aviation Recruits

Washington, May 30.—The army needs aviation recruits. This announcement was made to-day to correct an erroneous impression that the aviation personnel of the army is filled up. Army officers have repeatedly said that the aviation section was crowded, but the department to-day officially announced that young men are wanted as aviators. Recruits may apply to the aeronautical officer at the nearest department headquarters, or the personnel section, Signal Corps, War Department, Washington, D. C.

Public Sale of Valuable Ice Plant and Other Real Estate

On Thursday, June 7, 1917, at 10 A. M., I will offer for sale at public outcry, on the premises, my ice plant, fixtures, and machinery, on Poplar Street, near the Pennsylvania Railroad station in the Borough of Mount Union. This plant is thoroughly equipped and does a large business. It is a fifteen-ton plant in good condition. Ample supply of pure water on premises. I will also offer at the same time and place, three four-room houses in Alleport, adjoining Mount Union Borough. Terms: One-fourth cash, balance in two years, to be properly secured. D. BINARDI, Mount Union, Pa.

Nebraskan Farmers Predict Bumper Crops

Omaha, Neb., May 30.—Optimistic reports of food production in Nebraska this year were made to the Nebraska Conservation Congress, which closed yesterday after a three days' session, during which time an invoice of the resources of the State were made.

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ESTATE OF Ezra S. Meals, late of Third and North streets, Harrisburg, Pa., deceased. All persons indebted to said Estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having legal claims will present them without delay, in proper order for settlement, to CHARLES HAROLD EAST, Administrator, 27 North Seventeenth Street, Harrisburg, Pa., April 24, 1917.

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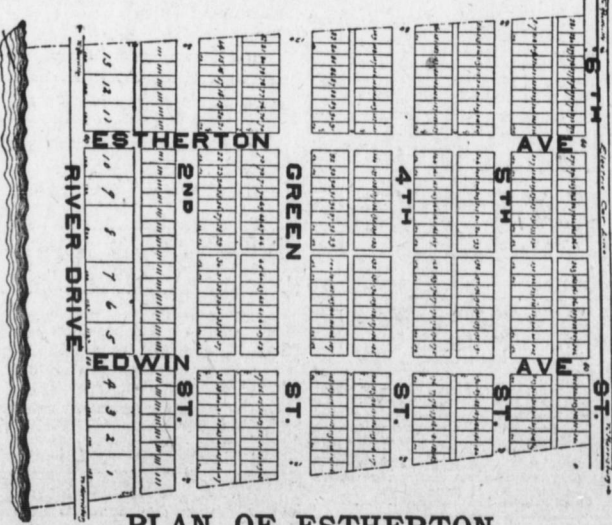
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