



FOOD ADVANCING IN PRICES. The Cost of Living a Great Deal More Than it Was a Year Ago. Housekeepers are complaining that the cost of living is from fifteen to twenty-five per cent. more than it was a year ago. They have found that the increase is in the cost of certain kinds of food rather than in rent, clothing, or furniture.

"It's the drought," said the grocer. "It's impossible to get food fit to eat in the markets. It would make your heart bleed to see how small and dry and sticky the best vegetables look. I suppose the cause of this is the cause of the advance in nearly all the goods I deal in."

"That is only a small part of the reason," said a big grocer down-town, adding: "I look at it from a wider standpoint. During the hard times that followed the panic there was an over-production of everything. Now everybody is at work and everybody has money to spend. People who have money to spare spend much more for food than people who are pinched. The consequence is that the demand has increased and this, with insufficient crops, has produced high prices."

"Please compare the prices you are paying for staple goods today with the prices you paid a year ago." "Well, take canned goods. Last year I paid 95 cents a dozen for tomatoes. This year I pay from \$1.40 to \$1.60 for the same brands. Last year I paid \$1.25 for canned corn, now I am paying \$1.75. A dozen cans of peaches last year cost me \$2.15, but this year they cost from \$3.25 to \$3.50 a dozen. Dried beans are staple all over the land. I paid \$1.55 per bushel for them last year, now I have to pay \$3.40 for the same quantity. Dried peas cost \$1.55 per bushel last year, and now cost \$2.10.

street, according to plans and specifications adopted by the Council at session of November 5, 1881, and filed in the Clerk's office, new City Hall building, will be received at the City Clerk's office until 7:30 o'clock on Tuesday evening, November 20th, 1881.

PROPOSALS TO BE MADE. To the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken, endorsed. Proposals for the erection of a Bell Tower for Engine House No. 2.

MISS MINNIE CASE. THE SOPRANO OF ST. MARY'S CHURCH, of the city of Hoboken, hath this day made an assignment to me for that purpose, by the above-named administrator, I do hereby, on this 12th day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one, order the said administrator to give public notice to the creditors of the estate of said deceased, to bring in their debts, demands and claims against the same, under oath, within nine months from the date of this order, by setting up a copy of this order in five of the most public places in the County of Hudson, for the space of two months, and advertising the same for the like period in the Hoboken Advertiser, one of the newspapers of this State, such notice to be given and advertised within twenty days from the date hereof, and to be continued for two months.

LEGAL NOTICES. WM. MCAVOY, SURROGATE, Office Hours—9 A. M. to 5 P. M. Saturday—9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

CORPORATION NOTICE. Public notice is hereby given that a majority of the property owners on Grand street, between the southern line of Third street and the northern line of Fourth street, have filed a petition with the Council of the City of Hoboken to have said portion of said street graded to the highest established grade, paved with Belgian blocks, curbs raised, flags laid, new curbs and flags where necessary, and intersections of Third and Fourth streets repaired, and that objections thereto (which must be in writing) will be received at the City Clerk's office, new City Hall building, until 7 1/2 o'clock P. M., Tuesday, November 23, 1881, when the same will be heard and considered.

CORPORATION NOTICE. Public notice is hereby given, that sealed proposals for furnishing the following supplies for the use of the Fire Department and at the new City Hall building: For the Fire Department: Fifty gross tons coal, more or less, egg size. Eleven gross tons coal, 12 or less, nut size. Four gross tons Canal coal (English); and Six loads wood, sawed and split.

CORPORATION NOTICE. Public notice is hereby given that sealed proposals for lighting, cleaning, keeping in repair, excelling and furnishing the oil for the Oil Lamps on the corner of Water street, by May 1, 1882, will be received at the office of the City Clerk, new City Hall building, until 7:30 o'clock on Tuesday evening, November 20th, 1881.

THEATRES. WARREN'S GERMANIA THEATRE AND SUMMER GARDEN. NO. 68 TO 74 HUDSON ST. HOBOKEN, N. J. The largest and best ventilated place of amusement in the city.

HAVERLY'S 5TH AVE. THEATRE, 25th street, near Broadway, New York. COMMENCING MONDAY, NOVEMBER 14. Every Evening at 8 Saturday Matinee at 2.

NOTICE TO TAX-PAYERS. TAXPAYERS ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED THAT the Commissioners of Appeal will meet at CITY HALL, In the City of Hoboken, on TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 22, 1881.

LAUNDRY. AH LEE'S LAUNDRY, 102 First Street, Hoboken. Price List: Shirts, ironed 10c. Shirts, pressed 7c. Drawers 7c. Under-shirts 5c. Collars, each 3c. Handkerchiefs, two for 5c. Socks, per pair 5c. Vests 5c. White Pants 25c. Suits, per suit 50c. Ladies' Skirts 25 to 50c. Family washing promptly attended to.

NOTICE OF SETTLEMENT. Notice is hereby given, that the account of the subscribers, executors of the estate of Francis Carroll, deceased, will be audited and stated by the Surrogate of the County of Hudson, and reported for settlement on Saturday, the 29th day of October, next, at 11 o'clock A. M., at the office of ANNA GULDFOYER, Surrogate.

COAL AND WOOD. SEITZ & CAMPBELL, DEALERS IN COAL. Wholesale and Retail.

THE HOBOKEN COAL CO., DEALERS IN Soranton, Lehigh, AND Other Coals.

ESTABLISHED 1856. L. WIEDERMANN'S, 148 WASHINGTON ST. Fine Groceries and Delicacies. Butter, Tea, Coffee & Flour specialties.

INSURANCE AGENT. C. ALFRED TISSOT, REAL ESTATE. Insurance Agent, 23 NEWARK ST., HOBOKEN.

R. P. FRANCIS, LUMBER DEALER. YARD. FIRST AND NEWARK STS., Between Meadow and Willow. Timber, Pickets, Lath, Mouldings, Red Cedar Posts & Hard Wood.

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STEAMBOATS & TUGS. COAL, WOOD & WATER. From their Works at Hoboken.

NIVEN & CO. Anthracite Coals, George's Creek Cumberland Coal.

DANCING ACADEMY. Mrs. Prof. F. JURISCH'S DANCING ACADEMY, SANGER'S HALL, 80 HUDSON ST., Monday, Sept. 19, '81.

WALLACE'S DANCING ACADEMY. Prof. J. Wallace and Daughter will re-open their DANCING ACADEMY at the Franklin Lyceum, Bloomsfield St., near 8th, Hoboken, TUESDAY, OCTOBER 11th.

J. & W. OBREITER, 164 WASHINGTON STREET. THE BEST CIGARS IN THE CITY.

ADAM SCHMITT, BOOT AND SHOE STORE, 138 WASHINGTON ST., Hoboken, N. J.

SMILEY'S First National Boot & Shoe Store, 192 WASHINGTON ST. Contains the largest and most varied assortment of Boots and Shoes in Hudson County.

MAHON'S Wines & Liquors, Cor. SECOND AND WILLOW. Samuel Evans, FINE WINES AND LIQUORS.

WINE & LAGER-BIER SALOON. JOHN EVANS, WINE AND LAGER-BIER SALOON. No. 48 Bloomfield St., cor. 1st.

LOUIS GOLL, Men's Furnishing Goods, Sole Agent for KEEPS CELEBRATED SHIRTS.

Geo. Asher, Wholesale and Retail Dealer in POULTRY AND GAME, 436 Washington Market, New York.

CHAS. COHEN, Commission Merchant, And Wholesale and Retail Dealer in POULTRY AND GAME IN SEASON, No. 74 Vesey Street, New York.

SMITH'S MARKET, LIVE AND DRESSED POULTRY, Fish, Fresh, Smoked & Salt, MEAT AND COUNTRY PRODUCE.

H. C. REESE'S EAGLE DYE WORKS, STEAM DYEING, Cleaning and Refinishing, No. 71 FIRST STREET, Hoboken, N. J.

to the Committee on Lamps and Gas: Communication from John J. Smith, requesting the Mayor and Council to erect twenty-five new lamps...

To the Committee on Streets and Assessments: Petition of Franz Schaefer, requesting permission to erect signs in front of his place of business, No. 25 Third street...

To the Committee on Streets and Assessments: Robert Muirhead, furnishing 155 feet of bridge iron on Washington street by improvement...

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On Grand street, between Third and Fourth streets, to have said portion of sidewalk graded and paved with bed blocks, proposed by Edw. Kennedy...

On motion of Councilman Timken the report was received and the recommendation adopted. The Committee on Licenses, to whom was referred the petitions of Julius Schmidt and Michael Hagan, for licenses as peddlers...

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