Food Administration Declares It is an Absolute Sin to Waste Food-Food Has Become Sacred.

call for more food. We must send it if the war is to go on efficiently. If we eat it all we cannot ship it, and the food administration has already tried to picture how much that wheat is needed by people who will starve if SAVES WORLD FOOD SITUATION they do not get it, the food administra tion states

"For the least bit of heedlessness on your part in food conservation some one somewhere in the world must suf fer privation," an official statement declares. "The food administration has mastered the problem of America's food in such a way that every is now moving rapidly to market. ounce of food conserved and kept in More than 3,000 million bushelsstomach in Europe.

Food has become sacred.

"Food means life; it means some hody's life, and you cannot escape re-

the allied nations."

WAR BREAD COSTLY TO BRITISH GOVERNMENT

Every year the British government pays \$200,000,000 toward the cost of that nation's war bread. That is the principal reason why English bread prices are lower today to the consumer than in America. Incidentally the British bread is much poorer than the American.

Great Britain has taken over all home grown grain, bought at an arbitrary price, and all imported wheat bought in markets of the world at prevailing prices. This is turned over to the mills by the government at a price that allows the adulterated war bread loaf of four pounds to sell at 18 cents. The two pound loaf costs 9 cents, and the one pound loaf sells for 5 cents.

In milling, however, 14 per cent. more flour is extracted from the wheat than in America. And there is a compulsory adulteration of 20 per cent. and an allowable adulteration of 50 per cent.

Compared with American bread, the British product is only about 65 per cent, pure at its best.

In France, under conditions somewhat similar, but with a larger extraction, the four pound loaf sells for 16

AMERICAN SAVINGS WILL **MEASURE WHEAT EXPORTS**

"We have already exported the whole of the surplus of the 1917 wheat harvest, over and above the normal demends of our own population. It is necessary, therefore, for the food administration to restrict export of wheat so as to retain in the United States sufficient supplies to carry our own people until the next harvest.

"Therefore all exports of wheat from now forward are limited entirly to volume of saving made by the American people in their consumption of wheat and wheat products.

"We continued wheat shipments for December as far as our situation allowed, but even with all the conservation made we were still unable to load several hundred thousand tons of foodstuffs urgently required by the allied nations during the month of December

HERBERT HOOVER.

WHEAT-CORN YEAST BREAD.



Wheat-corn bread is more nutritious than bread baked with wheat flour alone. Thousands of American famflies today are using this mixed flour bread, and in so doing are enabling America to provide more wheat flour for the allies. Here's a tested recipe for this bread: Take one and a half cups of milk, water or a mixture of the two; one-half cake compressed yeast, one and a half teaspoons salt, one tablespoon sugar, one tablespoon of fat if desired, one cup cornmeal and two cups wheat flour.

Put one and a half cups of water, the cornmeal, sait, sugar and fat (if used) into a double boiler and cook twenty minutes. The water is sufficient only to soften the meal a little. Allow the meal to cool to about the temperature of the room and add the flour and yeast mixed with the rest of the water. Knead thoroughly, make into loaf, place in pan of standard size, allow to rise until nearly fills the pan and bake 45 or 50 minutes. It is hardly practicable to use a greater percentage of cornmeal than this even in emergencies, for bread so made differs very little from baked mush. Less cornmeal can be used and in sucn a case the general method given above may be followed.

It is possible to make a yeast raised corn bread without first cooking the cornmeal. In this case not more than one cupful of meal should be used to four cupfuls of flour. In other respects the bread is mixed and baked as in the above recipe.

EUROPE NEEDS FOOD BIG CORN CROP IS NOW MOVING

Europe is still sending an insistent More Than 3,000 Million Bushels Raised in 1917—Gives Big Surplus.

America Beginning Greatest Coan Consumption in History, Using Cereal In Many Delicious Dishes.

Corn, America's greatest cereal crop,

the currents of trade goes to an empty | 30 bushels for every man, woman and child in America-were raised in 1917. "It is an absolute sin to waste food It was a mighty crop. The actual increase is about 500 million bushels. And this extra store of grain is coming on to the market in the nick of time, since the American wheat sur-"There is no waste of food among plus has been sent to help feed famine threatened Europe.

Just as it happened in the Colonial days, the War of the Revolution, and the Civil War, corn has actually become the nation's mainstay.

In the entire list of America's food commodities there is no item that is better than corn. In puddings, bread. corn pone, and as hominy combined with meat or eggs, corn is without a peer. Housewives are fast learning the large number of delicious dishes that may be made with corn and their families are benefiting by an increased use of the cereal. Corn, more than any other cereal, contains all of the elements essential to maintaining life and health.

In order that the fighting men abroad and in the army camps at home may be fed, and in order that actual famine may be kept from the nations associated with America in the war, the citizens of America are finding corn products delicious and palatable on "wheatless days" and glory in the fact that "wheatless days" here mean more wheat for the war worn allied nations in Europe.

England, France and Italy must be fed from America's great storehouse. They will get some corn-especially Italy-but most of their grain shipments must be wheat. Their ability to use corn is small compared to the facilities they have for using wheat. And it is the opinion of officials in Washington that the present is no time to try and change the eating habits of Europe.

America's greatest use of corn will be in the form of corn bread and corn meal, mixed with wheat in the making of leavened bread.

Mixed with 80 per cent, wheat flour, corn meal can be used in bread making, producing a loaf more nutritious than bread baked with wheat alone. It is a fact corn millers will verify that dozens of the large American bakers have been successfully using a corn flour in bread making for several

Hominy grits, served at breakfast with a poached egg, or eaten at any other meal with meats or gravy, is another use of corn that will become unusually popular during the war.

Corn syrup to sweeten corn cakes, and corn oil for use in all kinds of cooking, are two more products that are already welcomed in thousands of American homes.

THE UNITED STATES FOOD ADMINISTRATION SAYS

Food saving is in its essence the daily individual service of all the people. Every group can substitute, and even the great majority of thrifty people can save a little and the more luxurious elements of the population can, by reduction to simple living, save much. This means no more than that we should eat plenty, but wisely and without waste.

Food Will Win the War

LARGE part of the world is coming to the position that Belgium is in; coming to the stage where the primary and important thing in life is enough food



taken a dominant position in the war. The American reople must prepare themselves to sacrifice far more than was at first thought neces-

to keep alive.

Food has now

The cold facts are: France, Italy and England have just enough food to keep them going ten or twelve weeks. When America's food shipments stopthe allied nations begin consuming into this slender store and begin a swift march into actual famine conditions-which would mean defeat in short order.

Europe then must live on America's surplus. Your saving increases our available stocks just that much and actually feeds some person in the countries with which we are associated in our war against the Central Powers. Our surplus wheat has already

been shipped to the allies. U. S. FOOD ADMINISTRATION

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"Yes," said Breezem, who happened to be in a reminiscent mood, during my younger days I sowed the wind, but later"—
"Well, what happened later?"

queried Mrs. Breezem.

"I married you," continued the alleged head of the matrimonial combine.—Chicago News.



Children Write Food Slogans.

A competition was recently held among Indiana school children by the Federal food administrator of that State, prizes being offered for food-conservation posters. Thousands of children yarticipated with poster designs and food-saving slogans, and the following succint phrases are given as examples of the children's work:

Be Canny With Food. Peel Thin and Win.

Not That We Love Food Less, But We Love Liberty More. Spread Butter Thin-Help the

Sammies Get Berlin. 4 Be a Conservative Bee. Bread and Buns Will Beat the

Fill all Cans But Garbage Cans. Can Until You Can't.

Every Spud Is a Bullet. Save Bacon Until Berlin Is Taken. Save Navy Beans-'Twill Sink the Submarines.

Wise Wives Won't Waste. Kill Kaiserism in the Kitchen. Every Hoosier Help Hoover. Eat Fish-A Good War Dish.

The Nations Beats That Saves Pickle and Can for Uncle Sam.

The Kitchen is Your Fort. Throw Away Your Frying Pan-Bake, Broil and Boil All You Can.

The Quinine That Does Not Affect the Head Because of its tonic and laxative effect, LAXA-TIVE BROMO QUININE is better than ordinary Quinine and does not cause nervousness nor ringing in head. Remember the full name and look for the signature of E. W. GROVE. 30c

The Auditor's office will be open from January 1 to February 20, 1918

inclusive, for the purpose of taxing tax returns for the fiscal year 1918. Returns must be made for all real and personal

property.

All male persons between the ages of \$2.00, and must be returned. Don't fail or forget or in any manner

try to dodge returning your dog or dogs.
All property must be returned in township and school district in which Income tax should be returned at the same time other returns are made. Pursuant to law, there will be no ap-

pointments for the purpose of taking tax returns elsewhere than in the Au-A penalty of fifty per cent (50%) will be added after February 20.

J J B MONTGOMERY,

12-27-t2-14 County Auditor.

Notice of Application for Final Discharge.

o'clock noon, I will apply to P M Brockinton, Judge of Probate of Williamsburg county, for Letters Dismissory as Administratrix of the Estate of J M Cook, deceased.

MRS E J COOK,

Notice to Stockholders.

Pursuant to a resolution of the Board of Directors a special meeting of the stockholders of the Blakely-McCullough Corporation will be held at the company's office at Lanes, S C, Thursday, March 7,1918, at 8 p.m., for the purpose of acting upon a resolution of the Board of Directors recommending that said corporation go into liquidation, wind up ts affairs and dissolve. H E McCullough,

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Notice to Stockholders.

Pursuant to resolution of the Board of Directors a special meeting of the stockholders of the Lanes Ginnery Company will be held at the company's office at Lanes. S C, Thursday, March 7, 1918, at 8:30 p. m., for the purpose of acting upon a resolution of the Board of Directors recommending that said corporation go into liquidation, wind up its affairs and dissolve. H E McCullough,

Secretary. Notice to Stockholders.

A special meeting of the stockholders of the Lanes Mercantile Co will be held at Lanes, S C, March 7, 1918, at 8 p. m., for the purpose of acting upon a resolution of the Board of Directors recommending that said corporation go into liquidation, wind up its affairs and dis-H SOPMAN, Secretary.

Registration Notice.

The office of the Supervisor of Registration will be open on the 1st Monday in each month for the purpose of registering any person who is qualified as follows:

Who shall have been a resident of the State for two years, and of the county one year, and of the polling prevote four months before the day of election, and shall have paid, six months before, any poll tax then due and payable, and who can both read and write any section of the constitution of 1895 submitted to him by the Supervisors of Registration, or who can show that he owns, and has paid all taxes collectible on during the present year, property in this State assessed at three hundred dollars or B E CLARKSON,

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Monday night in each month. Visiting choppers are cordially inon a stump or hang about on the ilmbs. P H STOLL, Con. Com.

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