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'This Is Already A Perfect Storm' Expert Warns - War Is Already Decimating An Already Depleted Food Supply, A Situation Which Is

Rapidly Becoming Worse



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On March 5, 2022, two things occurred one right after the other which encouraged me to publish this article a few days earlier than originally planned.

The first was running across an article at Yahoo Finance, written by Bloomberg, titled "Food Protectionism Is Spreading as Hungary Bans Grain

Exports."

That article explained how "Governments around the world are taking steps to safeguard domestic food supplies after Russia's invasion of Ukraine roiled trade and sent prices of key staples soaring."

Hungary is banning grain exports, its agriculture minister told television channel RTL on Friday. Argentina and Turkey also made moves this week to increase their control over local products. And Moldova, albeit a small shipper, temporarily halted exports of wheat, corn and sugar from this month.

Protectionist measures -- which

already picked up in recent years as the Covid-19 pandemic sparked worries about local supplies and high prices -- could spell more bad news for global food trade. The war in Ukraine has brought crop shipments from much of the crucial Black Sea region to a halt, heightening fears of shortages of grain and sunflower oil.

The piece goes to list a number of other countries taking steps to protect their local products, which include the statement, "Argentina, a major grain shipper, is creating a mechanism to guarantee wheat supplies for local millers and tame pasta prices. Top flour exporter Turkey boosted the

agriculture ministry's authority over exports of an array of goods, allowing it to make "periodical arrangements" if needed."

Abdolreza Abbassian, an independent analyst, who has tracked agriculture markets for decades, says "This is already a perfect storm."

Second Instance: After reading that, I opened an email sent to ANP by a reader with images from their local Walmart in Idaho Falls, ID. The email is dated March 5, 2022.

The first image I saw, was quite coincidental after reading the article cited above:



Reader Image: Walmart, ID - Pasta Shelf

The reader also sent images of a couple canned food sections where we could see empty spaces indicative of food shortages.

In order to grasp exactly what that means for our food supply, Ilooked
Up what products are and will continue to be affected and the list of foods made from wheat is long.

Crumpets

Flour tortillas - just to name some everyday food items in many households.

Related: Food prices jump 20.7% yr/yr to hit record high in Feb, U.N. agency says

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The severity of the upcoming shortages, will depend on a number of factors, two main ones being the length

of the war between Russia and Ukraine, and what limitations to exports are lifted once it is over....unless it leads to world war, then the limitation question becomes moot.

That leaves consumers with few options for short term, and long term.

- Buy whatever you can now, and if not available at your local grocers, buy online while items are still available.
 (The items are linked above)
- Stock up on huge bags of flour, whatever type you prefer, grab some how-to books, and learn to make your your own pastas, bread, noodles, biscuits, etc....

Bread Baking for Beginners: The

Essential Guide to Baking Kneaded
Breads, No-Knead Breads, and
Enriched Breads

Bread Illustrated: A Step-By-Step
Guide to Achieving Bakery-Quality
Results At Home

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for Mastering Cut, Shaped, Stuffed, Extruded, and Flavored Pastas

Flour search page: From pizza flour, wheat flour, rye....and more.

Recommended: Buy in bulk if possible. Once capable of baking your own breads and making your own pastas, that may end up being your preferred method. There is nothing like warm bread just taken out of the oven, slathered with butter or jelly.

For Baking:

Salt

Fresh and Honest Foods Dehydrated
Whole Eggs 40 OZ #10 Can (94
Servings). Up to 10+ Years Shelf Life.

ReadyWise Emergency Food Supply,

Freeze-Dried Powdered-Egg Bucket,

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Supplies, Emergency Supplies, 144

Servings, Egg

Hoosier Hill Farm Real Butter powder,

1 lb

Cooking Oils

<u>Sugar</u>

Bread And Pasta Machines:

Pasta Maker Deluxe Set 5 Piece Steel

Machine with Spaghetti Fettuccini

Roller, Angel Hair, Ravioli Noodle,

Lasagnette Cutter Attachments,

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Thickness Settings for Fresh

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Aluminum Alloy Rollers and Cutter,

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<u>Lasagna</u>

Amazon Basics 2 Pound Non-Stick

Bread Making Machine, Black

Pohl Schmitt Stainless Steel Bread

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Settings Incl Gluten Free & Fruit, Nut

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3 Crust Colors, Keep Warm, and

Recipes

Hamilton Beach Bread Maker Machine,

Digital, Programmable, 12 Settings +

Gluten Free, Dishwasher Safe Pan +

Kneading Paddle, 2 lb Capacity, Black



Reader Image: Walmart, ID, canned goods



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An updated list from Taste Of Home on shortages being seen and expected to get worse, includes canned foods, due to a number of factors. Aluminum shortages, self-inflicted labor shortages from the lockdowns, and in many cases actual food shortages.

The empty holes found throughout the canned goods sections have become more frequent and appear to be getting

bigger each time readers send in images, so get what you can, when you can.

Note: In this piece we linked to canned products, but a follow up piece will deal with learning to can, freeze dry or dehydrate what you grow, because it is time to start preparing for Spring gardening.

(Links to freeze dried foods in related ANP article)

Canned Foods:

Wellsley Farms White Premium Chunk
Chicken Breast in Water, 12.5 Ounce,
6 CountKeystone Meats All Natural
Canned Chicken, 28 Ounce by
Keystone Meats

Swanson Chicken á la King Made with White and Dark Meat Chicken, 10.5

Ounce Can (Pack of 12)

<u>Dinty Moore Beef Stew with Fresh</u> <u>Potatoes & Carrots 20 oz (Pack of 12)</u>

<u>Armour Star Classic Homestyle Beef</u> <u>Stew, 20 oz. (Pack of 12)</u>

<u>Keystone Meats All Natural Canned</u> <u>Beef, 28 Ounce</u>

SAMPCO Shredded Beef 3lb.Kirkland
Signature Chicken Breast (Chicken
Breast -6 Count)

<u>Keystone Meats All Natural Canned</u> <u>Pork, 28 Ounce</u>

Armour Star Roast Beef With Gravy, 12 oz.

Armour Star Banner Sausage, Easy
Open Can, 10.5 oz. (Pack of 12)

Wild Planet Skipjack Wild Tuna, Sea
Salt, Keto and Paleo, 3rd Party
Mercury Tested, 5 Ounce (Pack of 12)

<u>Armour Star Luncheon Meat, 12 oz.</u> (<u>Pack of 12)</u>

Canned Vegetables Variety Of Options

Canned Fruits Variety Of Options

IMAGES of what differences you are seeing on the shelves of your local grocers can be sent to

tips@allnewspipeline.com.

BOTTOM LINE

As we watch what happens globally affect what we see locally at our stores, on top of the already strained food supply chain, there is no way to overstate the importance of being prepared.

As I have said before, and I am sure I will again, if you are prepared for everything you can possible be prepared for, there is no need to worry or fear because you have done all that you can.

Be safe. Be Prepared.

God Bless.

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