

THE KEYSONE STATE

COMMERCIAL REVIEW.

Latest News of Pennsylvania Told in Short Order.

Pensions granted.—Levi Vandewater, Warsaw, \$17; Benjamin Ramsey, Bayne, \$40; Thomas Himes, Everett, \$17; John J. Esher, Erie, \$12; Parker Allen, Idlewood, \$12; Cornelius Ryan, Robins Station, \$8; Louis Schriver, New Castle, \$46; Joseph Leonard, Roscoe, \$8; William Bassett, Corry, \$55; George B. Gissingar, Allegheny, \$7; Frederick S. Shafter, Brown Hill, \$12; Gibson C. Moore, Butler, \$10; William Duncan, Indiana, \$10; Henry M. Kinney, Garner, \$12; Foster E. Hodges, State Line Mills, \$14; Michael Kenny, Allegheny, \$6; William E. Keller, Broad Ford, \$30; Agnes A. Mahoney, Everett, \$12; Martin J. Sterling, Oil City, \$8; Margaret A. Hamilton, Pine Flats, \$8; Veronica Herbst, Erie, \$8; Wethly Kinny, Garner, \$8; Liverton T. Unks, Pittsburgh, \$8; William Hedernann, Allegheny, \$8; Santford Goodrich, Bradford, \$6; Moses Little, East McKeesport, \$8; Samuel C. Goodwin, Connellsville, \$12; John F. Hunter, Pittsburg, \$46; Eden B. Jacoby, Altoona, \$10; Samuel Shirk, Bellefonte, \$12; Isaac J. Green, Murfreesville, \$8; Henry B. Pontius, Bellefonte, \$10; James B. Phillips, Oakmont, \$8; John B. McKaig, Beaver Falls, \$8; John S. Stahl, Millintown, \$14; George T. Alto, Farmers Valley, \$10; George A. Lyford, Rouserville, \$40; Elizabeth Marshall, New Castle, \$8; Melissa J. Campbell, McKeesport, \$12; Janet C. Hamilton, Sandy Lake, \$8; Catherine R. Lucas, Ligonier, \$8; Thomas M. O'Donnell, Getz, \$12.

H. B. Muthersbaugh, night bag-gagemaster for the Pennsylvania road and also chief of police of Driftwood, discovered two burglars breaking into the store of J. O. Brookbank shortly after midnight. The robbers saw the officer at the same time and ordered him to halt. For reply he drew a revolver and fired and the burglars both began shooting. Muthersbaugh being in the open, a plain mark in the moonlight, retreated behind some cars, whence he emptied his revolver at the two men, who were in the dark and sheltered behind posts. One bullet penetrated the policeman's hat. Muthersbaugh was reinforced by citizens and a descent in force was made on the store, but the robbers had flown.

A silk mill employing 400 skilled workmen, will be erected in South Sharon. At a meeting of the board of trade a communication was read from a New York firm, in which it was stated that if South Sharon will subscribe in stock and site, the sum of \$30,000 they will consider the location of such a mill. The company is already capitalized at \$75,000.

A wonderful exhibition of vitality is being given by William Wheeler, aged 23, of Lewistown, a brakeman, who, on March 10, was caught in a wreck and burned from the waist down. Doctors said he was fatally injured. Both legs have been amputated, and he may recover.

John Trick, aged 18, sustained injuries at the Sharon tin mill that will result fatally. He was struck by the wabblers and knocked down. He sustained a fracture of the jaw bone and a compound fracture of the collar bone. The broken bone piercing his lung.

The H. C. Frick Coke Company has put out the following ovens on account of stock on hand: Albert No. 2, 104 ovens; Mullin, 82; Isabella, 25; Alverton No. 1, 52; Monastery, 48; Redstone, 20, and Leith, 40.

Two Philadelphians are prominent among those upon whom have been conferred the honors of Bucknell's fifty-third commencement. They are Miss Hannah Goodman and Howard King Williams. Among others whose names are enrolled on the honor list is Reese Harvey Harris, who is a son of Bucknell's present chief executive, President John H. Harris.

The Butler Coal and Coke Company has bought 557 acres of coal land in two townships in Butler county.

Fire consumed the barn of Frederick Beltz, of Derry. The horses were saved. Loss \$1,000.

Morris Williams, aged 24, was killed on the Baltimore and Ohio at Flushing. He was sleeping on the track.

Work was started on the East End street railway between Sharon and East Middlesex. Pittsburg capitalists are interested in the road.

Miss Carrie Chatham, aged 16, was probably fatally burned at Altoona. She threw a quantity of wood alcohol in a stove to hurry the fire.

H. L. Sadler, of New Kensington, is in jail at Uniontown on a charge of false pretense. Josiah V. Williams, a brick manufacturer, alleges that Sadler got brick worth \$804 on the assertion that he had real estate, and now Williams cannot collect the bill.

Judge Bell, at Hollidaysburg granted permission to residents of Williamsburg and the Williamsburg Paper Manufacturing Company to join with Mrs. Mollie Treese in restraining the Crescent Powder Company, of Pittsburg, from rebuilding its plant, which recently blew up, killing eight men.

New Castle policemen were called to quell High School students. Daniel Adams, Edward McElhinney and Herman Erby, while raising oil rigs at Fredonia, were hurt by falling timbers.

Unrest in the ranks of labor has increased rather than abated since May. When difficulties of this sort usually diminish. No single struggle of great magnitude is in progress, but the frequency of small strikes is disturbing, and in the aggregate a large force is idle, while important industrial undertakings are checked. Prices of commodities declined slightly during April, and the index number falling from 509.57 to 503.561. A year ago the highest point of recent years was touched at 502.289. Railway earnings in April were 13.4 per cent. larger than in last year and 23.7 per cent. above 1901.

Textile manufacturers at the East have not improved their position during the past week. Jobbers are buying only small quantities, exercising a discrimination that indicates dull markets elsewhere, and salesmen are being withdrawn from the road.

LATEST QUOTATIONS.

Flour—Spring clear, \$3.25@3.40; best Patent, \$4.80; choice Family, \$4.05. Wheat—New York No. 2, \$1.05; Philadelphia No. 2, 78@79 1/2; Baltimore No. 2, 81c. Corn—New York No. 2, 51 1/2c; Philadelphia No. 2, 48 1/2@49 1/2c; Baltimore No. 2, 51c. Oats—New York No. 2, 39 1/2c; Philadelphia No. 2, 43c; Baltimore No. 2, 44c. Hay—No. 1 timothy, large bales, \$21.00; do, small bales, \$21.00; No. 2 timothy, \$19.50@20.00; No. 3 timothy, \$16.00@18.00; No. 1 clover mixed, \$18.00@18.50; No. 2 clover mixed, \$14.50@15.50; No. 1 clover, \$14.50@15.00; No. 2 clover, \$10.00@12.00; no grade hay, \$8.00, 12.00.

Fruits and Vegetables.—Cabbage—Southern, new, per crate \$1.00@1.50. Potatoes—Western, per bu 68@70c; do, Eastern, do 68@70c; do, New Florida, No. 1, per bu \$4.00@4.50; do, do, No. 2, do \$2.50@3.50. Eggplants—Florida, per orange box, \$2.50@3.25. Onions—Yellow, per bu 60@70c; do, red, 10 @—; do, Celery—Florida, per case \$2.50@3.00. Sweet Potatoes—Potomac, yellow, per bu \$3.00; do, do, North Carolina, yellow, \$3.00; do, do, Eastern, yellow, \$2.75@3.00. Yams \$1.50@2.00. Tomatoes—Florida, fancy, per carrier, \$3.00@3.50; do, do, air to good, do \$1.50@2.50. Asparagus, per dozen bunches \$1.50@2.00. Strawberries, per qt 6@12c. Cucumbers, Florida, per box \$1.50@2.50. Spring onions, per 100 65@70c. Green Peas, per basket \$1.25@1.60. Beans—Green, per box \$2.00@2.75; do, wax, per box \$3.00@3.50. Lettuce—Southern, per basket \$1.00@1.25; do, native, do 50@70c.

Butter—Separator, 25@26c; Gathered cream, 23@24c; Prints, 1-lb, 26@27c; Rolls, 2-lb, 28@29c; Dairy pts. Md., Pa., Va., 24@25c. Eggs—Western Maryland and Pennsylvania, per dozen, \$1.05; Eastern Shore (Maryland and Virginia) —@1.15; Virginia—@1.20; West Virginia—@1.25; Western—@1.15; Southern 14 1/2 @—; Guinea 9@10; duck, Eastern Shore, fancy—@1.15; do Western and Southern—@1.15.

Cheese—Large, 60-lbs, 13 1/2@13 3/4c; do, 36-lbs, 13 3/4@13 1/4c; 23-lbs, 14@14 1/4c. Live Poultry.—Chickens—Hens, heavy to medium, 12 1/2@13c; old roosters each, 25@30; young, good to choice, 14@15; do, rough and stagg, —@13; spring, 1 1/2 lbs and over—@25; do, 1 to 1 1/2 lbs—8@22; winter 18@20. Ducks—Fancy, large, —@12c; do, small, —@10; muscovy and mongrel 11@12. Geese, Western, each, 20@25. Guinea fowl, each, —@25c. Turkeys, old strong flyers, per pair, —@30c; do, young, 25@30.

Hides—Heavy steers, association and salters, late kill, 60 lbs and up, close selections, 8 1/2@10 1/4c; cows and light steers, 8@8 1/2c. Provisions and Hog Products.—Bulk clear rib sides, 11c; bulk clear sides, 11 1/4; bulk shoulders, 9 1/2; bulk fat backs, 18 lbs and under, 10; bulk bellies, 12; bulk ham butts, 10; bacon clear rib sides, 11 1/4; clear sides, 11 1/4; bacon shoulders, 10 1/2; sugar-cured breasts, small, 12 1/2; sugar-cured shoulders, blade cuts, 10 1/2; sugar-cured shoulders, narrow, 10 1/2; sugar-cured shoulders, extra broad, 11 1/4; sugar-cured California hams, 10 1/2; canned and uncanned hams, 12 lbs and over, 14; hams, canned and uncanned, 15 lbs and over, 13 1/4; skinned, 14 1/4; refined lard, second-hand tubs, 10 1/4; refined lard, salt-barrels and new tubs, 10 1/4; tierces, lard, 10 1/4.

Live Stock. Chicago.—Cattle—Good to prime steers \$5.20@5.50; poor to medium \$4.25@5.10; stockers and feeders \$3.25@5.10; cows \$1.50@4.75; heifers \$2.50@5.25; canners \$1.50@2.80; bulls \$2.50@4.50; calves \$2.50@6.25; Texas fed steers \$4.00@4.75. Hogs—Receipts today 25,300 head; tomorrow 20,000; left over 5000 opened 10c lower; closed strong; mixed and butchers, \$6.80@6.90; good to choice heavy \$6.85@7.00; rough heavy \$6.65@6.80; light \$6.45@6.70; bulk of sales \$6.70@6.85. Sheep—Receipts 3000 head; sheep steady; lambs steady to strong; good to choice wethers \$5.00@6.00; fair to choice mixed \$3.75@5.00; native lambs \$4.50@7.25.

East Liberty.—Cattle lower. Prime \$5.10@5.25; choice \$5.30@5.45; good \$4.90@5.10. Hogs lower; prime heavy and mediums \$7.05; heavy Yorkers, light Yorkers and pigs \$7.00; roughs \$5.00@6.60. Sheep slow; best wether \$4.85@5.10; culls and common \$2.00@3.00; choice lambs \$6.75@7.00; veal calves \$5.00@6.00.

STRAWES FROM THE WORLD'S CURRENTS. Scarlet fever is unknown in the tropics. Japan's shipyards turned out forty-one steamers last year. In Paris 25,000 families occupy but one room each.

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A TIP-TAKER'S VIEW. Sees a Decline in the Great American Habit.

The bitter cry of the victims of the "tip nuisance" is loud in the land, but the recipients of tips have usually maintained a haughty silence.

As a rule colored waiters draw from \$15 to \$22 a month in wages, and they are lucky when they can get \$15 more in tips.

The recipient of this tip takes it as a matter of hard necessity—not because he likes it.

Where Pride Reaches Its Limit.

"There are a whole lot of species and breeds of pride in this world," remarked the man with the floppy trousers.

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The Man Who Bluffed.

"I put up with all kinds of swindles and all sorts of hotels making my European trip," said a lawyer the other day; "but at Rome I found an American who wouldn't be swindled. At Rome the landlord of the hotel deliberately robbed me by charging up extras I had never even heard of, but when he tried the same game on the chap from Ohio there was a situation.

"Sir," he said to the landlord, as he towered over him, "I am General Abercrombie Burt. I am, furthermore, the United States of America. I'll declare war and blow old Rome off her seven hills before I'll pay these items!

"They were promptly crossed off, and in the eyes of the landlord the general was five times a bigger man than any English lord who had ever occupied his rooms. At Florence the hotel man sized up the general as 'fair to medium,' and gave him poor quarters and insisted that he could do no better.

"The matter is that I want to be lodged as befits my position. If you don't sell me I'll buy the terrace opposite and build a million dollar hotel and let all my guests stop free of expense!

"The general got a suite of rooms that were being held for a duke, and everybody around the hotel tumbled over themselves to wait upon him."

A Judge's Experience In a Treadmill. An amusing story is told of a certain well-known judge who, when inspecting the prison of an assize town, expressed a wish to try the treadmill, "to see what the punishment is like."

As ill-luck would have it, his next neighbor on the mill was a burglar whom the judge had sentenced the day before, to "eighteen months' hard."

"Stop, let me off!" cried the judge, as he dragged one weary leg after the other up the endless staircase; but it was impossible, for the terrible machine could not be stopped for at least ten minutes.

For Women on the End Seat. "This year," observed the woman with the acid frowns, "the End Seat Hog, I perceive, is an 'ess'—the End Seat Hogess—to a singularly large and mortifying extent."

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Advertisement for Rheumacide, described as 'the Standard Rheumatic Remedy'. Includes an illustration of the bottle and text about its effectiveness.

Advertisement for Cascarets, described as 'Best for the Bowels'. Includes an illustration of the box.