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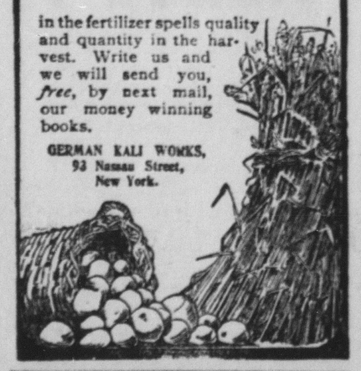

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Latest News of Pennsylvania Told in Short Order.

Jacob Larye, a cobbler of Mt. Joy, who sailed about five weeks ago for Europe, to claim three estates amounting to over $200,000, bequeathed him by two uncles, and his grandfather, was murdered in Marseilles, France. Larye had been at Heilbrun, Germany, where he received the larger portion of his inheritance from the German Government. From there he went to Marseilles, where he expected to get more money. When he reached Marseilles a pretended friend offered to carry his baggage to the hotel where he was to stop. But instead of taking him to the hotel, the man took Larye into some dark alley where he murderously assaulted Larye and robbed him. Larye was removed to a hospital, where he died in a few hours. The murderer escaped. Larye was 60 years old. He came to this country when a boy. He is survived by a wife and a child. His widow will now claim the estate.

The Orphan Society, comprising a number of prominent philanthropic women of Philadelphia, who recently sold their orphanage property near Overbrook for about $500,000, has purchased the estate of William S. Whitney, in Providence Township, south of Media. The site comprises about twenty acres, and the price paid is said to be over $1,000 an acre. Several fine buildings will be erected, including a main building, which will accommodate about 100 children, and buildings for the superintendent and other officers.

Albino Goodman and his wife, of Mahanoy City, were acquitted in court at Pottsville of the charge of selling impure blackberry brandy. The jury imposed the costs on Robert Simmers, the pure food agent who made the arrest.

The residence of Charles R. Bennett, at Tullytown, was entered by a burglar. The man was held at bay upon the dining table by the family dog until Mr. Bennett, who had been aroused by the noise, arrived, when the robber made his escape. Some clothing and a gold watch were taken.

By the breaking of a foot bridge across the Lackawana River at Albright avenue, Scranton, between thirty and forty persons, most of whom were women and children, were thrown into the stream. A panic resulted, but men in the vicinity came to the assistance of the women and children struggling in the water. All escaped without sustaining serious injuries.

State Dairy and Food Commissioner Warren, in his annual report, points out that his department has within the past year analyzed 3,500 samples of food, whereas, in fourteen years preceding, only 3,100 samples were analyzed. The principal crusades in the year just passed have been against the sale of oleomargarine colored in imitation of butter and against adulterated liquors and beer. Six cases involving the sale of alleged adulterated beer are pending in Philadelphia and Harrisburg. The receipts of the department were $108,152. Commissioner Warren says Pennsylvania has attained the reputation of being the purest food market in the United States. He advocates new laws to remedy defects in the old ones. He suggests that the sale of renovated butter be prohibited.

Through the efforts of Captain Simpson, of the Coal and Iron Police, the hiding place of a gang of robbers was unearthed at Hazleton. The den was found at the foot of an abandoned stripping. The thieves had taken extra pains in fitting out the place. Planks neatly cut were nailed on the timbers of the gangway, making an apartment about eight feet high, ten feet wide and 25 feet long. The howl of a dog greeted the officers as they descended into the dark hole. A light was struck, the dog secured and a search made. On a shelf in a corner was a bottle containing nitroglycerine, and beside it was a small utensil for dropping the deadly explosive. Other articles found were a number of lanterns, several saws and miner's caps and lamps. A lot of clothing was also found.

The large collection of historical relics of the Chester County Historical Society has been moved from rooms in the West Chester Public Library into commodious quarters allotted to the society in the library building at the West Chester State Normal School. H. Rush Kerney and several other members of the society are now arranging the collection for suitable display. The annual meeting of the Historical Society will be held on Friday evening, May 20. Dr. G. Morris Philips, principal of the Normal School, who is president of the Historical Society, is planning for a big public meeting at the time. An address will be delivered by Hampton L. Carson, Attorney General of Pennsylvania.

Early the other morning the large tobacco warehouse occupied by S. B. Womery & Co., Lancaster representatives of Elias Bach & Son, New York, was fired by an incendiary who, it developed, intended to cover a theft of Sumatra tobacco. The building contained 2,300 cases of tobacco, valued at $70,000, a large part of which was damaged either by water or smoke. The building was not seriously damaged and the loss to the contents is covered by insurance. B. M. Mowery, senior member of the firm, had a narrow escape from death by asphyxiation, having been overcome by smoke after the fire was extinguished.

At the High School commencement at Mt. Joy, diplomas were awarded to Warren E. Hoffman, Levi F. Sheetz, Paul Brunbaker, John Engle, John Root, Paul Murphy, Walter Eby, Geta Bender, Martha Breneman, Maria Engle, Grace Holwager, Mira Murray, Anna Stauffer and Mary Missemer.

J. H. Schwenk, a prominent coal operator, was sued at Pottsville by Attorney W. D. Seltzer for $25,000. Seltzer claims he adjusted a tangled financial situation involving thousands of dollars, and is entitled to the figure asked as a fee.

COMMERCIAL REVIEW.

R. G. Dun & Co.'s "Weekly Review of Trade" says: Business continues to move in most conservative channels, purchases being restricted to immediate requirements and weather conditions dominating the situation to an unusual extent. At many points there has been little Spring trade, and the transition from Winter to Summer will be accomplished with scarcely any intermediate season. Considering this adverse factor, the current volume of business is remarkably satisfactory. Building operations are also deferred to a late date. Much structural work is projected, however, and at some favored points last year's record promises to be surpassed. As a rule manufacturing plants are not working at full capacity, idle machinery being most extensive in textile industries. Floods and storms have interrupted traffic, yet railway earnings thus far reported for April are only 5.5 per cent. smaller than last year. Iron and steel conditions are still devoid of any definite change. In several departments the week has brought slightly increased activity, notably in merchant steel, pipe and structural shapes, but in many branches there is hesitation. Distribution at retail is restricted by the weather, and there are no compensating factors. In men's wear, woolens and worsted goods it is estimated by some that about 70 per cent. of the mills are now idle. Carpets are also dull and some cancellations are reported.

Bradstreet's says:

Wheat, including flour, exports for the week ending April 28 are the smallest in fourteen years, aggregating 1,010,850 bushels, against 1,645,428 last week, 3,418,289 this week last year, 5,308,155 in 1902 and 5,100,763 in 1901. Corn exports for the week aggregate 190,193 bushels, against 626,792 last week and 2,210,155 a year ago, 128,679 in 1902 and 2,371,892 in 1901.

WHOLESALE MARKETS.

Baltimore, Md.—FLOUR — Steady and unchanged; receipts, 1,559 barrels; exports, 4,147 barrels.

WHEAT—Firm; spot, contract, 1.00; spot No. 2 red Western, 1.01; April, 1.00; May, 1.00@1.00¼; July, 88½ asked; steamer No. 2 red, 94½@95; receipts, 807 bushels; Southern by sample, 95@1.01; Southern on grade, 95@1.01.

CORN—Firm; spot, 52½@52⅝; April, 52½@52⅝; May, 52⅜@52½; July, 53@53¼; steamer mixed, 50@50¼; receipts, 2,906 bushels; exports, 150,000 bushels; Southern white corn, 53@56½; Southern yellow corn, 53@56.

RYE—Dull; No. 2, 79@80; No. 2 Western, 81 asked.

EGGS—Steady, unchanged; 17.

HAY—Unsettled and unchanged.

BUTTER—Firm, unchanged; fancy imitation, 19@20; fancy creamery, 24@25; fancy ladle, 15@16; store-packed, 12@14.

OATS—Firm; No. 2 white, 46@46½; No. 2 mixed, 45½@44; receipts, 14,295 bushels.

CHEESE—Easy, unchanged; large, 10½@11¼; medium, 10⅜@11¼; small, old, 10¾@11½; new, 10@10¼.

SUGAR—Strong, unchanged; coarse granulated, 4.90; fine, 4.90.

New York. — BUTTER — Steady. Receipts, 4,168 packages. Extra fresh creamery, 24@24½; creamery, common to choice, 14@23½; State dairy, common to choice, 14@23; held creamery, common to choice, 13@20.

CHEESE—Quiet. Receipts, 2,735. State, full cream, large and small, fancy, September, 10¾@11; do., good prime, 9@9½.

EGGS—Irregular. Receipts, 15,000 cases. State and Pennsylvania, average finest, 19; do. firsts, 18; Western firsts, 18; storage selections, 18½; Southern firsts, 17@17¼.

POULTRY — Live and dressed nominally unchanged.

FLOUR—Receipts, 12,725 barrels; exports, 2,389 barrels; sales, 3,600 barrels. Dull and without feature. Minnesota patent, 5.00@5.25; Minnesota bakers, 4.00@4.20; winter patents, 5.00@5.35; winter straights, 4.80@5.00; winter extras, 3.35@4.00; winter low grades, 3.15@3.80.

HAY—Steady; shipping, 65@70; good to choice, 92½@95.

HIDES—Steady; Galveston, 20 to 25 pounds, 18; California, 21 to 25 pounds, 19; Texas dry, 24 to 30 pounds, 14.

LARD—Weak; Western steamed, 7.05; refined weak; continent, 7.10; South American, 7.50; compound, 6¼@6⅜.

WOOL—Firm; domestic fleece, 28@32.

POTATOES—Steady; new Florida, 4.50@5.00; Long Island, 3.75@4.25; State and Western, sacks, 3.40@3.50; Jersey sweets, 2.50@4.00.

PEANUTS—Steady; fancy hand-picked, 5¾; other domestic, 3¼@6½.

CABBAGES—Quiet; Southern, per barrel-crate, 1.75@2.00.

Live Stock.

New York.—Dressed beef moderately active and steady at 6½@8½c. per pound for ordinary to choice native sides.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts were 3 cars, or 699 head; sheep steady; lambs in better demand and steady. Unshorn sheep sold at 5.50 per hundred pounds; no clipped sheep on sale; unshorn lambs at 7.25; clipped do., at 5.70@6.25; dressed mutton at 8@9½c. per pound; dressed lambs at 11@12c.; city dressed spring lambs at 3.00@6.50 per carcass.

Chicago.—CATTLE—Receipts, 500; market, nominal. Good to prime steers, 5.00@5.50; poor to medium, 3.00@4.85; stockers and feeders, 3.00@4.50; cows, 1.50@4.35; heifers, 2.25@4.75; canners, 1.50@2.60; bulls, 2.25@4.00; calves, 2.50@5.55; Texas fed steers, 4.00@4.60.

WORLD OF LABOR.

Plasterers in New York city receive 68¾c. an hour.

Railroad men in Spain have on organization numbering 80,000 members.

Steps have been taken to form a union of cement and asphalt workers at Montreal, Canada.

San Francisco coopers are considering the advisability of establishing a co-operative shop.

Bozmakers and Sawyers' International Union will hold its annual convention in St. Louis in June.

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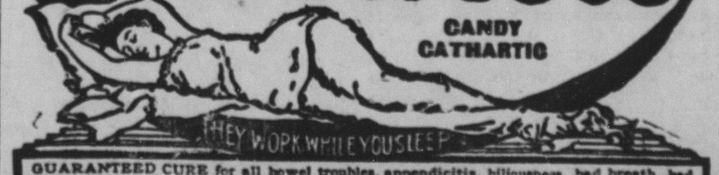

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