

ANOTHER LIFE SAVED.

Mrs. G. W. Fooks, of Salisbury, Md., wife of G. W. Fooks, Sheriff of Wicomico County, says: "I suffered with kidney complaint for eight years. It came on me gradually. I felt tired and weak, was short of breath and was troubled with bloating after eating, and my limbs were badly swollen. One doctor told me it would finally turn to Bright's disease. I was laid up at one time for three weeks. I had not taken Doan's Kidney Pills more than three days when the distressing aching across my back disappeared, and I was soon entirely cured."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

What a Billionaire Might Own. It is easy enough to talk of a billion dollars, but what does it really mean? The City of Boston affords a good example. On May 1 of this year the total assessed valuation of Boston real estate was \$1,006,122,900. Of this amount \$607,109,450 was on land, and \$339,103,450 on buildings.

French is Popular. According to the report of the National Union of Teachers, French is the most popular language among students. In other subjects bookkeeping comes first in favor, followed by shorthand, arithmetic and typewriting.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven Catarrh to be a constitutional disease and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials. Address F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

The Speaker to Retire. Mr. Gully, who has entered his seventieth year, will probably retire from the Speakership of the House of Commons before another birthday comes around as a viscount and with a pension of £2000 per annum.

FTS permanently cured. No fits or nervousness after first day's use of Dr. Kline's Great Nerve Restorer. 25 cent bottles and treatise free. Dr. R. H. KLINE, Ltd., 931 Arch St., Phila., Pa.

The Japanese soldier receives forty-five cents a month.

Blank Coffee Wins Everything. St. Louis, Nov. 14.—World's Fair gives C. F. Blank Tea and Coffee Co. highest award, grand prize and gold medal on coffee, also five additional highest awards on Grant Cabin Tea, Quaker Ceylon Tea, China Tea, Shidzokaken Japan and Formosan Tea, making greatest number grand prizes ever awarded one firm.

Morgan County, Colorado, has eleven irrigating canals.

I do not believe Pilo's Cure for Consumption has unequal for coughs and colds.—J. F. FOX, Trinité Springs, Ind., Feb. 15, 1909.

The largest collodium known is in Beaverton, Pa.

Catarrh cured at home. Three preparations in one package. Ask your dealer for "Dr. Hartley's Great Remedy," of Baltimore, Md.

An English authority says British shipping shows a decrease in gross earnings from \$200,000,000 to \$100,000,000 in four years.

St. Jacobs Oil. A Marvel of Relief. Safe and sure for Lumbago and Sciatica. It is the specific virtue of penetration in this remedy that carries it right to the pain spot and effects a prompt cure.

WET WEATHER COMFORT. "I have used your FISH BRAND Sticker for five years and can truthfully say that I never have had anything give me so much comfort and satisfaction. Enclosed find my order for another one."

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THE KEYSTONE STATE

Latest News of Pennsylvania Told in Short Order.

A contest has been started for postmaster at Perkase. The following are in the field: Joseph G. Moyer, the present incumbent; N. O. Croutham, ex-recorder of Bucks County; Oscar H. Myers, and Samuel Bishop. William Wagner, of Plymouth, was arrested charged with having attempted to cash a forged check for \$100 at the Kingston Savings and Deposit Bank, Wilkes-Barre. He is 20 years old and it is said he wanted the money in order to marry.

The Enterprise mine fire, Shamokin, is spreading and causes much concern. The ground in the neighborhood of the Pennsylvania Railroad tracks is sinking in many places. Watchmen have been placed on duty and the tracks are patrolled day and night.

Perseverance Lodge, No. 21, of Ancient York Masons, of Harrisburg, celebrated its 125th anniversary. A banquet was held at the Board of Trade auditorium, and addresses were made by Governor Pennypacker, Adjutant General T. J. Stewart and Rev. J. Wesley Hill.

George Peacock, 60 years old, a member of the firm of Peacock & Motz, while walking along a railroad siding near Flourtown, where his workmen were unloading coal, was struck on the left leg by a large lump of coal and sustained a compound fracture.

Charles T. Straughn, of Shenandoah, who was elected Controller of Schuylkill County at the recent election, has announced his deputies as follows: Chief, Elijah Kalntner, Cresima; clerks, Frank Palmer, Pottsville; Joseph Carr, Frackville; and William Watson, Shenandoah; solicitor, C. A. Snyder, of Pottsville.

Miss Christian B. Bassett, a Pottsville public school teacher, has instituted suit against the Pennsylvania Railroad Company to recover \$30,000 damages for personal injuries said to have been sustained in the wreck at Stowe last April. John J. Fleischert, who was held responsible for the disaster, is serving a two-month sentence in prison.

Orders were issued from the Pottsville headquarters to the thousands of employees of the Philadelphia & Reading Coal & Iron Company in the anthracite region to attend lectures to be given by mining, electrical, ventilating, pumping, lubricating and medical experts, who will travel through the region.

In court at Ebensburg W. H. Bouterbaugh, convicted of having entered Curtis Sowers and Isaac Murphy to burn his store, in Johnstown, in order that he might obtain \$6000 insurance money, was sentenced to eleven and one-half years in the penitentiary. Sowers received a sentence of seven and one-half years, and Murphy, who turned State's evidence, escaped with three and one-half years. The Hildebrand family, who occupied lodgings above the store, narrowly escaped cremation.

Policeman William Bosher and John Donohoe, of Springfield Township, raided the hay houses in that vicinity in which tramps have been lodging for many months past. One dozen tramps were taken into custody and lodged in the police station at Ambler. They will have a hearing. Under the hay, and from the outside no one was in sight, but when Policeman Bosher started to run a fork into the hay, the knights of the road exclaimed, "We are your rabbits."

The fifth annual convention of the Pennsylvania Shoe Manufacturers' Association, representing nearly 100 factories, was held at Reading. H. F. Algert, of Watsonstown, is president. Reports were submitted showing that trade is in excellent condition with good prospects for the next year. Ex-Congressman H. D. Green delivered an address on "Reciprocity."

Joseph Roman, an Italian, was stabbed so badly at Shenandoah that he died. Half an hour later while the police were seeking clues to the tragedy, Tony Passila, a friend of the dead man, got into an altercation with three countrymen and he was stabbed six times. The assailants escaped. The police believe the men who stabbed Passila are the same that killed Roman.

Mrs. William Carroll and her daughters, of Chester, were injured in a runaway. Their horse bolted and the wagon was overturned, throwing out both women. Miss Margaret Carroll, the daughter, sustained a broken arm and collar bone.

The Washington School Board decided that any pupil of either sex in the town's schools found smoking cigarettes hereafter will be expelled. The board produced a roll of names of 150 pupils who had been found smoking. Those set to look over the conduct of the children reported that many parties of school girls had formed little smoking clubs and smoked cigarettes each afternoon.

Hundreds of bushels of apples are going to waste in the vicinity of Hamburg, as the high price demanded for picking the fruit renders the crop unprofitable for the average farmer.

George Groner, of Honesdale, aged 80 years, was killed by falling from a cliff fifty feet high. He was gathering leaves from the hills above but lost his balance and fell to the rocks beneath.

The State Supreme Court, after filling a number of decisions in cases from Allegheny county and other western counties in the district, adjourned to meet in Philadelphia, on December 31.

The No. 10 Colliery of the Pennsylvania Coal Company at Wilkes-Barre, was closed owing to a strike of the fifty driver boys, who objected to doing extra work without extra pay. The miners tried to induce the boys to submit their grievances to a committee and remain at work, but the boys refused.

COMMERCIAL REVIEW.

R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly review of trade says:

Business improves steadily, and there is no evidence of anxiety regarding the future. Payments are more promptly met, tending to stimulate preparations for coming trade, and the disposition to limit purchases to immediate needs is gradually disappearing. Conservatism during the summer and autumn had a beneficial effect, reducing stocks to a low point. As demand broadens this scarcity of supply produces pressure for quick delivery and prices are strengthened. Aside from inflation caused by speculation there is no better sign of commercial progress than advancing commodity markets.

All the leading branches of manufacture are in a better position, with noteworthy activity at iron furnaces, woolen mills and footwear factories. Fall River cotton mills are still idle because of the wage controversy, but many other New England plants have resumed and the outlook for this industry is more favorable than at any time since it became demoralized by inflated raw material last year. Traffic reports are satisfactory, railway earnings in October exceeding last year's by 7.6 per cent. Foreign commerce returns at this port for the last week show a gain of \$780,276 in exports and a loss of \$207,752 in imports as compared with 1903.

Commercial failures this week in the United States are 229, against 233 last week, 215 the preceding week and 246 the corresponding week last year. Failures in Canada number 27, against 28 last week, 39 the preceding week and 22 last year.

WHOLESALE MARKETS.

Baltimore—FLOUR—Quiet and unchanged; receipts, 8,571 barrels. WHEAT—Weak; spot, contract, 1.14 1/4@1.14 1/2; spot, No. 2 red winter, 1.16 1/4@1.16 1/2; October, 1.14 1/4@1.14 1/2; November, 1.14 1/4@1.14 1/2; December, 1.16 1/4@1.16 1/2; May, 1.18 1/4; steamer No. 2 red, 1.08 1/4@1.08 1/2; receipts, 16,104 bushels; Southern on grade, 1.03@1.14 1/2.

CORN—Dull; firm, 51 1/4; January, 50 1/4; February, 50 1/4; receipts, 2,788 bushels; new Southern white corn, 46 1/2; new Southern yellow corn, 58 1/2.

OATS—Firm; No. 2 white, 34 sales; No. 2 mixed, 33 1/4@33 1/2; receipts, 14,762 bushels.

RYE—Firm; No. 2 Western, up-town, 90@91; receipts, 5,090 bushels. HAY—Steady and unchanged.

GRAIN FREIGHTS—Quiet and unchanged. BUTTER—Firm and unchanged; fancy imitation, 17@18; fancy creamery, 22 1/2@23; fancy ladle, 15@16; store packed, 12@14.

EGGS—Firm, 25. CHEESE—Steady and unchanged; large, 10 1/2@11; medium, 11@11 1/2; small, 11@11 1/2.

SUGAR—Firm, coarse granulated and fine, 5.40. New York—BUTTER—Strong; receipts, 3,442; street price, extra creamery, 23 1/2@24; official price, creamery, common to extra, 14 1/2@23 1/2.

CHEESE—Firm, unchanged. EGGS—Firm; State, Pennsylvania, and near by fancy selected white extra, 31@33; do. choice, 28@30; Western fancy selected, 26; do. average best, 24@25; Southern, 18@22.

POULTRY—Alive, quiet; Western chickens, 10; fowls, 10 1/2; turkeys, 12@14; dressed, irregular; Western spring chickens, 14@15; fowls, 12, turkeys, 16@17.

FLOUR—Receipts, 34,219 barrels; exports, 1,885 barrels; sales, 3,800 packages; market steady, with fair inquiry.

FEED—Irregular; spring bran, 19.50. HAY—Firm; shipping, 65@70; good to choice, 72 1/2@82 1/2.

LARD—Steady; Western steamed, 7.55; November delivered 7.55 nominal; refined, steady.

COTTAGESEED OIL—Quiet; prime crude nominal, do. yellow, 26 1/4@27 1/4. SUGAR—Raw firm; fair refining, 34@34 1/2; centrifugal, 96 test, 4 1/2; molasses sugar, 3 1/2@3 3/4; refined firm.

POTATOES—Steady; Long Island, 1.75@2.00; State and Western, 1.50@1.75; Jersey sweets, 1.25@1.75. PEANUTS—Quiet; fancy hand-picked, 5@5 1/4; other domestic, 3@6 1/4. CABBAGES—Steady; per barrel, 50@75.

New York—BEEVES—Receipts, 310; feeling trifle weak. CALVES—Veales, 4.00@8.00; choice, 4.20; dressed calves lower; city dressed veals, 7@12 1/2; per pound; country dressed, 7@11.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Sheep steady; lambs opened steady closed weak; some sales 10@15c lower. Sheep, 3.00@4.50; culls, 2.37 1/2@2.50; lambs, 5.00@6.00; culls, 4.00@4.50.

HOGS—Market about steady. State hogs, 5.50@5.60. Chicago—CATTLE—Market 10c higher. Good to prime steers, 6.10@7.00; poor to medium, 3.80@5.00; stockers and feeders, 2.00@4.15; cows, 1.50@4.40; heifers, 1.80@5.10; canners, 1.25@2.35; bulls, 2.00@4.20; calves, 3.00@7.25; Texas-fed steers, 3.25@5.00; Western steers, 2.90@5.15.

HOGS—Market 5c higher. Mixed and butcher, 4.75@5.22 1/2; good to choice heavy, 5.05@5.20; rough heavy, 4.70@4.90; light, 4.85@5.15; bulk of sales, 4.90@5.10.

SHEEP—Good to choice wethers, 4.35@4.75; fair to choice mixed, 3.50@4.25; native lambs, 4.00@5.75.

MUCH IN LITTLE.

Ali Kuli Khan, a Persian nobleman, who has given up lands, title, family and position to follow religious work, is living in Boston.

Sir Gilbert Parker, the author, has gone to South Africa to make a special study of the land question there for his government.

Photograph in Hen's Egg. Somewhere, probably plodding away in a rural barnyard, unhonored and unsung—if, indeed, her labors have not been ended in the prosaic boiling pot—is a photographic hen who embellishes the interior of her eggs with landscape and motion reproductions.

That at least she has done it once can be testified to by the family of W. H. Herring, a weaver, who lives on 2921 North Third street.

Mr. Herring can, moreover, back up his testimony with an undisputed exhibit in the shape of the broken egg, with the picture inside. Mr. Herring cannot, however, indicate the wonder for he got the egg in a lot from the store.

In its exterior appearance there was nothing remarkable about the hen's work. It was just an egg of the common or garden variety. It was cooked with others for breakfast—boiled in the shell.

When Mr. Herring's little daughter, Anna, broke the shell in half and poured the contents into her egg cup, her attention was arrested by a peculiar formation on the albumen lining of the lower shell.

"Why, it looks like a picture," she exclaimed.

The other members of the family studied it and they, too, agreed that the outlines of a photograph were clearly visible. An inquirer reporter later inspected the curiosity inside the shell resolved themselves into a distinct picture.

It was a photograph showing two buildings, evidently stores or factories.

On the roof of one of them was a sign, several letters of which were distinct. On the street between the buildings was a wagon with two horses attached and the figures of several persons.

How such a freak of nature could be wrought is beyond explanation. Albumen, which forms the lining of eggs, is used by photographers, but only as a film to hold a sensitized preparation. In itself it is not sensitive to sunlight.

The address of the artist hen is veiled in obscurity.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

The Ananias Triplets. In the lobby of the Knickerbocker, Mr. Dillingham was ordering out the "House Full" sign the other night, when Amelia Bingham's husband passed by.

"Have you heard the latest?" asked Harry Sommers.

"Dillingham was standing on this very spot the other night when a consumptive looking man strolled along. 'Do you recognize the profession?' he asked, in a one-lung voice. 'When an artist is known to me, I sometimes give him a seat,' replied the Chesterfieldian manager.

"I'm a freak," said the cadaverous one.

"A freak," gasped Dillingham.

"Yep' (with a tinge of pride), 'I'm the only artist of my kind in the world.' Mr. Dillingham looked as nearly interested as he ever permits himself. 'What's your line?' he inquired, courteously. The attenuated one sidled toward the door. 'I never licked Lloyd Bingham,' he cried, proudly.

"Of course, I laughed at the story, and asked Mr. Dillingham if I might repeat it. 'God made three liars,' was the Machiavellian reply. 'Anson Pond is one and Sommers is the other two!'"—New York Telegraph.

TILL NOON. The Simple Dish That Keeps One Vigorous and Well Fed.

When the doctor takes his own medicine and the grocer eats the food he recommends some confidence comes to the observer.

A grocer, of Ossian, Ind., had a practical experience with food worth anyone's attention.

He says: "Six years ago I became so weak from stomach and bowel trouble that I was finally compelled to give up all work in my store, and, in fact, all sorts of work for about four years. The last year I was confined to the bed nearly all of the time, and much of the time unable to retain food of any sort on my stomach. My bowels were badly constipated continually, and I lost in weight from 105 pounds down to 88 pounds.

"When at the bottom of the ladder I changed treatment entirely and started in on Grape-Nuts and cream for nourishment. I used absolutely nothing but this for about three months. I slowly improved until I got out of bed and began to move about.

"I have been improving regularly and now in the past two years have been working about fifteen hours a day in the store and never felt better in my life.

"During these two years I have never missed a breakfast of Grape-Nuts and cream, and often have it two meals a day, but the entire breakfast is always made of Grape-Nuts and cream alone.

"Since commencing the use of Grape-Nuts I have never used anything to stimulate the action of the bowels, a thing I had to do for years, but this food keeps me regular and in fine shape, and I am growing stronger and heavier every day.

"My customers, naturally, have been interested and I am compelled to answer a great many questions about Grape-Nuts.

"Some people would think that a simple dish of Grape-Nuts and cream would not carry one through to the noonday meal, but it will and in the most vigorous fashion."

Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Look in each pkg. for the famous little book, "The Road to Wellville."



Miss Gannon, Sec'y Detroit Amateur Art Association, tells young women what to do to avoid pain and suffering caused by female troubles.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I can conscientiously recommend Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to those of my sisters suffering with female weakness and the troubles which so often befall women. I suffered for months with general weakness, and felt so weary that I had hard work to keep up. I had shooting pains, and was utterly miserable. In my distress I was advised to use Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and it was a red letter day to me when I took the first dose, for at that time my restoration began. In six weeks I was a changed woman, perfectly well in every respect. I felt so elated and happy that I want all women who suffer to get well as I did."—Miss GULIA GANNON, 359 Jones St., Detroit, Mich., Secretary Amateur Art Association.

It is clearly shown in this young lady's letter that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound will certainly cure the sufferings of women; and when one considers that Miss Gannon's letter is only one of the countless hundreds which we are continually publishing in the newspapers of this country, the great virtue of Mrs. Pinkham's medicine must be admitted by all; and for the absolute cure of all kinds of female ills no substitute can possibly take its place. Women should bear this important fact in mind when they go into a drug store, and be sure not to accept anything that is claimed to be "just as good" as Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, for no other medicine for female ills has made so many actual cures.

How Another Sufferer Was Cured.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I cannot praise your wonderful remedies enough, for they have done me more good than all the doctors I have had. For the last eight years and more I suffered with female troubles, was very weak, could not do my housework, also had nervous prostration. Some days I would remain unconscious for a whole day and night. My neighbors thought I could never recover, but, thanks to your medicine, I now feel like a different woman.

"I feel very grateful to you and will recommend Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to all. It has now been four years since I had the last spell of nervous prostration. I only weighed ninety-eight pounds at that time; now I weigh one hundred and twenty-three."

"I consider your Vegetable Compound the finest remedy made. Thanking you many times for the benefit I received from your medicine, I remain, Yours truly, Mrs. J. H. FARMER, 2806 Elliott Ave., St. Louis, Mo."

Remember Mrs. Pinkham's advice is free and all sick women are foolish if they do not ask for it. She speaks from the widest experience, and has helped multitudes of women.

\$5000 FORFEIT if we cannot forthwith produce the original letters and signatures of above testimonials, which will prove their absolute genuineness. Lydia E. Pinkham Med. Co., Lynn, Mass.

Where Streets Are Steep. High in the mountains of northern Mexico there is a city of several thousand people where the sound of wheels is never heard in the streets. It is the rich mining town of Catorce, where millions of dollars worth of ore have been found, and all this ore is sent out into the great world beyond on the backs of patient little burros or donkeys. The streets sometimes hug deep precipices and are so narrow and steep that no wheeled vehicle can be used on them. It is several miles to the nearest railroad, and the only way to reach this thriving town in the clouds is over dangerous mountain trails. The Spaniards worked these mines centuries ago, but they are as rich as ever. The name Catorce is Spanish for "fourteen," and legend has it that the town is so called because fourteen robbers, driven to the mountains by the people, found the rich mines and stayed there to work them, finding mining to pay better than robbery.

Mexican railroads are urging the Government of Mexico to permit an increase in freight rates.

PIMPLES. "I tried all kinds of blood remedies which failed to do me any good but I have found the right thing at last. My face was full of pimples and black heads. After taking Cascarets they all left. I am clean and my friends, I feel like when I rise in the morning, hope to have a chance to recommend Cascarets." Fred C. Witten, 78 Elm St., Newark, N. J.

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