THE KEYSTONE STATE

Latest News of Pennsylvania Told in Short Order.

Laying his gun down to look into a ground hog hole, at Pen Argyle, W. J. Smith's foot accidentally touched the trigger and the gun was discharged. The load went through Smith's heart and he was instantly killed.

Attorney Lentz has filed his petition with the Board of Pardons, asking that the death sentence of Mrs. Kate Edwards be committed to life imprisonment. Mr. Lentz continues to receive letters at the rate of about fifty a day indorsing the appeal for clemency. More than 20,-000 signatures have already been received for the petitions.

In a quarrel over the groundhog at Pottsville H. P. Wilson was stabbed. Wilson contended that on account of the deep snow and cold weather the animal did not come out of his burrow. At the height of the quarrel Harvey Williams, it is alleged, drew a dirk and plunged it into Wilson's bosom. Williams is now a fugitive.

Consternation was caused among the complicity in the operations of the Mafia | year ago. in Carbondale by the announcement that Joseph Cogliandro, one of those indicted, had made a complete confession, telling all about the Mafia and implicating all of the fourteen men under arrest and many more. Because of the fact that some of the men Cogliandro accuses have not been arrested District Attorney Lewis declines to make public the confession. The second of the alleged ringleaders, Frank Muncula, on pleading guilty to robbery by menace, received the full penalty of the law, Judge Edwards sending him to jail for five years and nine months. Muncula admitted by threatening the vengence of the Mafia

Prof. Richard Darlington's hands and face were severely burned in fighting a fire in his home in West Chester, due to the upsetting of a lamp.

While a horse belonging to John Marsh, an East Goshen farmer, was ruary and March, 501/4@501/8; May, 50@ standing hitched along the street at West Chester it became restive from the cold, and in plunging about fell on the top of the hitching post, which pierced the animal's stomach, death resulting in a few minutes.

The prosecution against I. Newton Henderson, Jasper P. Faucet and Charles W. Manley, supervisors of Westtown Township, charged with neglecting to repair a public road near Westtown Friends' Boarding School, has been withdrawn, the matter having been adjusted satisfactorily to all concerned.

The will of Charles Lockhart, the Standard Oil millionaire, whose estate is estimated at a sum between \$75,000,-000 and \$100,000,000, was probated in Pittsburg. After providing for members of his family and friends, Mr. Lockhart bequeaths \$360,000 for public benefits. Of this sum, the United Presbyterian Church gets \$150,000, divided llows: Board of Foreign Missions, \$50,000; Board of Home Missions, \$30,-000; Board of Freedmen's Missions. \$2000; Board of Church Extension, \$10,-000; Board of Ministerial Relief, \$10,-000; Board of Education, \$10,000. The Young Men's Christian Association, of / Pittsburg, is to get \$5000 and the remainder of the bequest is to be divided among local hospitals. Mr. Lockhart ut off his youngest child, Mrs. Sarah Eleanor Flower, with \$300,000 because she married against his wishes.

James Kohn, of Doylestown, is sleeping in the open air with the temperature near zero. He is undergoing treatment for pulmonary disease at the home of Dr. Fred Brister, New Britain. His bed is under an open shed, and when he awoke the other morning he found the snow all about him even with his body. He was comfortable all through the storm. Mr. Kohn is rapidly improving under the treatment.

The Governor sent to the Senate the names of the following persons to be members of the Board of Medical Examiners for three years: W. D. Hamaker, of Meadville, and M. P. Dickeson, Glen Riddle, representing the Medical Society of Pennsylvania; J. C. Guernsey, Philadelphia, and Edward Cranch, Erie, representing the Homeopathic Medical Society, and William Rauch, Johnstown, and J. M. Louther, Somerset, representing the Eclectic Medical Society.

Hydrophobia caused the death of James Foulk, 9 years old, of Plymouth Township. He had suffered for a week as the result of a dog's savage attack six weeks ago. While coasting down Germantown Pike a dog attacked Foulk and a companion. Foulk pluckily fought the animal, but the dog sank its teeth into the boy and frightfully tore and lacerated his face.

At the funeral of Amos Shaner, aged 5 years, in North Covenry Township, Chester County, the average age of the six pall-bearers was 77 years. They were Jonathan Freigh, 78; Samuel Ecker, 72; Isaac Ortlip, 83; John Urwin, 72; Fred Freigh, 72, and William Rador, 82. John Shaner, the undertaker s 72 years old.

Considerable surprise was occasioned in Hazleton when officials of the Lehigh Valley Coal Company posted a notice to the effect that until further notice the colleries would operate three days a week. The same condition prevails at the collieries of the individual opera-No one seems to be able to tell just what the curtailment means at this time, and the only answer the officials make is that there is a surplus of coal

Ralph Crowl, the young man who held up a trolley car on the Philadelphia and West Chester line a few weeks ago, and robbed the conductor in wild West fashion at the point of two big revolvers, was convicted in court at West | duced. Chester and sentenced to serve ten years in the Penitentiary.

Andrew Houseman, of Plymouth Township, was emerging from a cut in a huge drift of snow near Hickorytown, in his sleigh, when a Chestnut Hill trolley car struck the sl-igh, knocking Houseman into the snow.

COMMERCIAL REVIEW.

R G. Dun & Co.'s "Weekly Review of Trade" says:

Storms at home and complications abroad tended to check activity in commercial and financial markets, but most industrial lines continue busy, testifying to confidence that trade interruption will be brief. Prior to the bad weather there was liberal distribution of merchandise at steady prices, but subsequently a sharp advance occurred in re-tail prices of food products, owing to restricted receipts at points of heavy consumption. Country merchants at the South have large stocks that move slowly because of the decline in cotton and collections are slow.

New England manufacturing plants are well engaged, especially in machinery, jewelry and textiles, but buyers have left the Boston footwear market without placing contracts, owing to disagree-

ment as to prices. Production of pig iron continues at the maximum rate, yet there is no evidence of a reaction. Ample water supply has made it possible to maintain Connellsville coke production at the remarkable average of 300,000 tons weekly.

Failures this week numbered 305 in the United States against 302 last year, twelve men yet to be tried for alleged | and 43 in Canada, compared with 28 a

Bradstreet's says: Wheat, including flour, exports for the week ending January 26 are 1,101,587 bushels, against 1,138,974 last week; 2,917,602 this week last year; 4,420,065 in 1903 and 3,702,368 in 1902. Corn exports for the week are 3,035,733 bushels, against 3,186,529 last week; 1,469,396 a year ago; 2,045,000 in 1903, and 427,018 in 1902.

WHOLESALE MARKETS.

Baltimore.-FLOUR-Quiet and unchanged; receipts, 4,751 barrels; exports, 312 barrels.

WHEAT-Unsettled; spot, contract, having secured \$40 from a young Italian 1.14@1.1414; spot, No. 2 red Western, 1.15@1.151/4; January, 1.14@1.141/4; February, 1.141/4@1.141/2; March, 1.151/4@ 1.151/2; May, 117 asked; steamer No. 2 red, 1.061/2@1.061/4; receipts, 12.089 hush-Southern by sample, 1.00@1.15; Southern on grade, 1.03@1.15.

CORN-Easier; spot, January, Feb-501/8; steamer mixed, 481/2@485/8; receipts, 43,503 bushels; Southern white and yellow corn, 4414@4934.

OATS-Steady; No. 2 white, 3714@ 371/2; No. 2 mixed, 361/2@37; receipts, 6.012 bushels.

RYE-Steady; No. 2 Western up-BUTTER + Firm and unchanged; fancy imitation, 22@23; fancy creamery, 30@31; fancy ladle, 19@20; store packed, 15@18.

EGGS-Easy, 23c. CHEESE - Firm and unchanged; large, 121/4@121/2; medium, 121/4@121/2; 123/4@13. SUGAR - Strong and unchanged;

coarse granulated and fine, 6.25. New York .-- BUTTER -- Easy; receipts, 2,967; street price, extra creamery, 29@291/2; official prices, creamery, common to extra, 19@29; State dairy, thirds to firsts, 21@26; renovated, common to extra, 15@23.

CHEESE - Firm, 'unchanged; re-

EGGS-Weak; receipts, 6,021; State, Pennsylvania and nearby, fancy selected white, extra, 30@32; do., choice, 28@29; do., mixed, fancy, 27; Western, selected, choice, 26; do., average best, 25; Southerns, 19@25; refrigerators, 17@22.

POULTRY - Alive firm; Western chickens, 12; fowls, 141/2; turkeys, 13@ 14;; dressed firm; Western chickens, 13 @14; fowls, 13@131/2; turkeys, 15@20.

FLOUR-Receipts, 30,649 barrels; exports, 4,579 barrels; dull and lower; winter patents, 5.30@5.85; winter straights, 5.25@5.40; Minnesota patent, 5.80@6.20. BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—Dull; per 100 pounds, 2.00@2.10.

HIDES-Firm; California, 21 to 25 pounds, 19. PORK-Barely steady; short clear,

COTTONSEED OIL-Firm; prime yellow, 233/4@241/2. POTATOES-Dull; Long Island, 1.75

@2.00; State and Western, 1.25@1.50; Jersey sweets, 2.00@3.75.
PEANUTS - Steady; fancy hand picked, 51/4@51/2; other domestic, 31/4@

CABBAGES-Easy; flat Dutch, per 100, 2.00@3.00.

Live Stock.

New York.-BEEVES-Steers slow and lower; some sales of good cattle 20c to 25c lower. Steers, 3.70 to 5.60; bulls, 2.75 to 3.80; cows, 1.50 to 3.65. Cables quoted live cattle and sheep steady; refrigerator beef selling at 10%c to 10%c per pound. Exports tomorrow, 550

beeves, and 5,416 quarters of beef. CALVES-Veals about steady, quality considered; Western and barnyard calves lower. Veals, 5.00 to 9.25; no prime veals here; Westerns, 3.00; barnyard calves, 3.25. Dressed calves steady. SHEEP AND LAMBS-Sheep nominally steady; lambs slow and easier. Medium to good lambs, 7.25 to 7.70. No sales of sheep.

Chicago.-CATTLE-Market strong Good to prime steers, 5.70@6.25; poor to medium, 3.75@5.60; stockers and feeders. 2.25@4.25; cows, 1.25@4.40; heifers, 2.00@5.10; canners, 1.25@2.45;

bulls, 2.10@4.00; calves, 3.90@7.00. HOGS—Market strong. Mixed and butchers, 4.45@4.65; good to choice heavy. 4.62½@4.70; rough heavy. 4.45@ 4.55; light, 4.40 4.57 1/2; bulk of sales, 4.50(24.60.

MUCH IN LITTLE.

There are more than 50,000 electricians in the United States.

Russia has a per capita investments in industrial enterprises of \$4, while the United States has \$125.

Wages of the switchmen of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad have been increased 4 to 6 cents an hour and their hours have been re-

By the recent invention of an automatic machine for the blowing of beer bottles it is said that 2,220 beer-bottle blowers throughout the country will be thrown out of employment,

Justice Scott, of the Supreme Court of New York, has denied the right of a labor union to expel a member without permitting him to be present when charges against him have been preferred

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SIDNEY JUSTUS. often 1 could hardly straighten my-back. The aching was bad in the daytime, but just as bad at night, and I was always lame in the morning. I was bothered with rheumatic pains and dropsical swelling of the feet. The urinary passages were painful, and the secretions were discolored and so free that often I had to rise at night. I felt tired all day. Half a box served to relieve me, and three boxes effected a permanent

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Benjamins Franklin's Courant. Thomas C. Bradbury of Biddeford, Me., is the owner of a copy of the New England Courant, which is dated "From Feb. 4 to Feb. 11, 1723." The copy, which is devoted for the most part to a speech of the king, states that the Courant "is printed and sold by Benjamin Franklin."

Reason and Its Lack.

Cholly-"But-aw-why do you say you don't like my face?" Miss Pert-"Because."

Cholly-"Ah! but that's not a pwoper answer; there's no reason in that." Miss Pert-"Well, there's none in

your face, either."-Philadelphia Press. 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

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There are many legends woven about that bird. A London journal says the Hindoos call it "Uma," and they say that whoever owns Uma must reign over India. It is supposed to have the gift of locomotion, and it alights upon the head of whosoever it endows with royal power. It is about twelve inches long, and is shaped like a pigeon with an exaggerated tail. Rubies, brilliants, emeralds and pearls are sewn about the quivering feathers of filagree gold work; it holds a priceless ruby in its beak, and an emerald of great size and luster hangs from its breast. The bird shares with the Kohinoor the superstitious regard of the Hindoos. While the Uma folds its wings in the castle on the Thames, and while the Kohinoor blazes in the English crown, there is nothing else to do but be as good subjects of King Edward as may be. It is the will of the gods.

Japanese Retort Courteous.

Nagahaki, the celebrated Japanese juggler, was a great favorite wherever he went, and just before the present war broke out he was performing in St. Petersburg.

When hostilities commenced he had to clear out, and his admirers, among whom were many officers of the garrison, gave him a farewell supper.

At the close of the banquet they were wishing him "Goodby" when some of them exclaimed, "Not goodby, but only au revoir, for we shall be drinking your health in champagne in Tokio before the year is out."

"I am afraid not," replied Nagahaki, gravely. "Japan is a poor country, remember, and I fear we shall not be able to give our prisoners champagne.

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