



THE NEWS TOLD IN PARAGRAPHS

Latest Happenings Gleaned From All Over the State.

LIVE NOTES AND COMMENTS.

Ten men were burned to death and five others were seriously injured in a fire which destroyed the sleeping house of the Tionesta Chemical Company at Mayburg, Forest County.

Lorette Gentile, a crossing watchman, attempted to stop a sleigh in which Lintel Barstall and Giuseppe Garloli were trying to pass in front of a fast Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne & Chicago Railroad train at New Gallile.

The Homestead Steel Works of the Carnegie Steel Company resumed operations almost in full, affording employment to approximately 8,000 men.

William C. Gessner, captain of Company D, Fourth Infantry, N. G. P., of Allentown, was arrested on a warrant issued on complaint of a surety company, charging him with the embezzlement of about \$900 of State funds.

Describing themselves in a note as being two "shipwrecked beings, stranded on the rocks of love," Daniel Martin, who went to Scranton from Schenectady, and a woman who has not yet been identified, committed suicide by gas in a boarding house in Scranton.

Mrs. Jacob Gerard, an aged woman, partly helpless from illness, was burned to death as she sat in front of her stove in the kitchen of her house in York. Neighbors saw smoke issuing from the house and broke in to find the woman seated in a chair, burned to a crisp.

Harry A. Boyer, of Reading, foreman car inspector at the Reading Railway Company's shops, was retired and placed on the pension roll, having reached the age of seventy years.

William Blackman, Commissioner of Conciliation of the United States Department of Labor, and J. A. Steese, acting mediator for the State of Pennsylvania, left Reading, having failed in their efforts to mediate the differences between the Reading Hardware Company and their former employees.

After a three-hour battle, Andrew Stauffer, of Hereford Township, subdued an American eagle, which suddenly pounced upon him while he was cutting timber in the woods near his home.

Slipping on the snow while running to board a Lehigh Valley Transit car at Gwynedd Square, A. P. Smith, of North Wales, was hit by an automobile and knocked under the trolley car.

His team struck by a Philadelphia & Reading passenger train at the Vine Street crossing, Tamasqua, Peter Barth, aged forty, a butcher, was instantly killed. The wagon was demolished and the horse so badly hurt that it had to be put to death.

Dairy and Food Commissioner James Foust has broken all records for the receipts from oleo licenses. Thus far he has turned in \$171,150, with about \$30,000 more to be paid into the State Treasury as soon as it can be worked up.

Scranton has its eye on the position of water commissioner. Three applicants for the place have already been named. They are: Ex-Senator Mc-Nichols, ex-Attorney-General E. B. Hardenbergh and David Pritchard, Mayor of Jermy.

ner of St. George's. The chorus of two hundred were assisted by Mrs. Hotz, soprano; Mr. Hoth, bass; Mrs. Joyce, contralto, and Mr. Gurney, tenor.

Under the direction of Ralph Kinder, the Norristown Choral Society rendered "Golden Legend" and "Ban-

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Long Drawn Out.

Uncle Jeff, an aged negro driver of August, was piloting several northern visitors around just after the first golf links had been put in there. Uncle Jeff was a little short in his knowledge according to St. Andrew, but long on local pride.

"How many holes have they," inquired a visitor, "eighteen?"

Uncle Jeff pulled up to make his answer more impressive. "More'n dat, suh," he said, "dey's got a passel er land and de holes ain't bigger'n a tin can—I reckon dey's got a thousand holes already, suh."

WHEN KIDNEYS ACT BAD TAKE GLASS OF SALTS

Eat Less Meat if Kidneys Hurt or You Have Backache or Bladder Misery—Meat Forms Uric Acid.

No man or woman who eats meat regularly can make a mistake by flushing the kidneys occasionally, says a well-known authority. Meat forms uric acid which clogs the kidney pores so they sluggishly filter or strain into part of the waste and poison from the blood, then you get sick. Nearly all rheumatism, headaches, liver trouble, nervousness, constipation, dizziness, sleeplessness, bladder disorders come from sluggish kidneys.

The moment you feel a dull ache in the kidneys or your back hurts, or if the urine is cloudy, offensive, full of sediment, irregular of passage or attended by a sensation of scalding, get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any reliable pharmacy and take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salt is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia and has been used for generations to flush clogged kidneys and stimulate them to activity, also to neutralize the acids in urine so it no longer causes irritation, thus ending bladder disorders.

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Attitude of the Believer. I feel that goodness, and truth, and righteousness are realities, eternal realities, and that they cannot be abstractions, or vapors floating in a spiritual atmosphere, but that they necessarily imply a living, personal will, a good, loving, righteous God, in whose hands we are perfectly safe, and who is guiding us by unfailing wisdom.—Thomas Erskine.

For She Liked Them. Patience—According to two English scientists, the sense of smell in man, because of the practice of kissing, is gradually being destroyed.

Patrice—Good! Do you suppose the time is coming when the boys won't notice the onions?

Among the Elites. "Then they never have a family jar?" "They occasionally have what might be termed a family jardiniere. As aristocratic people they only quarrel in a very refined way."

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The Masters. Flatbush—You know he's got a picture of one of the old masters at his house. Bensonhurst—Which wife is it?

A College Education. "Is your boy learning much at college?" "No, but I am."—Indianapolis Star

A Press Agent. Mask—Who is that fellow coming out of your room with a suit? Wig—That's my press agent.

The Markets

NEW YORK.—Wheat—Spot strong; No. 2 red, 156 1/2c; No. 2 hard, 153 1/4 all rail, c i f track, export; No. 1 Northern Duluth, 152 1/4; and No. 1 Northern Manitoba, 157 1/4, c i f Buffalo.

Corn—Spot strong; No. 2 yellow, 86 1/4c c i f to arrive. Oats—Spot firmer; standard, 63 1/4c; No. 3 white, 63; fancy clipped white, 64@66.

Butter—Extras (32 score), 32c; creamery firms, 30@32 1/2; seconds, 27 1/2@29 1/2.

Cheese—State, whole milk, held, specials, 16 1/2c; do, average fancy, 15 1/2@16 1/4; State whole milk, winter, export type, specials, 15 1/2@16; do, average fancy, 15@15 1/2.

Eggs—Fresh gathered extra fine, 34 1/2@35c; extra firsts, 34; firsts, 33@33 1/2; seconds, 31 1/2@32 1/2; State, Pennsylvania and nearby henney browns, 34 1/2@35; do, gathered browns and mixed colors, 32@34.

Live Poultry—Firm; Western chickens, 14c; fowls, 17@17 1/2; turkeys, 14@15.

PHILADELPHIA.—Wheat—Car lots in export elevator, No. 2 red, spot and January, \$1.49@1.52; No. 1 Northern Duluth, \$1.57@1.60; No. 2 red Western, \$1.53@1.56.

Corn—No. 2 yellow, new, 82 1/2@83c; steamer yellow, new, 81 1/2@82c; No. 3 yellow, new, 77@78c; sample yellow, new, 72@75c; new, cob, per 70 pounds, 81@82. For car lots in export elevator, No. 2, spot and January, 80 1/2@81 1/2; steamer, 79@80c; No. 3, 78@79c.

Oats—No. 2 white, 60 1/2@61c; standard white, 59 1/2@60c; No. 3 white, 59@59 1/2c.

Butter—Western, solid-packed creamery, fancy specials, 35c; extra, 33c; extra firsts, 32c; firsts, 30@31c; seconds, 27@28c; nearby prints, fancy, 36c; average extra, 35c; firsts, 21@33c; seconds, 28@29c; jobbing sales of fancy prints, 41@43c.

Eggs—Nearby extra, 35c per doz; firsts, \$9.90 per standard case; nearby current receipts, \$9.60 per case; Western and Southwestern, extra firsts, \$9.90 per case; firsts, \$9.60 per case; Southern, \$9.60 per case; fancy selected candied and fresh eggs, jobbing at 37@39c per dozen.

Live Poultry—Fowls, 14@15c; old roosters, 11@11 1/2c; young chickens, according to quality, 14@15c; ducks, 15@16c; geese, 14@15c; guineas, 14@17c; pigeons, old, per pair, 22@25c; do, do, young, per pair, 17@18c.

Cheese—New York, full cream, earlier receipts, choice, 16 1/2c; do do current, make, 15 1/2c; do do, fair to good, 14 1/2@15c; do do, part skims, 8@13.

BALTIMORE.—Wheat—No. 2 red, spot and January, No. 2 red, 153 1/2c; steamer No. 2 red, 146.

Corn—Spot and January, 81 1/2c; February, 82.

Oats—Standard white, 60@60 1/2c; No. 3 white, 59 1/2@60.

Rye—No. 2 rye, Western, \$1.32@1.33; No. 3 do, \$1.28@1.29; No. 4 do, \$1.27@1.28; bag lots of nearby rye, as to quality, \$1@1.10.

Hay—No. 1 timothy, \$19@19.50; No. 2 do, \$17.50@18; No. 3 do, \$15.50@16.50; light clover mixed, \$18@18.50; No. 1 do, \$17.50@18; No. 2 do, \$15@16.50; choice clover, \$18.50@19; No. 1 do, \$18@18.50; No. 2 do, \$15@16.50; No. 3 do, \$11.50@14; sample hay, as to kind, quality and condition, \$10@13.

TURN TO AMERICA

South American Countries Want Railroad Material.

Ecuador and Chile May Spend Millions for Needed Supplies—Merchants of Venezuela Complain Because Credit is Denied.

Ecuador is in the American market for \$5,000,000 worth of railroad construction materials and the government of Chile for \$60,000 worth of railroad shop materials and supplies. This information indicated that the west coast countries of South America, stimulated by the opening of the Panama canal, were taking the initiative in an effort to do business with the North American manufacturer. In this connection a dispatch from Carl P. Sutherland, United States consul at Maracaibo, Venezuela, said that some of the merchants there had sent to the United States for samples of goods they formerly obtained in Europe.

The proposed railroad in Ecuador will connect Quito, the capital, in the interior with Bahia, an important Pacific coast town. The government awarded the contract to construct the road to Edmondo Catofort, a contracting engineer, with headquarters at Quito. It is reported that he is now in communication with this market in regard to the purchase of materials.

The Chilean proposal on which American manufacturers of railroad shop equipment have been asked to bid contemplates the expansion of the government-owned tramways in the city of Santiago, the capital and largest city of the country. The proposed work is in the charge of the Direccion General de Los Ferrocarriles, at Santiago. The foreign trade bureau urges that correspondence on this matter be in the Spanish language.

The consular dispatch from Venezuela points out that the merchants of that country are complaining because of difficulty in obtaining supplies they order from the manufacturers here; also because the usual credit accommodations are not extended to them. The commercial houses in Venezuela, Consul Sutherland says, deserve credit facilities, but some American firms have refused to ship merchandise previous to settlement. The expected establishment of a branch American bank will overcome this credit difficulty. The principal commodities for which the Venezuelan merchant is coming to the American market are hardware, cotton goods and foodstuffs.

Crowning Achievement. "Was the inventor of the destroyer rewarded?" "They knighted him."

"And the inventor of the destroyer-destroyer?" "He was created a baron."

"But the destroyer-destroyer-destroyer's inventor—what was done for him?" "He was made an earl."

"One more question, if you please—what reward, if any, fell to the author of the book which proves that war is a biological necessity?" "He was created a duke."

"Yes. We are a cultivated nation, and but for his grace's work we should never have had the face to make use of the inventions of the others."

Breaking It Gently. Maid—Thieves got into a house in this street last night and stole all the silver. Mistress—What stupid people to leave doors unlocked! Whose house was it? Maid—It was at number 7. Mistress—Why, that is our house! Maid—Yes, ma'am, but I did not want to frighten you.

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