

PRICE DROP SHOWN  
IN BANK'S REPORT

Downward Wholesale Trend  
Soon to Affect Consumer,  
Federal Reserve Says

FIGURES GIVEN FOR MAY

A report of the Federal Reserve Bank for May, the latest table the bank has compiled, shows the beginning of the price decline in various staples.

These prices are wholesale, and officials of the bank say that they really do not adequately represent the full extent of the price drop, since it was just beginning in May and has since shown a more pronounced downward trend.

The figures for June and the present month are not available yet.

The prices quoted are the more significant, it is pointed out, when it is considered that the margins will probably be greater when the retail prices become affected by the new rates within a short time.

One decisive factor in the sharp price drop, says the July bulletin of the bank, has been the extensive cancellation of orders, particularly in goods that go into the manufacture of clothing and in the finished product itself.

Further to quote the report, "the hide and leather markets have similarly felt the effects of the cancellations received by the boot and shoe manufacturers."

"In the first place the transportation tie-up remains, as it has been for some time, the dominant factor to be reckoned with, and the chief cause inhibiting productive activity."

According to a statement of a Federal Reserve official just back from a tour of the country, several special instances of the effect of poor transportation were noted.

In Chicago, he said, are 100,000,000 bushels of grain from last year's Iowa crop, still awaiting transportation facilities.

Ship Finishes Trial Trip  
The builder's trial of the new steamer ship James B. Jones yard at Camden was highly successful.

WOMAN BITTEN BY DOG  
Mrs. James McKillop, fifty-seven years old, of 208 Walnut street, Camden, was bitten on the right hand and foot yesterday by a bulldog at Newton avenue near St. John street.

RISE AND FALL OF PRICES  
IN PERIOD OF SIX YEARS

The appended table of wholesale prices was prepared by the Department of Labor Statistics, and made public here today by the Federal Reserve Bank.

Table with columns: Item, 1914, 1915, 1916, 1917, 1918, 1919, 1920. Lists prices for various commodities like wheat, corn, cotton, sugar, etc.

MEXICAN FEDERALS  
AIM TO NIP UPRISING

Would Outflank Followers of Governor Cantu by Sheer Weight of Numbers

CHINESE SUPPORT REBELS



MRS. CATHERINE GOETZ  
BAYARD GARIBOLDI  
Two of the three victims of auto crash at Franklin and Willow streets about 2 a. m. today.

PLACE FOR MUD WANTED

Engineer Dredging Schuylkill Suggests City's Low Lands  
Mayor Moore's assertion that the work of dredging the Schuylkill in front of the boat houses between Fairmount dam and Girard avenue bridge was lagging and that much of the material taken from the stream was allowed to slide back, was denied yesterday by Allen Conk, chief engineer of Fairmount Park.

PHILA. STREETS THIRD

City Has 10,098,868 Square Yards of Asphalt Paving  
Philadelphia's streets rank third in the United States according to a survey made by the Asphalt Association.

PROTECT GRAIN SHIPPERS

Commercial Exchange Rule Absolves Them of Responsibility in Strikes  
As a means of protecting local shippers against loss from delay caused by strikes or lockouts the Commercial Exchange has adopted an addition to its grain rules.

TO STUDY BUBONIC PLAGUE

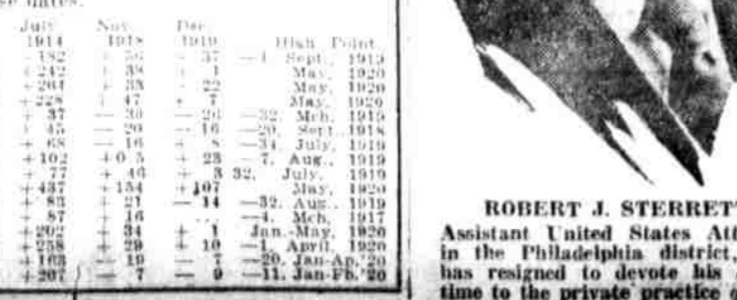
Director Furbush Sends Expert to Galveston Meeting  
Director Furbush announced yesterday he had appointed Dr. Courland Y. White, chief bacteriologist of the Bureau of Health, to represent his department at a meeting in Galveston.

Navy Pays \$2 a Barrel for Fuel Oil

San Francisco, July 30.—A dispute between the Navy Department and companies over the price of fuel oil for navy vessels on the Pacific was ended yesterday when it was announced the department had accepted proposals of the Standard Oil Co.

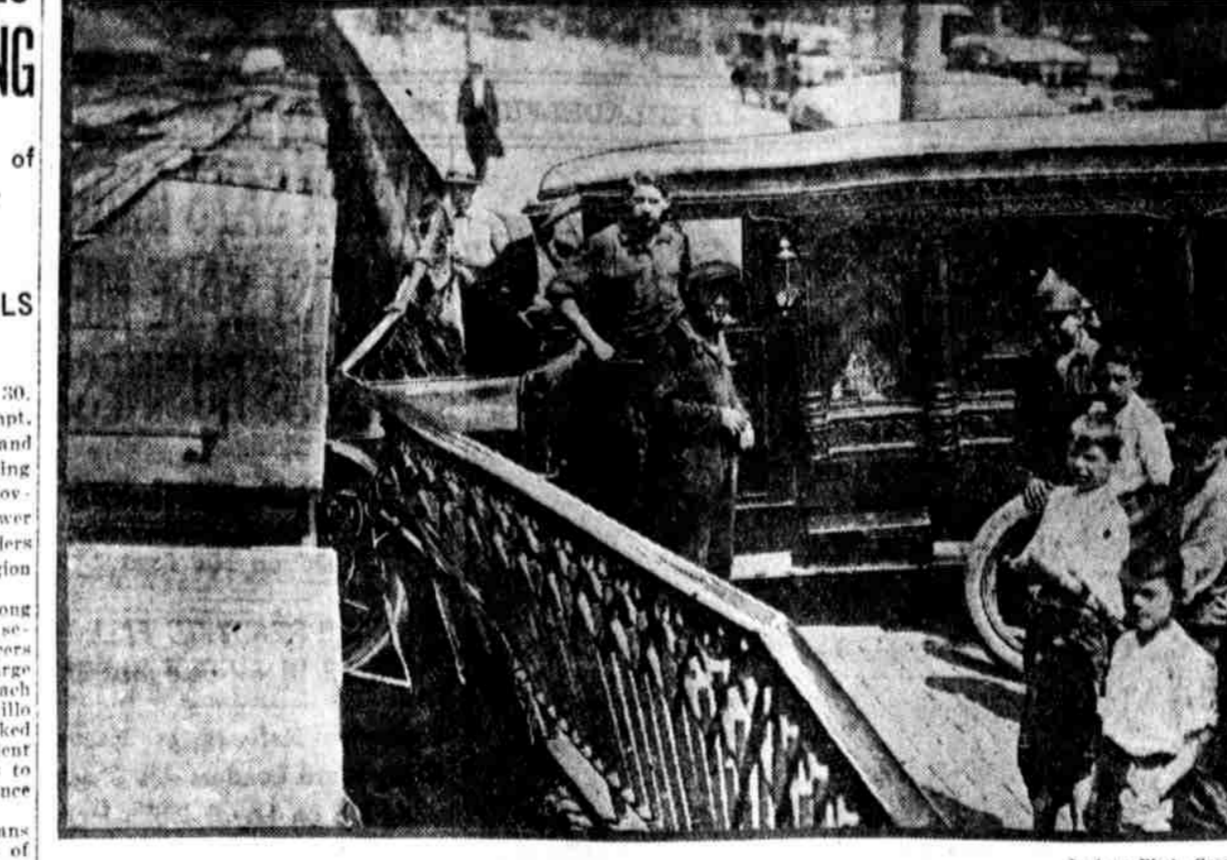
Picnic for Children

This is the big day for several hundred Kensington children, who are the guests today of Mrs. M. W. Koshlan at a picnic at the Summit Memorial Playground in Fairmount Park.



ROBERT J. STERRETT  
Assistant United States Attorney in the Philadelphia district, who has resigned to devote his entire time to the private practice of law.

AUTO HEARSE RUNS WILD ON CALLOWHILL STREET



An automobile hearse was left standing in the alley of a repair shop this morning while the driver went into the shop to get some work done. He left the motor running. Somehow, the clutch slipped into low gear and the hearse started across the street, crashed through the railing along the railway subway and was brought to a standstill by a freight car.

ROADS SEEK RIGHT TO NAME INTEREST

Ask Authority to Make Best Terms Possible in Rates on Loans  
Washington, July 30.—Representatives of railroad and banking interests yesterday told the Interstate Commerce Commission that the roads found it impossible to borrow money at 6 and 7 per cent interest, the rates recently fixed by the commission for the sums the roads must raise to match advances authorized from the government's \$300,000,000 revolving fund.

DREDGE CAN'T GET COAL

Lack of Fuel Halts Giant's Work in Delaware River  
One of the largest sea-going dredges in the world, the Corozal, built for work on the Panama canal, is on the Delaware river and may be seen at Fort Mifflin.

DOESN'T KNOW HE IS BLIND

Victim of Wood Alcohol Believes He Is in Dark Room at Hospital  
New York, July 30.—In a hospital room flooded with sunlight yesterday, G. W. Gould, a fifty-nine-year-old lighter captain, blinded by wood alcohol contained in a drink offered to him.

R. J. STERRETT RESIGNS

U. S. District Attorney Quits to Practice Law  
Robert J. Sterrett, United States assistant district attorney here since October 13, 1912, resigned today. He will resume the private practice of law.

K. OF P. AWARD DRILL PRIZES

Terre Haute Team Wins First at National Conventions  
Cleveland, July 30.—Vigo team of Terre Haute, Ind., won first prize in rifle team drill at the national convention of the Knights of Pythias.

Stain in Fight With Sheriff

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25 Locomotives for Africa

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MAJOR WILL ASK BETTER STATE LAWS



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Left Standing for Repairs, It Dashes Into Freight Car  
A large automobile hearse belonging to John Goodman, 217 Fitzwater street, that had been left standing in the alley of the Central Auto Top and Body Co., 1306 Calowhill street, about 10 o'clock this morning, ran across the street upon its own accord, smashed the railing along the railway subway and ran through and into a freight car.

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PLAN WAR CERTIFICATES

Wounded and Next of Kin to Dead Will Get Them  
Certificates bearing the facsimile signature of the President will be issued at the next meeting of the board of governors for more than 47,000 American soldiers, sailors and marines who were killed in the world war.

WILL AID RENTERS' BILL

Real Estate League at Ocean City Denounces Profiteering  
Ocean City, N. J., July 30.—All sections of the state were represented at the meeting of the board of governors of the Real Estate League of New Jersey at the Normandie yesterday.

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MOSCOW DEMANDS BRITISH CIVIL WAR

Third Internationale Urges Labor Party to Arm Against Capitalism

WOULD INVOLVE AMERICA

By the Associated Press  
London, July 30.—Triumph of the proletariat would involve a bloody revolution, British workers must prepare for civil war, and the day is coming when communism, sweeping through Europe and enlisting the eastern nations in the movement, would meet Great Britain and America in mortal conflict.

The communication was made in reply to twelve questions sent to the Moscow Internationale by the Independent Labor party. One of these questions was: "How does communism differ from other forms of socialism?"

"There are no other forms. There is only communism. Whatever else these words mean, they are not for the bourgeoisie or self-delusion by persons who hesitate to choose between the proletariat and the bourgeoisie."

"It is most unlikely the bourgeoisie will surrender its power without a struggle. Therefore, the workers of Great Britain should prepare, not for victory by a heavy civil war."

"Civil war," "world revolution" and profound distrust of parliamentary action appear in several of the answers. The concluding part of the document, as quoted by the Times, says: "It is probable that when throwing off the yoke of the bourgeoisie, the revolutionary proletariat of Anglo-Saxon capital in the persons of British and American capitalists, who will attempt to blockade it."

"It is then possible the revolutionary proletariat of Europe will arise in union with the Third Internationale to meet the scene of which will be the entire world; to deal the final blow at British and American capitalism."

James Ramsay MacDonald, former member of the House of Commons and one of the leaders of the Independent Labor party, commenting on the document from Moscow, writes: "The Moscow revolutionists are no firebreed revolutionists. When they say violence they mean bloodshed and murder. Anybody who accepts the Moscow view ought to have nothing to do with the Independent Labor party, such affiliation would be dishonored."

TO IMPROVE BABY "FARMS"

Director Suggests Means of Bettering Conditions in Camden  
Immediate action to remedy conditions in the Camden baby "farms" was urged yesterday by Dr. Eugene G. Hummel, chairman of the Chamber of Commerce child conservation committee.

HAMILTON MAN INJURED

Motorist Flees and Victim Is Found Lying Unconscious in Road  
Trenton, July 30.—Run down by an unidentified motorist, Harold Mayor, fifty-five years old, of Hamilton township, is in a critical condition in St. Francis's Hospital here.

New Disease Germ Isolated

San Francisco, July 30.—(By A. P.)—Isolation of the botulinus bacillus, held responsible for the death of a number of persons who had eaten bottled ripe olives, and its identification as a product of the soil, was announced yesterday at a meeting of olive growers and packers and distributors and a committee of medical experts.

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