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Women Should Beware of Contracting Catarrh. conducive to catarrhal derangements. Few

women escape. Upon the first symptoms of catching cold Peruna should be taken. It fortifies the system against colds and catarrh.

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THE KEYSIONE STATE

Latest News of Pennsylvania Told in

Short Order.

As empowered by the resolution of the new West Chester council, Burgess C. H. Pennypacker went to Philadelphia and secured the services of an expert sani-tary plumber to make a thorough exam-mation of the sewer system of West Chester. An effort will be made to prevent the pollution of streams and to avert typhoid outbreaks like that which

caused many deaths last year. Benjamin H. Guldin, of Pottsville, who was a member of the Masonic fraternity for sixty-eight years, and of the Inde-pendent Order of Odd Fellows for sev-enty years, died at the home of his son, Dr. B. C. Guldin, of Minersville, in his ninety-second year. He was serving his thirty-seventh year as a justice of the neace of Pottsville.

peace of Pottsville. In the trial of Preston N. Bodey for the murder of his father, Charles N. Bodey, of Orwigsburg, Miss Grace Bo-dey, a sister of the defendant, was a witness. While telling the jury how her brother had beaten her father, she drew a picture of her father from under her coat and exhibited it to the jury. Burst-ing into tears, she exclaimed. "He was ing into tears, she exclaimed, "He was the best man that ever lived, and that poor old white head was beaten by his own son." Miss Bodey testified that Preston had abused his father upon for-mer occasions, and that they had fre-

uent disputes over business matters. The fact that the Legislature occupied the new Capitol before the walls were dry is supposed to be the cause of several attacks of pneumonia. Among those who are suffering from pneumonia are Senators Cochrane, of Lycoming Coun-ty, and Quail, of Schuylkill County; Jas. M. Shumacker, Superintendent of Pub-lic Grounds and Buildings, and Repre-sentative Place, of Monroe County.

sentative Place, of Monroe County, Speaker Walton barely escaped from the drafty building to recuperate at home from an attack that bordered on pneu-

Burglars entered the parsonage of the Bridgeport Baptist Church and stole a small amount of money and \$200 worth of silverware, belonging to Rev. T. C. Jackson. The homes of Frank Peirce, Frank Gorman and John Shoemaker, in the same town, were also entered, the thieves securing jewelry and clothing in each.

Sadler appeared for Greason, while At-torney E. H. Deysher represented Mrs. Kate Edwards, wife of the murdered man. The confession of Mrs. Edwards

was brought before the Supreme Court a short time ago, but that body refused

to consider it as of sufficient weight to

The final and most vigorous effort in the fight to save the life of Samuel Greason, who is convicted of the murder of John Edwards, was made before the WORKS OF ART LISTED. Supreme Court in Philadelphia, Attor-neys John H. Rothermel and William

Spanish Government Keeps Track of Famous Paintings.

Pe-ru-na Contains No Narcotics.

A man who unexpectedly came into a fortune not long ago found among his new belongings three pictures. They were painted by a Spanish artist eminent in his lifetime and of increasing fame since his death.

warrant a rule for a new trial. The present depositions of Mrs. Edwards Before he had had time to become accustomed to the joys of possession he was startled by a communication from the Spanish government severelast incriminates her daughter, Mary, but the latter, it is understood, will not be held in jeopardy. Attorney Sadler sent a petition to the members of the Board of Pardons asking for a com-plete pardon for Greason. This is done in order that, should the Supreme Court fail to grant a rule on the Berks court for a new trial, the Board of Pardons must recommend a pardon for the upproly official in appearance and language. He knew enough Spanish to make out that it was an inquiry into his identity, the condition of the pictures and the date on which they came into his hands, and not, as he at first feared, a challenge of his right of ownership.

In due time he learned that in conmay recommend a pardon for the negro. ducting this inquiry, the Spanish government was following its usual course in regard to the notable painters of Spain. Every picture of importance painted by a Spanish artist is accurately described in the catalogue compiled under government supervision, and each incident of its history is noted in the record.

State Treasury. The fact that a change of ownership of these pictures in New York was It is announced at West Chester that known so soon in Madrid shows with what vigilance these records are kept.

COMMERCIAL REVIEW.

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

Catarch Cannot Be Cured With Locat Artications, as they cannot plot of constitutional disease, and in order to constitutional disease, and in order to cure if you must take internal remedies. Hall's Catarch Cure is taken internally, and to cure if you must take internal remedies. Hall's Catarch Cure is not a quack medicine, it was trescribed by one of the best physi-tar prescription. It is composed of the best onlice known, combined with the basi-tot of the security for years, and is a res-tion of the best physi-tar prescription. It is composed of the best onlice known, combined with the basi-tot of the best physi-best onlice known, combined with the basi-bod purflere, acting directly on the mus-best onlice known, combined with the basi-bod purflere, acting directly on the mus-best onlice known, combined with the basi-bod purflere, acting directly on the mus-best onlice known, combined with the basi-bod purflere, acting directly on the mus-best onlice known, combined with the basi-bod purfleres, acting directly on the mus-best onlice known, combined with the basi-bod purfleres, acting directly on the mus-best onlice known, combined with the basi-bod purfleres, acting directly on the mus-best onlice known, combined with the basi-bod purfleres, acting directly on the mus-best onlice known, combined with the basi-bod purfleres, acting directly on the mus-best onlice known, combined with the basi-bod purfleres, acting directly on the mus-best onlice known, combined with the basi-bod purfleres, acting directly on the mus-best onlice known, combined with the basi-bod purfleres, acting directly on the mus-best onlice known, combined with the basi-bod purfleres, acting directly on the mus-best onlice known, combined with the basi-bod purfleres, acting directly on the mus-best onlice known, combined with the basi-bod purfleres acting directly on the basi-bod Trade reports are still somewhat conflicting, but on the whole improvements has followed more settled weather, and the outlook is considered favorable even in sections where current business is irregular. Mercantile collections are not as prompt at the East as elswhere, but the liabilities of commercial failures in February were much smaller than a year

Traffic blockades have been lifted, reoring a normal distribution of merchandise, and railway carnings in Feb than last year, despite the severe weather at the start. Little idle machinery is no-liced in the iron and steel industry, textile mills are increasingly active, and New England shoe shops are shipping where freely than a year ago, although there is still delay in booking orders for Fall footwear. Minor manufacturing plants are also preparing for large sales, indicating that confidence remains unshaken.

Agricultural communities have prospered, cash prices of all farm products maintaining profitable positions, but the speculative markets are erratic,

Commercial failures this week in the United States are 245, against 252 last week, 258 the preceding week and 236 the corresponding week last year. Failares in Canada number 35 against 29 last week, 32 the preceding week and 27 last

tear. Bradstreets says: Wheat, including Bour, exports for the week ending March 3 are 907,036 bushels, against 923,022 3 are 907,036 bushels, against 923,022 3.491,486 in 1903 and 4.095.014 in 1902 bushels, against 3,827,081 last week 1,71,270 bushels, against 3,827,081 last week 1,-90,753 a year ago, 3,817,609 in 1903 and 352,406 in 1902.

WHOLESALE MARKETS.

Baltimore.-FLOUR-Quiet and un-thanged; receipts, 7,951 barrels sexports. (L233 barrels

WHEAT-Firm; spot, contract, 1.13/5 WHEAT-FIRM; spot. contract, 1.13/5 @1.13/5; spot No. 2 red Western, 1.14/5 @1.14/5; March, 1.13/5(01.13/5); April 1.14/5(01.145/8; May, 1.15/5); steamer No 3 red, 1.06/5(01.06)(4); receipts, 3.568 pushels; Southern by sample, 63/01.12; Southern on grade, 1.01/5(01.13/5); COPN Science, 1.01/5(01.13/5);

CORN-Strong; spot, 515%; March, 315%; April, 515%; May, 5134@52; steamir mixed, 4934@4978; receipts, 48,825 bushels; exports, 260,114 bushels; Southirn white corn, 30@54; Southern yellow

torn, 50@54. OATS-Firmer; No. 2 white, 361/3@ 3634; No. 2 mixed, 36 bid; receipts, 16.-

RYE-Firm (uptown); No. 2 West-85(0.86; receipts, 2,307 bushels. HAY-Firmer; No. 1 timothy, 14.500 15.00; No. 1 clover mixed, 12.50/213.00 BUTTER—Steady and unchanged: fancy imitation, 29/230; fancy creamery, 34/235; fanty ladle, 23/225; store-pack-

d, 22@23. EGGS—Firm, 30. CHEESE—Firm and unchanged; disclose for the first time the complete details of the murder. The mother st last incriminates her daughter, Mary, arge, 1343; medium, 1354; small, 14. SUGAR — Strong and unchanged; toarse granulated, 6.15; fine, 6.15. New York—FLOUR—Receipts, 21,145

BARLEY-Slow; feeding, 441/4 c. i. f.

The Pennsylvania Louisiana Purchase

Exposition Commission wound up its affairs at a meeting in Harrisburg and will shortly submit a detailed report to the Legislature. The report of the com-

of \$53,000 out of the fund of \$30,000 appropriated by the last Legislature. This money will be turned back into the

14: fowls, 12@1252; turkeys, 15@20. PORK—Steady; mess, 12.75@13.50. TALLOW—Dull.

ica in th COTTONSEED OIL-Steady ; prime

Woman's Kidnev Troubles

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is Especially Successful in Curing This Fatal Disease.



Of all the diseases known, with Mrs. Samuel Frake, of Prospect which women are afflicted, kidney dis-Plains, N. J., writes:

which women are afflicted, kidney dis-ease is the most fatal. In fact, unless early and correct treatment is applied, the weary patient seldom survives. Being fully aware of this, Mrs. Pink-ham, early in her career, gave exhaust-ive study to the subject and in pro-ducing her great remedy for woman's lils — Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound—was careful to see that it contained the correct combination of herbs which was sure to control that fatal disease, woman's kidney troubles. The Vegetable Compound acts in har-mony with the laws that govern the entire female system, and while there are many so called remedies for kidney troubles. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable contained the correct combination of herbs which was sure to control that fatal disease, woman's kidney troubles. The Vegetable Compound acts in har-mony with the laws that govern the entire female system, and while there are many so called remedies for kidney

troubles, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vege-table Compound is the only one espe-nue, New York, writes:

table Compound is the only one espe-cially prepared for women, and thou-sands have been eured of serious kidney, derangements by it. Derangements of the feminine organs quickly affect the kidneys, and when a woman has such symptoms as pain or weight in the loins, backache, bearing down pains, urine too frequent, scanty or high col-ored, producing scalding or burning, or deposits like brick dust in it; un-usual thirst, swelling of hands and feet, swelling under the eves or sharen pains

usual thirst, swelling of hands and feet, swelling under the eyes or sharp pains in the back running down the inside of her groin, she may be sure her kid neys are affected and should lose no time in combating the disease with Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Com-pound, the woman's remedy for wo-mar's ills. The following letters show how maryelously successful it is.

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Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound : a Woman's Parendy for Venan's Ills.

Facts Are Stubborn Things Uniform excellent quality for over a quarter of a sentury has steadily increased the sales of LION COFFEE, The leader of all package coffees. Lion Coffee is now used in millions of homes. Such popular success speaks for itself. It is a positive proof that LION COFFEE has the Confidence of the people. The uniform quality of LION-COFFEE survives all opposition. LION COFFEE keeps its old friends and makes new ones every day.

than its Strength, Flavor and Quality to commend it. On arrival from the plantation, it is carefully roasted at our factories and securely





Russia has a per capita investment in industrial enterprises of \$4. Piso's Cure for Consumption is an infalling medicine for coughs and colds.-N. W. SAMURL, Ocean Grove, N. J., Pub. 17, 1990. Nineteer took part in a race in Paris or men with wooden legs.

Catarrh Cannot Be Cured

Loon Overcome by Cold. E. E. Skinner, caretaker at the town

farm, found a large loon in the road

He caught the bird, carried it home

and fed it. It seemed to be suffering

from hunger and the severe cold.-Ber-

lin Correspondence Hartford Courant.

FITS permanently cured. No fits or nervous-ness after first day's use of Dr. Kline's Great NerveRestorer, #2trial bottleand treatise free Dr. R. H. KLINE, LLI, 081 Arch St., Phila., Pa

Butter color is made from analine and the shade is called "azo."

Use Allen's Foot-Ease.

Use Allen's Foot-Ease. It is the only cure for Swollen, Smarting, Tired, Aching, Hot, Sweating Feet, Corns and Danions, Ask for Allen's Foot-Ease, apowder to be shaken into the shoes. Cures while you walk, At all Druggists and Shoe Stores, 25c. Don't accept any substitute. Sample sent Faze, Address, Allon S. Ofmsted, LeRoy, N.Y

Spain produced 175,109 tons of lead in

A Guaranteed Cure For Piles.

Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles, Druggists will refund money if Pas-Ointment fails to cure in 6 to 14 days, 50:

Sprin has a number of iron, coal, lead

Mrs. Winslow's Scothing Syrup for children

leothing, soften the gums, reduces infinmma-tion, allays pain, euros wind colle, 25c, a bottle,

yesterday near his house.

To Cure a Cold in One Day

Itch cured in 30 minutes by Woolford's Sanitary Lotion. Never Fails. Sold by all druggists, 81. Mull orders promptly filled by Dr. E. Detchon, Crawiordsville, Ind.

The annual consumption of salt in Eng-land is forty pounds a head.

barrels; exports, 9,296 barrels. Steady, with light demand.

New York BUTTER-Firm, unchanged ; receipts.

5,460. CHEESE—Steady, unchanged; re-

CHEESE—Steady, unchanged; re-reipts, 1,710. EGGS—Easy; receipts, 2,250; State, Pennsylvania, and near-by fancy selected white, 36; do, choice, 35; do, mixed, fancy, 35; Westrn firsts, 33; do, see-onds, 32; Southerns, 30(73). POULTRY—Alive, dull; Western chickens, 12;; fowls, 14; turkeys, 15; dressed, weak; Western chickens, 13(7) 14; fowls, 12@125; turkeys, 15(7)

Dr. Isaiah Everhart the executor of the late Benjamin M. Everhart, the

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund money 17 it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on box. 25c. We have 75,000 postoflices and 500,000 miles of postal routes.

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Old Landmark Burned. An old house in Sunset Park, one of the landmarks of Brooklyn, N. Y., has

been burned. It has been thought the house was used as a hiding place for "Charley" Ross immediately after he was kidnapped in Philadelphia. The house was a relic of revolutionary times, and recently had been used by a park watchman as a shelter. Mischievous boys skating on the park lake snowballed the old watchman, and when he gave chase one of them crept up to the house and set it on fire

Salzer's Home Builder Corn.

Bo named because 50 acres produced se heavily, that its proceeds built a lovely home. See Salzer's catalog. Vielded in Ind. 157 bu., Ohio 160 bu., Tenn. 108 bu., and in Mich. 220 bu. per acre. You can beat this record in 1905.



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in stamps to John A. Salzer Seed Co., La Crosse, Wis., and receive their great cata-log and lots of farm seed samples. [A. C. L.]

Cuba's immigration last year was 20,000. Three-fourths were Spaniards.

YELLOW CRUST ON BABY

Would Crack Open and Scab Causing Ter-rible Itching-Cured by Cutlears.

This Itshing-Cured by Cattears. "Our baby had a yellow crust on his head which I could not keep sway. When I thought I had succeeded in getting his-head clear, it would start again by the grown of his head, crack and scale, and cause terrible itehing. I then got Catioura Soap and Ointment, washing the scalp with the soap and then applying the Oint-ment. A few treatments made a com-plete cure. I have advised many mothers to use Cuticura, when I have been asked about the same silment of their babies. Mrs. John Boyce, Fins Brush, N. Y."

In Spain a man who occurs the father of a large family receives a title.

-New York Sun

Floored

William Leary of New York, "the original Roosevelt man," was apologizing for the length of time that some oms require to mature.

while to do their hair in? It only

takes me ten seconds to do mine." "'That, John,' his wife retorted, 'is

that rate you'd soon know what wait-

ozonar w. ansory, swollen, and I had no appetite. When doctors failed

to help me I hegan using Doan's Kid-

ney Pills and improved until my back

ing means, dear.""

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"A boom," he said, "is not like a pan of dough. You can't set it to-night are still trying to secure a clew as to what motive John E. Chatham had for and have it full blown in the morning. A boom is a long and tedlous piece of work.

trying to kill trying to kill his wife and mother-in-law. Mrs. Chatham's life hangs in the balance in the Chester Hos-"The man who complains about a boom's slow growth is as unjust and pital, and, while her condition is favor-able for recovery, the least complication may result in her death. At times she unreasonable as the man who complained about the length of time it is conscious and can answer questions, but she refuses to talk in any way about took his wife to put up her hair. 'Hang it all,' he said, 'why do women require such a tremendous long the crime

Irvin A. Bristol, liveryman, conveyed several persons to the Galleger farm, near Emile. In coming back he had to cross a narrow bridge, and in trying one second per hair. If I worked at to avoid another team, Mr. Irvin's Both horses were killed. Mr. Irvit succeeded in getting out and was able to go back to Mr. Galleger's residence, although he was badly hurt. The horses

hotanist

The police and Coroner of Chester

HAD TO GIVE UP. untered Agonles From Kidney Disorders were valued at \$700.

Until Cured by Doan's Kittney Pills. Being released after a quarantine of more than a month, on account of small-pox. Winfield Allebaugh, of Allentown, George W. Renoff, of 1953 North Eleventh street, Philadelphia, Pa., a man of good reping, writes: "Five utation and standyears ago I was

swollen, and I

pox, Winfield Allehaugh, of Allentown, was arrested at Pottstown, charged with descrition and non-support. The charge was made by his wife, who resides in Allentown. When Allenbaugh was located by Chief of Police Delcamp it was discovered that the boarding house made by his due and and an another the boarding house suffering so with my back and kidin which he lived was under quarantine neys that I often and, after waiting five weeks, Allehaugh was arrested as he was about to leave had to lay off. The kidney secrethe house for the first time after quartions were unnatantine was raised. ural, my legs and stomach were

Governor Pennypacker fixed May 4 for the hanging of Martin Razimus, of Lazerne County and May 9 for the hanging of William Dillon and Ira Green, of Center County.

Crime in Mississippi.

was strong and my appetite returned. Jockson, Miss., (Special) .- Governor During the four years since 1 stopped Vardaman issued a strong address to the peace officers of the state, declaring that the situation in Mississippi is be-coming critical; that crime is rampant in all quarters of the commonwealth, and using them I have enjoyed excellent health. The cure was permanent." (Signed) GEORGE W. RENOFF. A TRIAL FREE - Address Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y. For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. urging the officers at once to begin a crusade to clean out the dives and haunts of criminals

Killed His Wife and Children.

When We Did Not Care for Japan. When the first embassy from Japam arrived in Washington a member of the Senate rose and said: "Mr. Presi-dent, the first ambassadors from the Danville, Ark. (Special)-James Incr. after confessing that he had killed his wife and three children, was brought venerable country of Japan are about back to jail here after a visit to the venerable country of Japan are about to arrive. I move the Senate do now adjourn to meet and welcome the Jap-anese." Immediately another senator was on his feet, not to second the mo-tion, but to say sharply: "Mr. Presi-dent, I humbly trust the Senate of the United States of America will not ad-humble for event when the senate of the scene of the crime, near Whitely, fifteen miles southwest of here. When con-fronted with the dead bodies of his wife ind three children, the latter ranging in the from four months to four years, he make down and confessed his guilt, saying that as it seemed impossible to make living for his family, he had solved he problem by killing them. journ for every show that comes along." That settled it,-From Mrs. Roger A. Pryor's "Reminiscences."

city some months ago, leaving consid-erable real estate, decided not to deed vellow, 24/a 2615. SUGAR-Raw, quiet; fair refining, to the borough for park purposes the tract of woodland and pasture known as "Everhart's Grove." It was generally 15%; centrifugal, 51%; molasses sugar

 45%; centrifugal, 5½; molasses sugar, 43%; refined, quiet, POTATOES—Quiet; Long Island, 1.50@.2.00; State and Western, 1.25@
1.45; Jersey sweets, 2.00@4.75; PEANUTS—Firm; fancy hand-pick-ed, 5¼@5¼; other domestic, 3¼@5½. CABBAGES—Steady; domestic, per believed that this land would soon be-come a public park, but it is said the grove is now offered for sale.

ton, 8.00@12.00.

Live Stock.

New York-BEEVES-Steers slow and to cents lower; bologna bulls firm; others steady; cows easier. Steers, 4.50 05.70; bulls, 3.25@4.25; cows, 1.90@ @5.70; bulls, 3.25(24.25; cows, 1.404) 3.70. Cables quoted live cattle steady at 10/s@11/2 cents per pound; few tops, 12 cents dressed weight; sheep, 12/013 cents dressed; refrigerator beef, 8/08/4 cents

per pound, CALVES-Steady, Veals, 4.00@8.75; dressed calves steady; city dressed yeals, @13 cents per pound; country dressed, all cents

SHEEP AND LAMBS-Sheep, quiet and steady; lambs, to@15 cents off, Sheep 4.00@5.50; no good sheep here; lambs, 7.00@8.371/2; yearlings, 7.10.

WORLD OF LABOR

The Structural Building Trades Alliance may soon join the American Feder-ation of Labor.

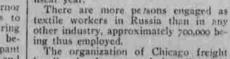
The displacement of horses by motor cycles has greatly affected the harness-making industry of London, Eug.

Plans are being perfected by the United Mine Workers of America for co-operaive stores throughout the anthracite coal region. Union musicians of Chicago have de-

cided to ask for an increase of \$2 over the present wage scale of \$18 a week.

Berlin (N. H.) newsboys have organ-

ized a union. More than \$00,000,000 has been ex-pended by the Canadian Government on its canals up to the end of the present fiscal year.



handlers has been started along lines laid down by the biennial convention of the international union held in that city recently.

About 2 per cent of the present popu-lation of Europeau Russia are industrial workers—about 2,250,000 ont of 115,000, 000. Less than five years ago they num-bered little more than 1,000,000.

The National Federation of Miners and the Durham and Northumberland (Eng.) Miners' Association have agreed to contribute £2,000 a week in aid of the strikers in the Westphalian coal fields of Germany

The United States Steel Corporation employs at present about 150,000 men. In 1903 the total number of employes in the service of the corporation was 167, 700, compared with 168,127 in 1902.